German Missions in India

Checklist for a German national visa
- Language Course -

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☐	valid **passport** issued within the last 10 years and with at least 2 empty pages
☐	**Application form** & declaration (in accordance with Section 54 of the Residence Act) duly signed (2 copies)
☐	**Declaration** for Additional contact and legal representation information (2 copies)
☐	**2 current, identical biometric passport photos**
☐	**Copy of your passport's data page** (A4 size copy) (2 copies)
☐	**Language Course Confirmation** (with at least 18 hours per week, no weekend or evening course)
☐	**Proof of payment** of the language course
☐	**Proof of financial means** to cover the costs for the time of your studies by one of the following documents: • Proof of a "Sperrkonto" (blocked account) in Germany with at least 1.091€ for each month of stay OR • "Verpflichtungserklärung" (formal obligation letter) by a sponsor living in Germany OR • Proof of a German / EU scholarship or stipend
☐	Duly signed **motivation letter / statement of purpose**
☐	Proof of your **knowledge of German**, if any
☐	**Curriculum Vitae**
☐	**Proof of education obtained so far** (school leaving certificate, university degree obtained, proof of vocational training or similar)
☐	Confirmation by previous employer, if any
☐	**travel health insurance** covering the first 90 days starting with and including your intended date of entry into Germany

Please prepare two identical sets of applications. Copies have to be size A4**.**

On the date of the visa appointment, you must have originals of all documents with you.

Please note that the German Missions in India reserve the right to ask for additional documents or the verification of certificates, for which additional fees would be charged.

The submission of the above-mentioned documents does not guarantee that a visa is granted. Submission of incomplete documentation or refusal to appear for a visa interview may result in the rejection of your application. Making untrue statements and/or handing in documents that do not reflect the truth will result in a rejection of your application.