

## VISUM

STEP	ITEM	Comments	USD
1	I-20 form	<p>Contact the school directly and get them to send you an I-20. Some will charge for this, mine charged US\$250.</p> <p>Their process consists of them filling in some online forms and is very fast - reportedly "10 minutes" if they know how. They must send the form by a courier (e.g. Fedex) because if it gets lost they have to go through a bit of a process to ensure the lost one is destroyed before it can be generated again. Obviously, somebody needs to be at the UK address to sign for the package... Ask them to fax you a copy before they send it off, not that a faxed copy will be particularly useful if the original does get lost but at least you can see the form really exists. I had a problem with one school who claimed to have done it but they never faxed it.</p>	250 ??
2	SEVIS I-901 fee	<p>Pay the US\$200 SEVIS fee online <a href="#">here</a>. At the end of this process you are presented with a receipt which you must print out and present at the Embassy</p> <p>The I-901 SEVIS Fee is mandated by Congress to support the program office and the automated system that keeps track of students and exchange visitors and ensures that they maintain their status while in the United States. Each student or exchange visitor issued an initial Form I-20 or DS-2019 on or after September 1, 2004, is responsible for paying this fee to SEVP</p> <p>For students (F-1, F-3, M-1 or M-3) <b>\$200</b></p>	200
3	Visa issuance fee	<p>The reciprocity fee, also known as the visa issuance fee, you must pay. This fee is in addition to the nonimmigrant visa application fee (MRV fee).</p> <p><a href="https://travel.state.gov/content/visas/en/fees/reciprocity-by-country/NL.html">https://travel.state.gov/content/visas/en/fees/reciprocity-by-country/NL.html</a></p>	0
4	USA Consulate	<p><b>Nonimmigrant visa application processing fee (non-refundable) for all categories below</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Non-petition-based nonimmigrant visa (except E): <b>\$160.00</b></li> </ul> <p>Interview @Amsterdam Waiting time 7 working days</p> <p><a href="http://amsterdam.usconsulate.gov/non-immigrant_visas.html">http://amsterdam.usconsulate.gov/non-immigrant_visas.html</a></p> <p><a href="https://travel.state.gov/content/visas/en/fees/fees-visa-services.html">https://travel.state.gov/content/visas/en/fees/fees-visa-services.html</a></p>	160
<b>A</b>		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>360</b>

**TSA APPROVAL**

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1	TSA application	You'll receive an email in a couple of days saying that the training provider has acknowledged you as a potential student and tells you how to pay your fee online. Pay it with a credit card, \$130. If you later change the school, you will lose this \$130	130
2	TSA fingerprint		100
3	Travel	Paris or London € 150 retour zelfde dag	150
<b>B</b>		<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>380</b>

**TOTALS**

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M-1 visum	See above (A) USD 250 for I-20 arrangement via school not taken into account	<b>360</b>
TSA approval	See above (B)	<b>380</b>
A + B	~ € 666	<b>740</b>

<https://travel.state.gov/content/visas/en/general/wait-times.html>

<https://www.ice.gov/sevis/i901/faq>

<https://www.fmjfee.com/i901fee/desktop/info/help.htm>

<https://studyinthestates.dhs.gov/paying-your-i-901-sevis-fee>

<https://travel.state.gov/content/visas/en/fees/reciprocity-by-country/NL.html>

<https://travel.state.gov/content/visas/en/fees/fees-visa-services.html>