Student Visa

It is required that all students who will be attending Jerusalem University College for one semester or more acquire a multiple entry A/2 student visa prior to arriving in Israel. Married students should also acquire a multiple entry A/4 visa for each dependent (spouse and children) who will be in Israel during the time that the student is attending Jerusalem University College.

Please Note:

The application for the multiple entry A/2 student visa must be made by the staff of Jerusalem University College at the Ministry of Interior in Jerusalem. In order to allow JUC to make this visa application on your behalf, you must supply the following documents and information as part of your Application for Admission into Jerusalem University College prior to June 1 for students planning on entering the Fall semester, or prior to December 1 for students planning on entering the Spring semester:

- A clear and legible copy of the identification page of your current passport, as well as of the passports of any dependents accompanying your application. **NOTE: your passport must be valid for six months beyond the full period of the student visa.** Because the student visa is generally valid for 12 months, your passport should be valid for a minimum of 18 months beyond the start date of the semester for which you are applying to study.
- Two original OFFICIAL color passport photographs.
- The name of the city and state of your official permanent residence.
- Proof of health insurance while studying in Israel.
- Your father’s name ____________________.
- Your mother’s name ____________________.
- Your maiden name (if applicable) ____________________.
- The dates of any previous stays in Israel ____________________________.
- If you have been in Israel before, was your stay in Israel ever canceled? And if so, why? Y or N ________________________.
- What are your means of support for your time in Israel? ________________.

When your visa has been granted, the Ministry of Interior in Jerusalem will inform the Israeli Embassy or Consulate that is responsible for the city and state of your official home residence. JUC will inform you when this happens. You must then contact that embassy or consulate and arrange for the visa to be affixed to your passport. Please note that your visa will refer to JUC by its Israeli name, the Institute of Holy Land Studies.