



Migration (IMMI 18/013: Classes of Persons for Student (Temporary) (Class TU) Visa) Instrument 2018

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Part 1 – Preliminary

1 Name

- (1) This instrument is the *Migration (IMMI 18/013: Class of Persons for Student (Temporary) (Class TU) Visa) Instrument 2018*.
- (2) This instrument may be cited as IMMI 18/013.

2 Commencement

This instrument commences the day after it is registered on the Federal Register of Legislation.

3 Authority

This instrument is made under paragraph 1222(5)(a) of Schedule 1 to the Regulations.

4 Definitions

In this instrument:

Agreed starting day, for a registered course, means:

- (a) the day on which a course was scheduled to start; or
- (b) the later day agreed between the education provider and a student.

Defence student: see regulation 1.03 of the Regulations.

Foreign Affairs student: see subregulation 1.03 of the Regulations.

member of the family unit: see regulation 1.03 of the Regulations

provider default in relation to a registered course, means the occurrence of one of the following events because a sanction has been imposed on the education provider under Division 1 or 2 of Part 6 of the *Education Services for Overseas Students Act 2000*:

- (a) the course does not start on the agreed starting day; or
- (b) the course ceases to be provided at any time after it starts, but before it is completed; or
- (c) the course not being provided in full to a student.

provider default day in relation to a registered course for which provider default has occurred, means:

- (a) if the default occurred because of the event mentioned in paragraph (a) of the definition of *provider default*—the agreed starting day; or
- (b) if the default occurred because of the event mentioned in paragraph (b) or (c) of the definition of *provider default*—the day on which the course ceased to be provided.

registered course: see regulation 1.03 of the Regulations.

Regulations means the *Migration Regulations 1994*.

secondary exchange student: see regulation 1.03 of the Regulations.

Subclass 500 visa means a Subclass 500 (Student) visa.

Subclass 590 visa means a Subclass 590 (Student Guardian) visa.

5 Schedules

Each instrument that is specified in a Schedule to this instrument is amended or repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned, and any other item in a Schedule to this instrument has effect according to its terms.

Part 2—Classes of persons

6 Class of persons to whom subparagraph 1222(2)(a)(i) applies

Under paragraph 1222(5)(a) of Schedule 1 to the Regulations, sections 7 to 12 of this instrument specify classes of persons for the purposes of subparagraph 1222(2)(a)(i) of Schedule 1 to the Regulations.

7 Class of persons 1—Students

- (1) An applicant seeking to satisfy the primary criteria for grant of a Subclass 500 visa and:
 - (a) who has been granted approval under a students' training scheme approved by the Commonwealth to study in Australia; or
 - (b) who is a Foreign Affairs student to whom subparagraph 1.04A(3)(b)(ii) applies; or
 - (c) who is a Defence student to whom subparagraph 1.04B(b)(ii) applies; or
 - (d) who is a secondary exchange student; or
 - (e) to whom each of the following circumstances applies:
 - (i) the applicant was not able to complete a registered course due to provider default; and
 - (ii) there is satisfactory evidence that the applicant was enrolled in that course on the provider default day; and
 - (iii) the applicant holds a Student visa, or the applicant's last substantive visa was a Student visa; and
 - (iv) the applicant requires a Subclass 500 visa to allow him or her to complete either an alternative registered course; or one or more registered courses after an alternative registered course; and
 - (v) the application is made no later than 12 months after the provider default day; and
 - (vi) the applicant has not made a previous application in the circumstances specified in this paragraph because of the same provider default described in subparagraph (i).

8 Class of persons 2—Students' family members (combined applicants)

- (1) An applicant who:
 - (a) claims to be a member of the family unit of another applicant (*the primary applicant*) and the primary applicant is seeking to satisfy the primary criteria for the grant of a Subclass 500 visa; and
 - (b) seeks to combine their application with the primary applicant's application; and
 - (c) the primary applicant is:
 - (i) included in the class of persons specified in section 7 of this instrument; or
 - (ii) enrolled in a postgraduate research course.

9 Class of persons 3—Students’ family members (Foreign Affairs students and Defence students)

- (1) An applicant who:
 - (a) is seeking to satisfy the secondary criteria for the grant of a Subclass 500 visa; and
 - (b) claims to be a member of the family unit of a person (*the primary person*) who holds a Subclass 500 visa;and where:
 - (c) the primary person is a Foreign Affairs student or a Defence student.

10 Class of persons 4—Students’ family members (postgraduate research students)

- (1) An applicant who:
 - (a) claims to be a member of the family unit of a person (*the subsequent applicant*) and the subsequent applicant is seeking to satisfy the secondary criteria for the grant of a Subclass 500 visa; and
 - (b) seeks to combine their application with the subsequent applicant’s application;and where:
 - (c) the subsequent applicant claims to be a member of the family unit of a person (*the primary person*) who holds a Subclass 500 visa; and
 - (d) the primary person is enrolled in a postgraduate research course.

11 Class of persons 5—Student Guardians

- (1) An applicant seeking to satisfy the primary criteria for grant of a Subclass 590 visa where each of the following applies:
 - (a) the nominating student was not able to complete a registered course due to a provider default; and
 - (b) there is satisfactory evidence that the nominating student was enrolled in that course on the provider default day; and
 - (c) the nominating student holds a Student visa, or the nominating student’s last substantive visa was a Student visa; and
 - (d) the nominating student requires a Subclass 500 visa to allow him or her to complete an alternative registered course; or one or more registered courses after an alternative registered course; and
 - (e) the applicant’s visa application is made no later than 12 months after the provider default day; and
 - (f) the applicant has not made a previous application in the circumstances specified in this subsection because of the same provider default specified in paragraph (a).

12 Class of persons 6—Student Guardians’ family members

- (1) An applicant who is:

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- (a) claiming to be a member of the family unit of a person who is seeking to satisfy the primary criteria for the grant of Subclass 590 visa; and
 - (b) making a combined application with that person.

Schedule 1—Repeals

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1 The whole of the instrument

Repeal the instrument