

**Italy – RESIDENZA ELETTIVA (elective residence) checklist**  
(for persons intending to live in Italy without working)



*List of supporting documents*

Dear applicant,

Thank you for your interest in applying for a visa for Italy. The following information is provided to assist you in lodging your application. You are encouraged to read it carefully and take note of all the information provided. It is important for you to do so, as failure to provide any required documents may affect the processing of your application.

You should lodge your application when you have all the required documents as detailed below.

<b>Applicant's Name:</b>	
<b>Application tracking number:</b>	

**Please prepare your documents in the following order**

	DOCUMENTS	DESCRIPTION	ATTACHED		OFFICIALS' NOTES
			YES	NO	
1	Passport (LS)	Must have a validity of at least 6 months prior to the returning date and 3 blank pages.			
2	Italian National D visa application Form				
3	Color ID Photos (x2)	Can be done at VFS Global for an extra fee (check list)			
4	Photocopy of passport				
5	Photocopy of all previous visas				
6	Proof of Transport (LS)	<b>Confirmed</b> air ticket, or other mode of transport, proving the arrival into Italy.			
7	Travel Insurance (LS)	Must be: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- valid for the entire Schengen area</li><li>- valid for the duration of the stay;</li><li>- cover for a minimum of 30.000 Euros;</li></ul> For long stays a minimum 30 days policy is necessary awaiting for the registration of the residence permit.			
8	Proof of Funds	In the form of a proof of the availability of in excess of 30.000 Euros per year from revenues generated by investments and not by an employment.			
9	Proof of accommodation in Italy	Rental contract for a minimum period of 1 year or proof of ownership of property in Italy			
10	Proof of Residence in SA	In the form of a utility bill or bank statement.			
11	Proof of Payment	Copy of the VFS's receipt.			