

Information for EU/EEA/Swiss nationals

You can find confirmation of your nationality group, conditions and requirements for EU/EEA/Swiss nationals under the Pathfinder link on our website.

If you have a nationality from an EU/EEA country OR Switzerland you can enter and study in the Netherlands without a visa or residence permit.

Municipality registration

When your stay is longer than 4 months you will be required to register in a **Dutch municipality** after your arrival. (This is important as it can have consequences for the tuition fee and financial aspects applicable to you).

Work

EU/EEA/Swiss nationals have the right to work in the Netherlands. However, Once you start any form of part-time work, you are required by law to have a **Dutch basic health insurance policy**. You will need to contact a Dutch insurance company to help you arrange this. HU does have collective insurance available (link provided below), but you are not obliged to use it.

Non-EU/EEA nationality in possession of a valid EU/EEA residence permit.

If you are a national from a non-EU/EEA country and you currently have a temporary residence permit (for study or other purposes) in another EU/EEA country, this does not automatically mean you are allowed to study in the Netherlands. Depending on your nationality you will still need to receive a combination (TEV) or (REF) visa. A permanent residence permit from another EU country may in some cases exempt you from these procedures. In this case please contact the International Office.