

Clifton Law Price Information

Immigration Law

Please note that we charge legal fees on a fixed fee basis. Fixed Fee is also known as Agreed Fees. Fixed fees give our clients peace of mind because they know from the start, how much it would cost them to complete their case from start to finish.

Service	Our Fees £ (excl. Vat)
Applications for British Citizenship _____	750 – 1,000
Discretionary leave to remain/Applications outside the Rules _____	900 – 1,200
Indefinite Leave to Remain _____	900 – 1,500
Student and Work experience visas _____	750 – 1,000
Spouse/partners, including fiancé(e)s or proposed civil partners _____	900 – 1,500
Dependent relative and family reunion applications _____	900 -1,500
Ancestry visas _____	1,000 – 1,500
Long residence _____	900 – 1,500
Initial application under 7 years Child Residence Route _____	1,500– 2,000
Visit visas (for tourism, or visiting friends / family) _____	750 – 1,200
Human rights / private and family life applications _____	900 – 1,500
Reconsideration and legacy requests _____	900 – 1,500
EU Applications on behalf of EEA nationals and their family members – e.g. residence cards, permanent residence, registration certificates _____	900 – 1,200
Applications for certificates of sponsorship _____	1,000 – 2,000
confirmation of acceptance for studies _____	900 – 1,500
Tier 1 (Entrepreneur), Tier 2 General Work Permit, Tier 5 visas _____	1,000 – 2,000
Asylum applications (fresh or renewed application) _____	900 – 1,200
Bail Application _____	800 – 1,200
Permission to appeal _____	800 - 1,200
APPEALS - All Immigration, Asylum, Human Rights, EU, and Point Based _____	1,200 – 2,000
Judicial review permission stage _____	1,000 – 1,500
Judicial review oral hearing _____	2,500 – 5,000
Application for BRP Card and Travel document _____	500 – 800

The exact and final fees will depend on the circumstances and complexity of your case. Some of the factors that may affect the cost of your immigration matter (not exhaustive) are,

- The amount of supporting evidence that we need to consider
- The number of witnesses,
- Which language(s) you speak
- Whether you are applying with other dependants (e.g. several children, spouse),
- Whether it is a first-time applicant or extension,
- Possible attendance at a Home Office interview, and
- Whether it is a fast tracked / premium application.

If you are able to provide sufficient evidence at our first meeting and clearly meet the applicable Immigration Rules, the cost is likely to be at the lower end of this range.

What services are included

The work we will carry out in your case would involve:

- discussing your circumstances in detail and confirming whether this is the most appropriate application for you to make and what other options may be available to you;
- giving you advice about the requirements of the Immigration Rules and whether you meet the criteria.
- if you do not fulfil certain criteria, whether this can be overcome and how.
- considering the supporting evidence, you have provided,
- where necessary, helping you obtain further evidence (such as medical records and bank statements), including taking statements of any witnesses;
- preparing your application and submitting it on your behalf;
- Attendance at a Home Office interview: if the Home Office ask you to attend an interview, we will give you clear advice (and discuss the possibility of us attending with you if necessary) at the appropriate time.

giving you advice about the outcome of the application and any further steps you need to take.

*Our final fee would depend on the time we envisage it would take us to carry out your case from start to conclusion, the number of documents to read and or produce, whether they need to be translated, whether anything is missing and how long it will take to obtain the missing documents.

Disbursements (are not included in costs set out above): disbursements are costs related to your matter that are payable to third parties, such as visa fees, Barrister fees, Interpreter fees and Translation costs, Independent expert reports e.g. medical experts, independent Social Workers,

Psychologists etc. You would usually transfer the funds for the disbursement to us and we would handle the payment of the disbursements on your behalf to ensure a smooth process.

These are not required in many cases: we will let you know as soon as possible if we consider an expert report is necessary.

If there is an interview and we do attend with you, there will be additional disbursements in respect of our mileage/travel expenses.

Interpreters: interpreter fees are difficult to estimate, and they can rack up, and they are a significant proportion of the overall cost to clients. Sometimes a client may only need a couple of hours with an interpreter, other applications may need 10 or 15 hours.

Please note that the number of hours needed will vary on the complexities of the case, (a list of typical indicators is already mentioned above, which would mean a case will take a higher number of hours).

Often clients may wish to bring a friend or another community figure to come and help interpret, therefore clients do not always have to use an interpreter of the firm's choosing.

The costs quoted above do not include:

- Any [Home Office fees](#) for making the application. You will pay this to the Home Office directly as part of the application process.
- Where the Home Office refuse your application, advice and assistance in relation to any appeal

How long will my application take?

We cannot guarantee how long the Home Office will take to process your application, although this can take up to 6 months. [Read the current processing times](#).

We will normally be able to submit your application within a reasonable time of you instructing us, but we will let you know at the earliest opportunity if it is likely to take longer than this (we would ensure your application goes in before your visa expires).

Please note the anticipated fees are an estimate based on the facts above. All applications are likely to vary and of course, we can give you a more accurate estimate once we have more information about your specific case.

We will inform you of, and provide you with a revised costs information if any unforeseen complexity arises, or where the way in which you ask us to proceed with your case means additional work.

Can I get legal aid for Immigration Law?

Clifton Law Solicitors are currently not able to assist you under Legal Aid, so you will need to pay privately for our services.

Visit our [team page](#) to find out more about the experience and qualifications of individuals who may assist you with your case.