



CITIZENSHIP DUE TO SCHOOL ATTENDANCE IN GREECE

PREREQUISITES

The applicant should

- ✓ Be a minor or adult who has successfully attended either nine primary and secondary classes or six secondary schools in a school in Greece which follows the Greek mandatory curriculum. The OAED schools and the second -chance schools are also included
- ✓ Have a valid residence permit at the time of the application

CAUTION!

- If they have already successfully completed these classes before 9/7/2015 (ie until 8/7/2015)

And were a **minor** when they completed their studies in these classes

- And were minors on 9/7/2015 → they can apply until he is 21 years old
- If they were adults on 9/7/2015 → they can apply until 31/2/2018

If, however, they were **adults** (up to 23 years old), on the completion of these classes → they can apply until 31/12/2018

- If they successfully complete these classes from 9/7/2015 onwards

- And are minors on the completion of attendance in these classes → they can apply until the age of 21
- If they are adults (up to 23 years of age) at the time of successful completion of these classes → they can apply for up to 3 years after this completion

- The final date of completion of the required study is 30 June of the last year of study.

- Kindergarten is not measured

- School attendance must be successful

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DOCUMENTS (7)

1. **APPLICATION FORM FOR THE ACQUISITION OF THE GREEK NATIONALITY**
2. **A) IF BORN IN GREECE → BIRTH CERTIFICATE**
B) IF BORN OUTSIDE GREECE → BIRTH CERTIFICATE VALIDATED BY THE GREEK CONSULAR IN THAT COUNTRY AND FORMALLY TRANSLATED*
STATELESS
C) REFUGEE STATUS
SUBSIDIARY PROTECTION } A CERTIFICATION OF THIS STATUS NEEDS TO BE PROVIDED
3. **PHOTOCOPY OF THE VALID RESIDENCE PERMIT**
4. **PHOTOCOPY OF THE PASSPORT**
5. **CERTIFICATE OF SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF EITHER 9 GRADES OF PRIMARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOL, OR 6 GRADES OF SECONDARY SCHOOL.** This certificate is issued at the Regional Directorate of Primary and Secondary Education
6. **TAX DECLARATION OF THE APPLICANT OR THEIR PARENTS**
7. **A 100 EURO FEE (E-PARAVOLO)**
You can get this from www.gsis.gr or from a KEP and then pay at a bank

* The certificates should be officially translated from the Translation Service of the ministry of Foreign Affairs **or** the Consular Service of the country of origin **or** from a Greek lawyer **or** from a translator who has graduated the Ionian University School of Translation and **not from private offices.**

** The applicants are urged to give priority to the certificates from school as it might be a quite long procedure to acquire them

*** If the applicant is an adult, they can also submit an optional “Solemn Declaration” for the adaptation of their name and surname into the Greek language