



**MEDIA STATEMENT
IMMIGRATION DEPARTMENT OF MALAYSIA
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MYTRAVELPASS EXEMPTION FOR MALAYSIAN CITIZENS

The Immigration Department of Malaysia (JIM) would like to inform that effective 1 October 2021, all Malaysian citizens who wish to leave the country for any of the purposes below, are given an exemption from applying for MyTravelPass (MTP) approval:-

1. New students who recently received an offer to study at a foreign university, with 2 escorts.
2. Current students continuing their studies abroad with 2 escorts;
3. Students sitting for exams abroad with 2 escorts;
4. Emergency matters such as death and critical illness;
5. Reuniting a wife or husband abroad where the marriage was only registered abroad;
6. Participating in sporting events, seminars and meetings;
7. Joining any humanitarian relief mission.

The Department would also like to clarify that Malaysian diplomats and foreign diplomats remain exempted from needing to apply for the MTP as per the existing ruling.

All documents related to the purpose of travel must be shown to the Immigration Officers on duty at the counters at any international gateway of the country.

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