

# **Banking with DBS**

Branchless, paperless, effortless



# At DBS, we want to make banking joyful so that you can live more, bank less.

Our guide will take you through the documents and steps required to open a bank account with us.

This can all be done digitally, from the comfort of your phone. You do not need to visit a bank branch anymore.





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Documents
Required for
Account Opening



### Here's What You'll Need for Your Application

Use Singpass to reduce the number of documents to submit!



### **Application with Singpass**

#### 1. Identification Document

- For Singaporeans/Permanent Residents, not required
- For Malaysians, front & back of Malaysian IC
- For Other nationalities, Passport biodata page

#### 2. Additional Documents\*:

- **Document with Residential Address** (\*needed only if not using address stated in Myinfo)
- **Proof of Tax Residency** (\*needed only if tax residency outside of Singapore)
- Proof of Mobile number Ownership (\*needed only if mobile number already exists in the bank's record)

#### **Application without Singpass**

#### 1. Identification Document

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#### 2. Singapore-issued Pass

- Card or digital IC (Student's Pass, Dependant's Pass, etc), OR
- In-Principle Approval (IPA) letter from ICA

#### 3. Document with Residential Address

- School Certification Letter, OR
- Utility / Mobile Phone Bill under your name

#### l. Proof of Tax Residency

- For Singapore Tax Residency
  - > digital IC, **OR** In-Principle Approval (IPA) letter from ICA
- For other country/jurisdictions
  - > Passport biodata page, OR National ID Card, OR
  - Others (residence permit/birth cert/ government-issued documents from tax authority showing recent filing of income tax)

#### **Proof of Mobile Ownership** (if mobile number already exists in the bank's record)

Certification letter from your Telco provider

#### Note

School letterhead, signature & authority stamps must be included, with Full Name & Residential Address tallying with your application details.

### **Banking for Students**





#### **DBS My Account**

- All-in-one banking account to save, spend, pay bills, and more
- Store up to 13 currencies
- No FX conversion fees
- No initial deposit
- No minimum balance
- No service fees



#### **DBS Visa Debit Card**

- Comes free with any DBS account
- Up to 4% cashback on online food delivery, local transport and foreign currency
- Up to 5% cashback on your overseas spending
- Tap for public transport in Singapore

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Step-by-step Guide for Account Opening via digibank App

<u>with</u> Singpass







### Account Opening in 2 Simple Steps using Singpass & digibank App

## Step 1

Registration can only

be done via Singpass Online – not via the

mobile app!

Register for Singpass Online & Download Singpass App

a. **Register** for <u>Singpass Online</u> with:

- ✓ Your Singapore Registered Mobile Number
- ✓ Your Singapore Residential Address
- ✓ Your Email Address

Click <u>here</u> for step-by-step Singpass Registration.

b. Download **Singpass app** on your mobile & Login.







c. Ensure your **personal details** is reflected on Singpass app. Click <u>here</u> to see how to check.

## Step 2

Download digibank App & Apply with Singpass

a. Download **digibank app** on your mobile.





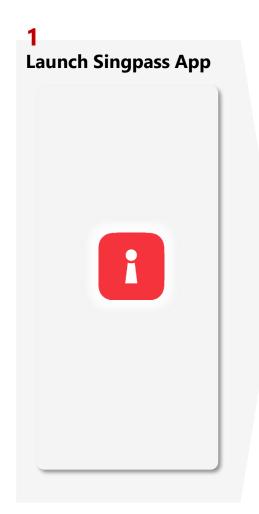


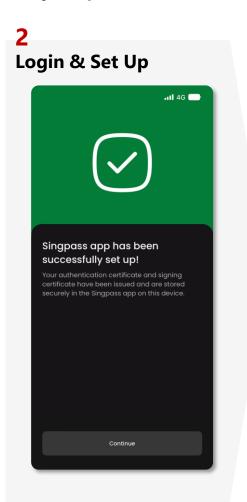


- b. Select 'Continue with Singpass'
- c. Upload all <u>Required Documents</u> in the right format, if required.

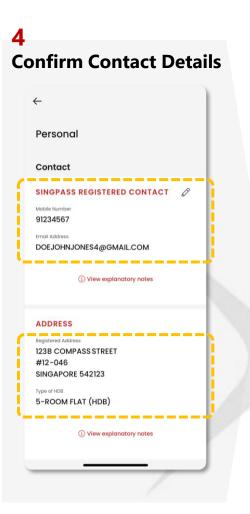
### Before you begin - Check Personal Details in Singpass App

Changes to your personal details will take about 5-7 working days to be reflected









Ensure your <u>personal details</u> are displayed in your Singpass app <u>before</u> you open an account via digibank app *using Singpass*.



# Singpass Registration

A guide to registering for a Singpass account

# What is Singpass?



Singpass is Singapore residents' trusted digital identity for convenient and secure access to thousands of government and private sector services, online and in person.

# Why do I need a Singpass account?



Log in to
Singapore Examinations
Assessment Board (SEAB)
portal and application
portals for Joint Admissions
Exercise (JAE), Joint Intake
Exercise (JIE) and
Polytechnic Foundation
Programme (PFP)



Use your **Digital IC** at Government counters to verify your identity



Automatically **fill forms**using Myinfo for
participating services
(e.g. debit card
application)

... and more!



# Can I have a Singpass account?

- i Please check that you fulfill these eligibility requirements:
  - I am at least 15 years old; <u>and</u>
  - I am a Singapore Citizen, Permanent Resident or Foreign Identification Number (FIN) holder

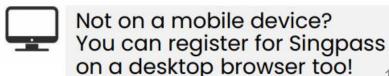
Ensure that the address on your NRIC or FIN card is correct. If you need to update your address with the relevant authorities, please click here.

# Register for Singpass Using your mobile phone web-browser

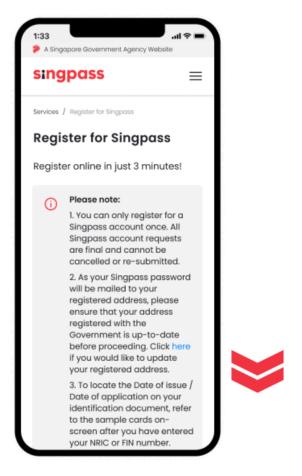
Go to www.singpass.gov.sg. Select 'Register for Singpass' in the menu.

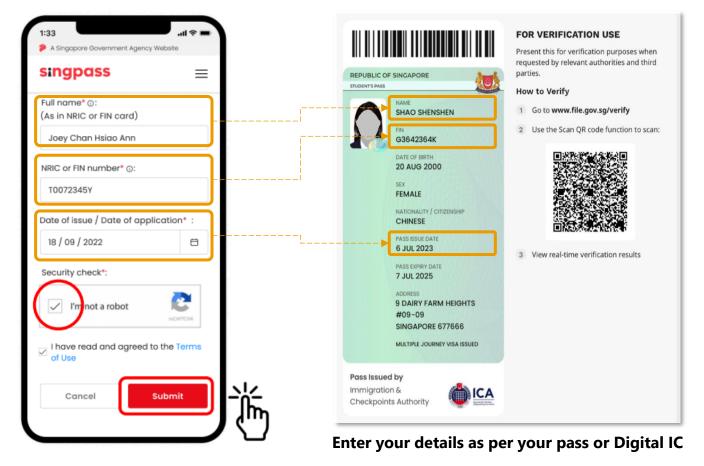




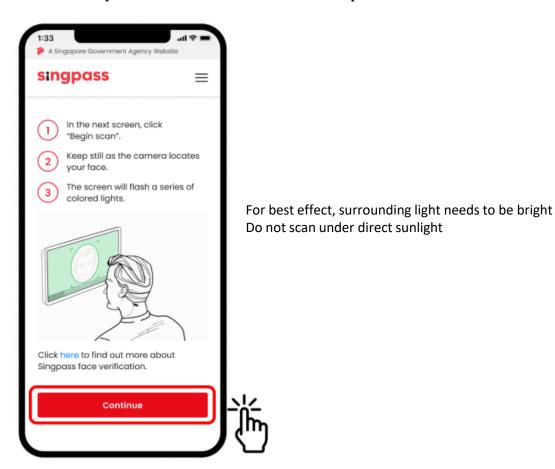


Enter the required details and check the boxes 'I'm not a robot' and 'I have read and agree to the Terms of Use'. Tap on 'Submit'.

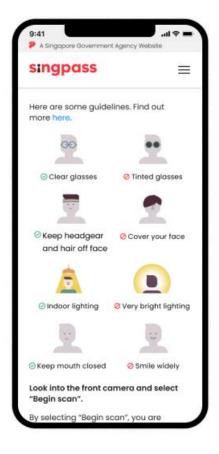




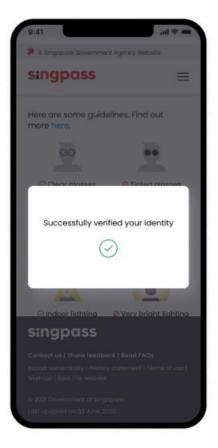
Read the instructions on the page and tap on '**Continue**' to proceed with Face Verification.



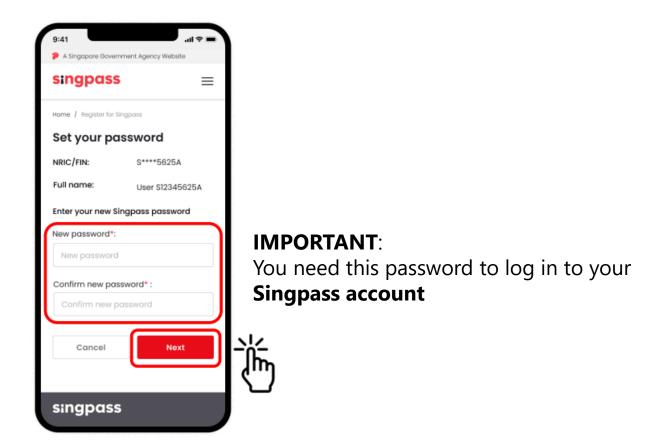
Read the guidelines. To allow the use of your device's camera for Face Verification, select 'Allow' when prompted, and tap on 'Begin Scan'.



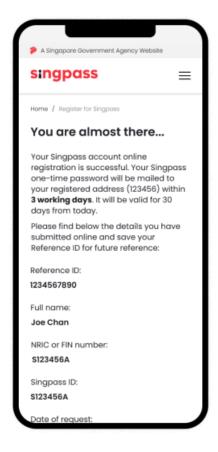




Check that your details are correct. **Set your new password** by filling in the 'New Password' and 'Confirm new password' fields. Tap on 'Next'.



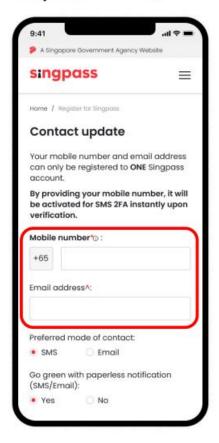
Tap on 'Proceed to set up account' to update your contact details and complete your account setup.





- i. Registered postal code will be displayed for users with a Singapore-registered address.
- ii. Passport number will be displayed for users with an overseas-registered address.

7 Enter your mobile number and/or email address. Select your preferred mode of contact, and if you wish to go green with paperless notifications. Tap on 'Next'.

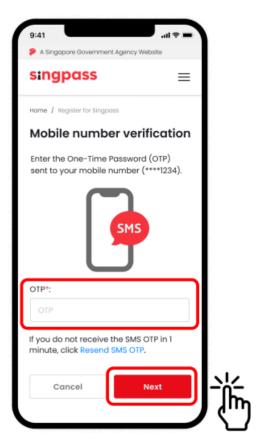


If you are unable to provide your contact details, you may select 'Skip'.



- The mobile number is a mandatory field only if your registered address is a local address.
- ii. Only Singapore-registered mobile numbers can be used to set up a Singpass account and SMS 2FA.
- iii. Overseas users with an overseas-registered address are only required to provide their email address.

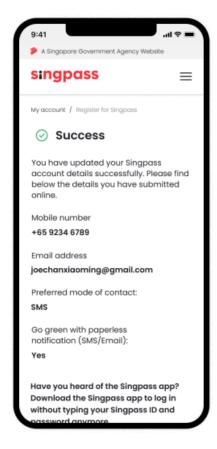
If you have provided a **mobile number** during the registration, a One-Time Password (OTP) will be sent to your mobile number. **Enter the OTP** and tap on 'Next'.



If you have provided an **email address** during the registration, a One-Time Password (OTP) will be sent to your email. **Enter the OTP** and tap on 'Next'.

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You have successfully set up your Singpass account. You may now log in to your Singpass account with your newly set up password.





Use Singpass app to access services without entering long passwords!

Just scan a QR code and verify your identity using your fingerprint, face or six-digit passcode.

# Install the Singpass app

after you have successfully registered for Singpass account

Download the Singpass app developed by the 'Government Technology Agency' from the official app stores.



For iOS users:

App Store





For Android users: go.gov.sg/spm-play-store





For Huawei users: go.gov.sg/spm-huawei-appgallery



Tip: You can also install the Singpass app on a smart device like a tablet. The Singpass app works on any smart device with an Internet connection, including WiFi.





# Set up the Singpass app

For your 1st login

Follow the in-app instructions.



#### **Verify your identity**

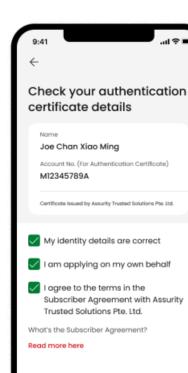
Log in with your Singpass ID and password, SMS OTP and perform Face Verification.



#### Obtain your digital certificate

Confirm your certificate details by selecting the checkboxes and tap on 'Continue'.

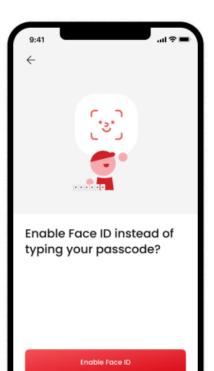




### 3

#### Set a passcode for your app

Set a six-digit passcode for you to verify your identity when using Singpass app. You may also enable biometric authentication.



#### Singpass ID: Your Foreign

Identification
Number (FIN)

#### Password:

Password you created in Step 5 of Singpass registration

# You have completed your Singpass account registration.

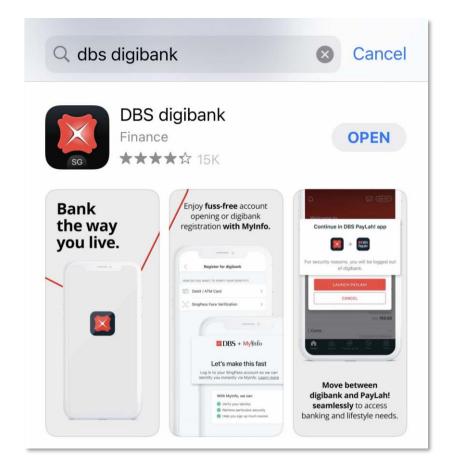
If you have more questions, please check out the <u>Singpass FAQs.</u>



# Download digibank app & Apply with Singpass

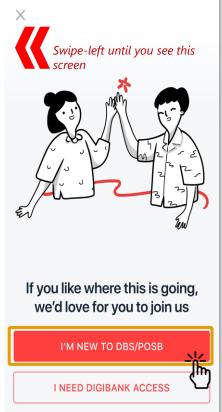


1 Download **DBS digibank** via your mobile app store



2 Launch app, select **Sign up for digibank** & **I'm new to DBS / POSB** to begin. Enter application code if applicable.





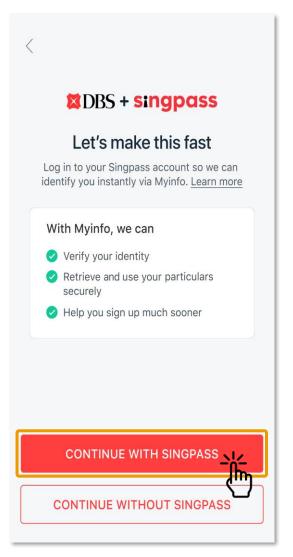


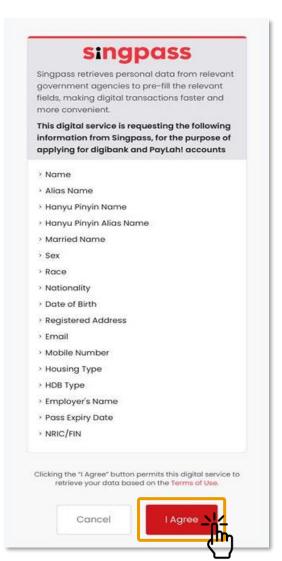
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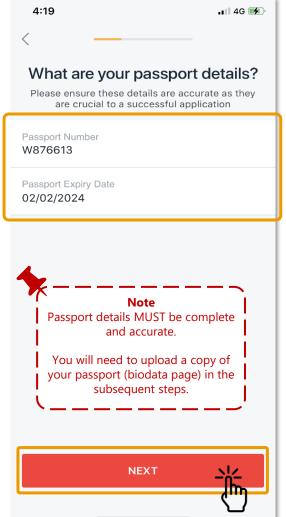
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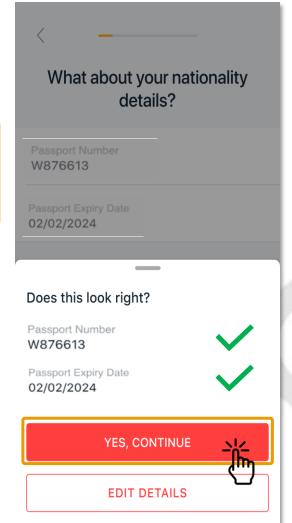




### 4 Input and confirm your Identity details

- Malaysian IC for Malaysians
- Passport Number & Passport Expiry Date for other nationalities

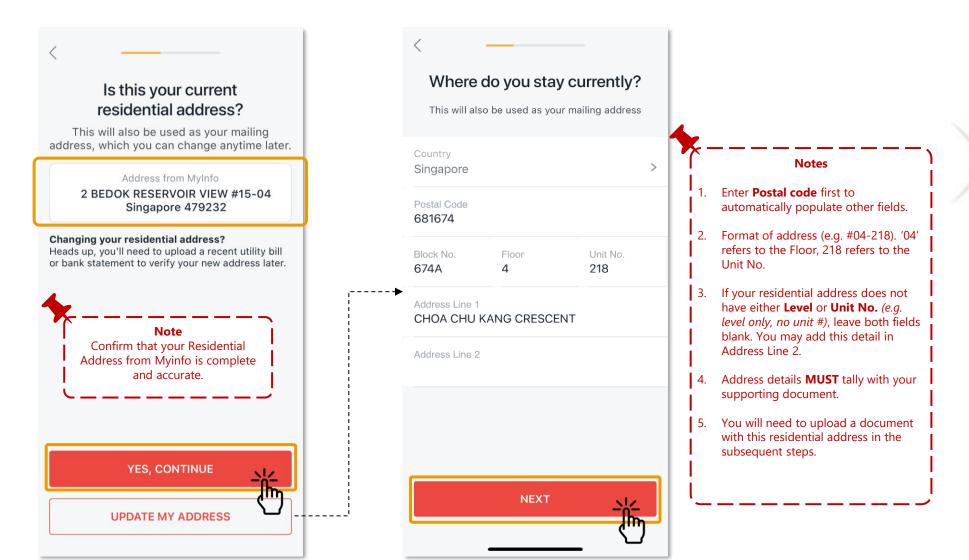




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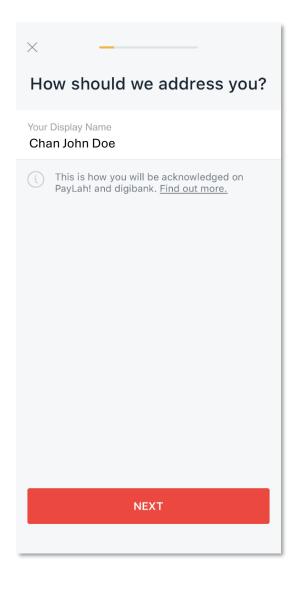
### Check the residential address to receive your debit card.

Upload an address proof if this is not updated

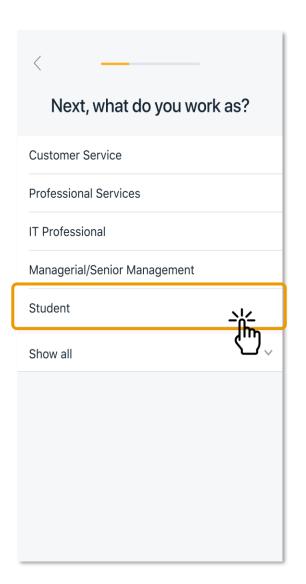


If the address displayed on this screen is not correct, select the "UPDATE MY ADDRESS" button.

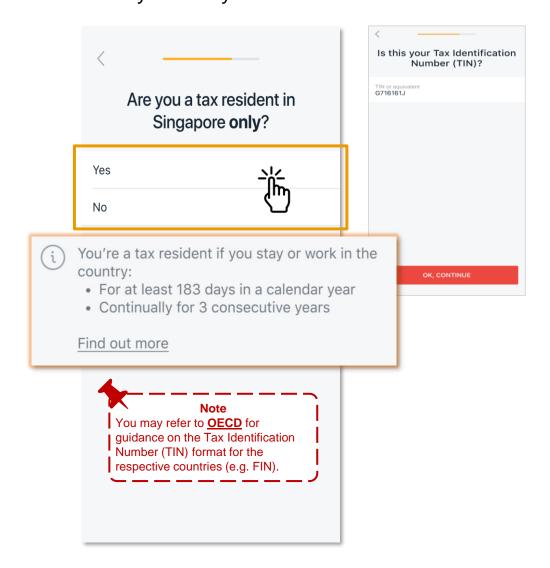
### 6 Enter your preferred **Display Name**



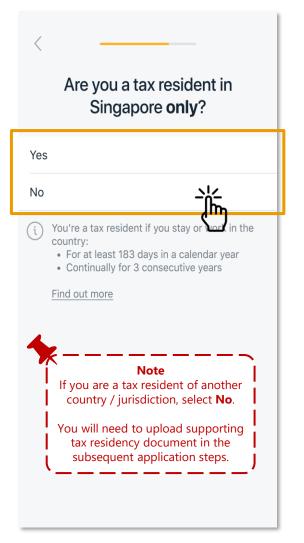
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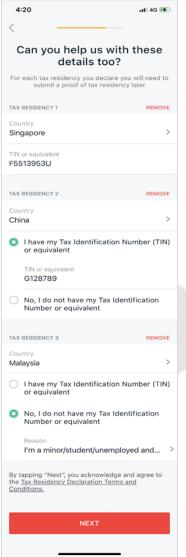


Select **Yes** if you are not paying taxes in your home country and/or if you will be in Singapore for at least 183 days in the year

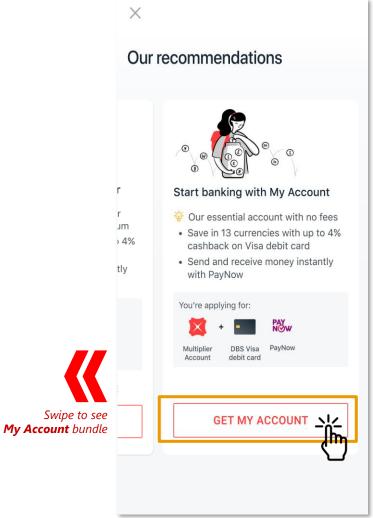


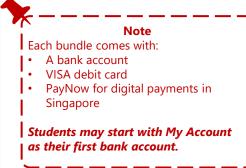
Select **No** if you are a tax resident of another country / jurisdiction, and select your tax residency country (you may add more than 1 if required)





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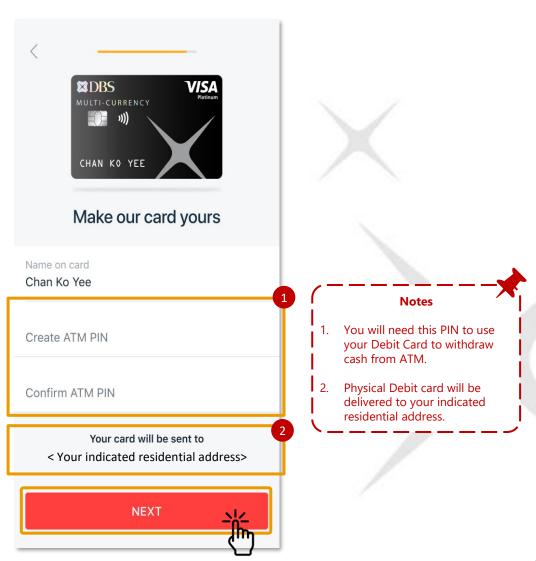




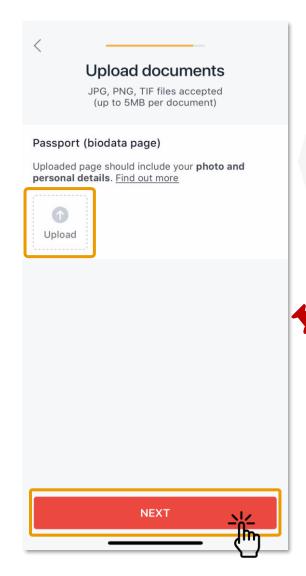
Click on the links to learn more:

- My Account
- <u>Multiplier</u>





### 11 Upload all required documents



• For Malaysians, upload front and back of Malaysian IC



• For **other** nationalities, upload passport biodata page



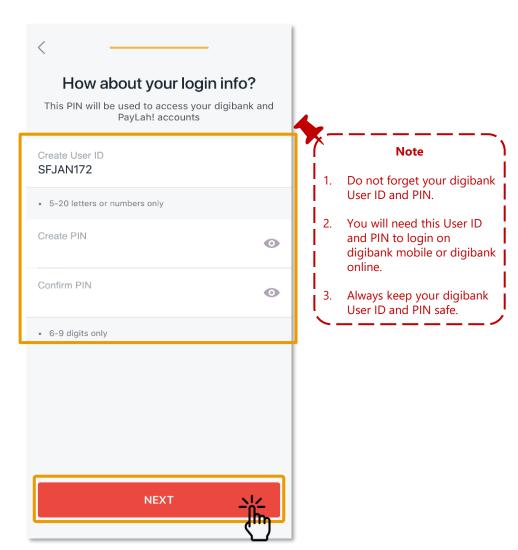
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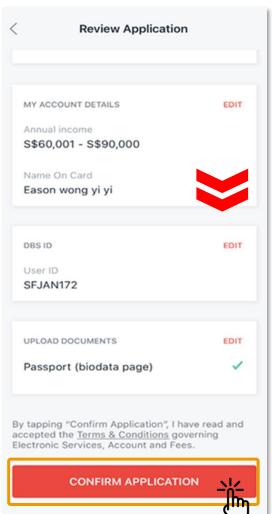
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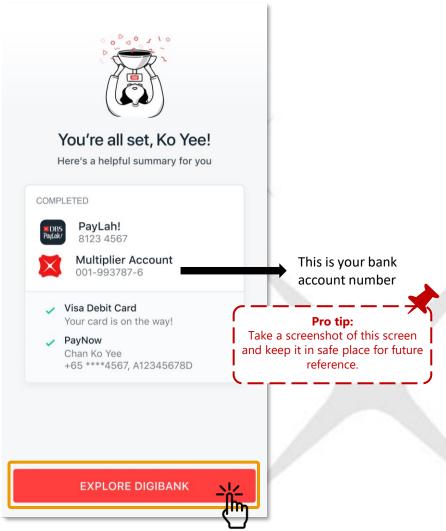
Click on link below for more details:

**Account Opening Required Documents** 

### 12 Setup your digital bank login info, review and you are done!







Proceed to Digibank to check out your bank account, set up digital token and use it for your everyday banking needs.

### When you receive your Debit Card

13 Activate your debit card by following the instructions in the mailer







Step-by-step Guide for Account Opening via digibank App

without Singpass









## Account Opening without using Singpass

Submit application via digibank app

2 Activate
Debit Card

Register digibank access

Set up
Digital
Token

- 1. Download digibank app
- Select "CONTINUE WITHOUT SINGPASS" option
- 3. Input all required details
- 4. Upload all <u>supporting</u> documents

Your application will be processed within 3-5 working days.

If additional document or information is required, you will receive a follow up email.

Activate your Debit Card via SMS Banking or DBS/POSB ATM

Once your application is approved, your debit card will be mailed to your residential address within 3-4 working days.

Here are the <u>steps to activate</u> <u>debit card</u>.

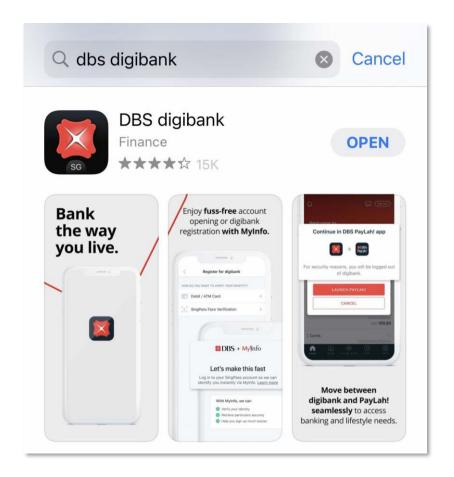
Once your debit card is activated, you can use it to register for digibank access.

Here are the steps to register for digibank.

ON your next login in digibank app, you will be prompted to setup your Digital Token.

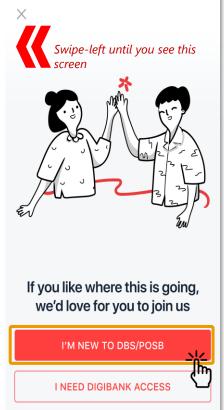
Here are more information on <u>Digital Token</u>.

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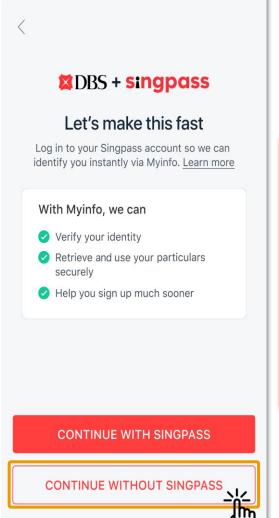


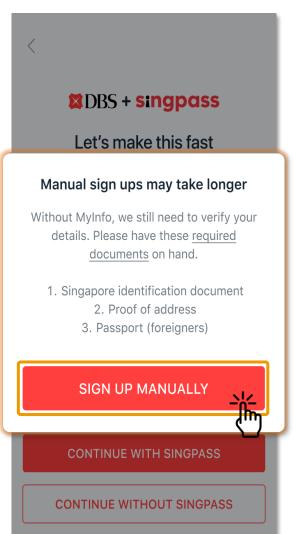


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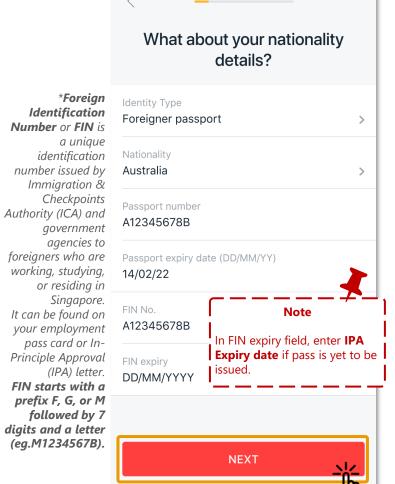
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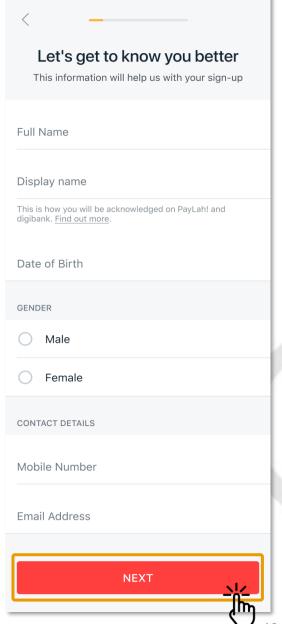
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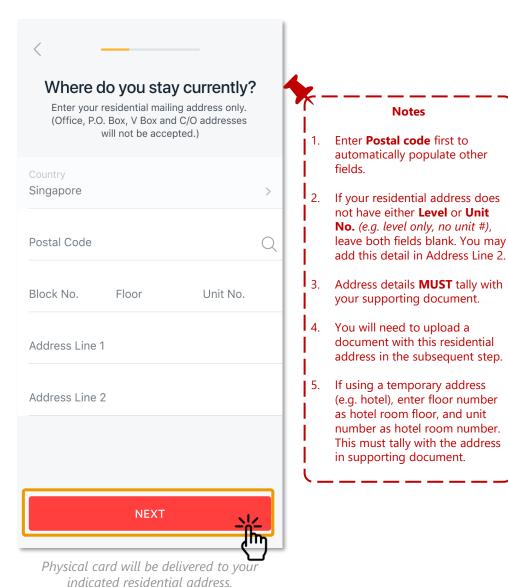
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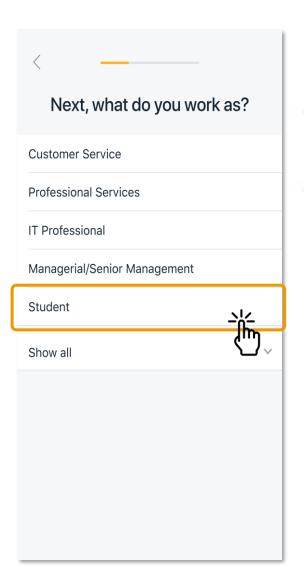


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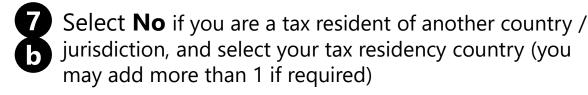
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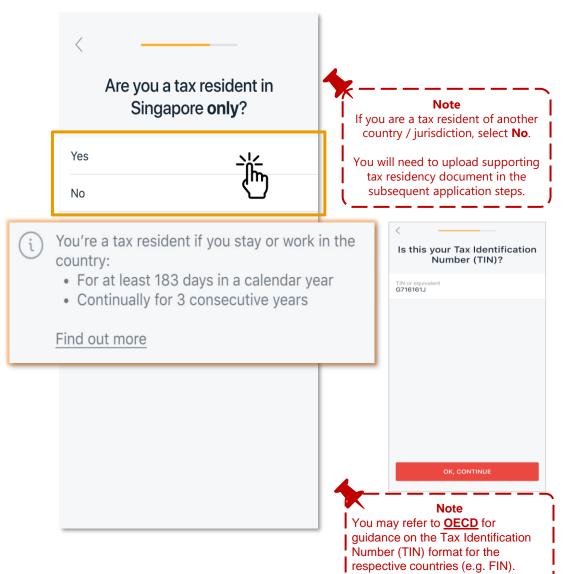


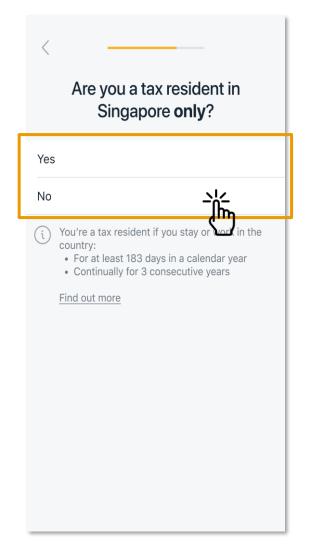
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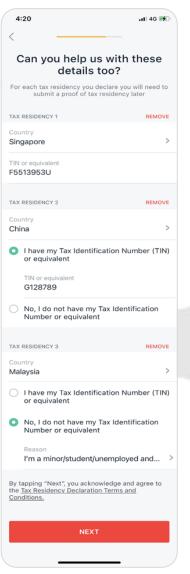


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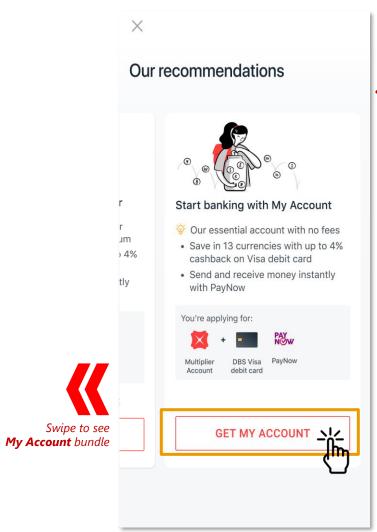








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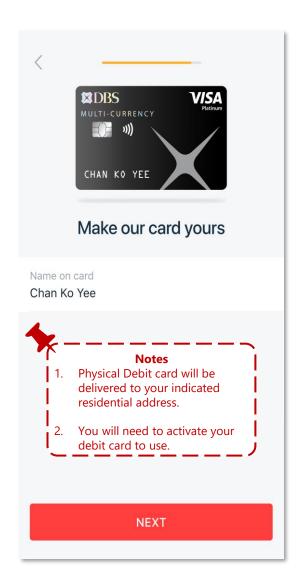




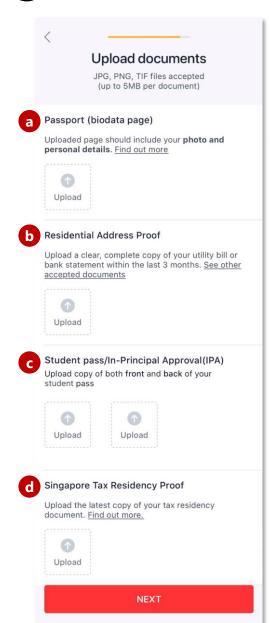
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Input name to be printed on the debit card



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- 1. IPA from ICA can only be used as either (b) Residential Address proof or (c) Education proof. Cannot be used for both.
- 2. If multiple tax residency is declared, **Proof of tax residency** will be required for each country/jurisdiction of tax residency.
- 3. Passport may be used as (a) Identity proof and (d) Tax residency proof

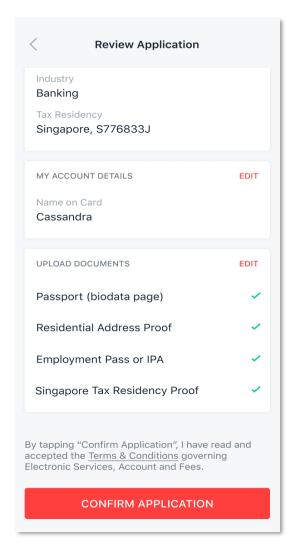
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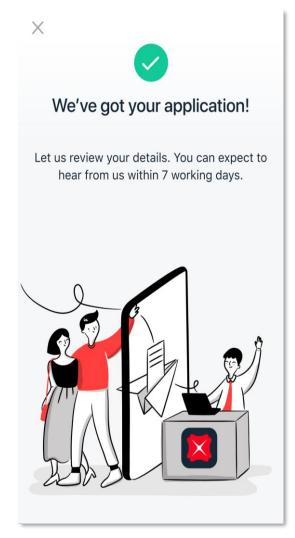
It is advisable to upload file from your photo library instead of taking new photo.

Click on link below for more details:

**Account Opening Required Documents** 

## 11 Review and Submit your application





#### Note:

1. The bank will review your application and supporting documents within 3-5 working days.

You can check the status of your application in **Application Status Portal** 



If **additional information or document is required**, you will receive a follow up email with the required document information and instruction where to submit document.

**Account Opening Required Documents** 



If your application is **unsuccessful**, you will receive an Email notification. Ensure your details and documents are correct and accurate in your new application.



If your application is **successful**, account will be opened and debit card will be mailed to your registered address within 3-4 working days.

- 2. You need to **activate your debit card** to use your account. Use SMS Banking or visit nearest DBS/POSB ATM or VTM.
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## When you receive your debit card

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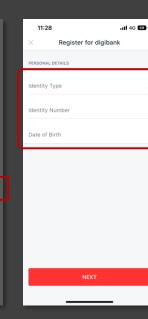
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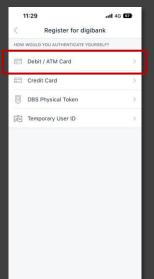


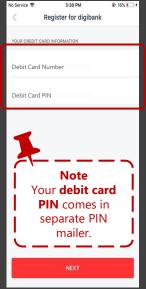


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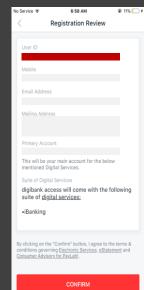


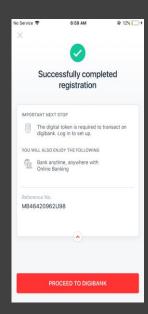












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#### 2. Additional Documents\*:

- **Document with Residential Address** (\*needed only if not using address stated in Myinfo)
- **Proof of Tax Residency** (\*needed only if tax residency outside of Singapore)
- **Proof of Mobile number Ownership** (\*needed only if mobile number already exists in the bank's record)

## **Application without Singpass**

#### 1. Identification Document

- For Malaysians, front & back of Malaysian IC
- For Other nationalities, Passport biodata page

#### 2. Singapore-issued Pass

- Card or digital IC (Student's Pass, Dependant's Pass, etc), OR
- In-Principle Approval (IPA) letter from MOM or ICA

#### 3. Document with Residential Address

- School Certification Letter, OR
- Utility / Mobile Phone Bill under your name

#### 4. Proof of Tax Residency

- For Singapore Tax Residency
  - > digital IC, OR In-Principle Approval (IPA) letter from ICA
- For other country/jurisdictions
  - > Passport biodata page, OR National ID Card, OR
  - Others (residence permit/birth cert/ government-issued documents from tax authority showing recent filing of income tax)

#### 5. **Proof of Mobile Ownership** (if mobile number already exists in the bank's record)

Certification letter from your Telco provider

#### Note

School letterhead, signature & authority stamps must be included, with Full Name & Residential Address tallying with your application details.



## **Document Submission Do's & Don'ts**

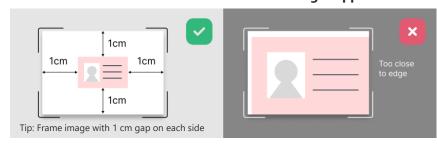
#### Avoid delays on your application by submitting valid documents.

We will notify you via email if any of your documents does not meet the criteria. You may then send the requested documents via **Application Status Portal**.

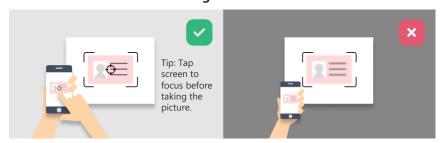
#### 1. Submit documents that match your application form



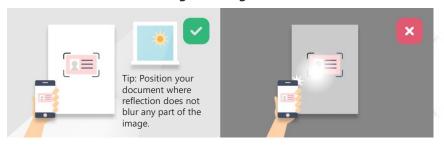
#### 3. Prevent details of documents from being cropped out



#### 5. Submit images that are in focus



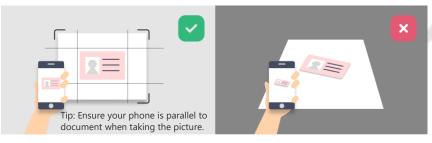
#### 2. Avoid blurring/blocking document details

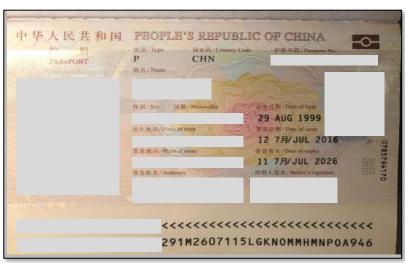


#### 4. Submit complete identity document



### 6. Avoid skewed distortions of your image





### **Not Accepted**



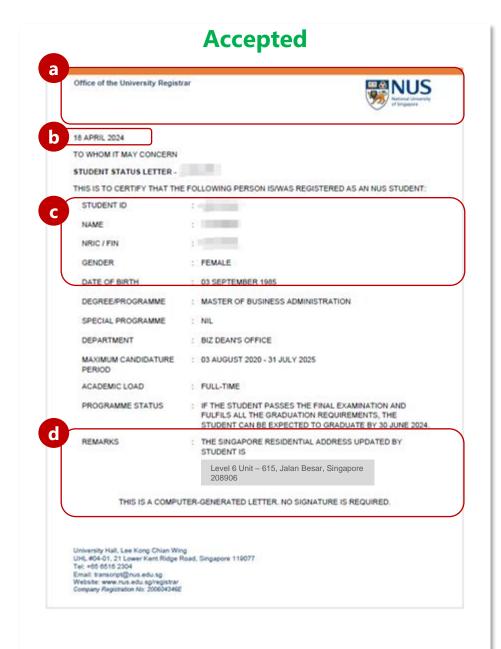
# **Samples for Reference** (Identity Document)

## Passport biodata page must be clear and showing all details

Sample below was not accepted due to:

- a Light reflection blurring details, and
- **b** Bottom of the passport was cut off or covered



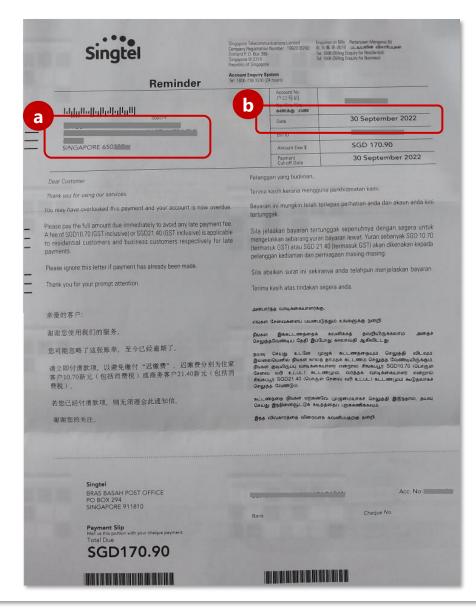


# Samples for Reference (Proof of Residential Address)

## **School Certification letter must be clear and complete**

- NUS eLetter template must be used
- Letter should be valid within 3 months before the date of application
- Full name and personal particulars must tally with the details in application form
- Residential address can be temporary Singapore Address (e.g. Hotel address with unit number)





# Samples for Reference (Proof of Residential Address)

## **Telco Bill must be clear and complete**

- Full name and complete address must tally with the details in application form
- Bill should be valid within 3 months before the date of application





REPUBLIC OF SINGAPORE

STUDENT'S PASS



JOEY CHAN HSIAO AN (ZENG XIAO AN)

FIN

G8765456A

12 MAY 1980

SEX FEMALE

NATIONALITY / CITIZENSHIP

INDONESIAN

PASS ISSUE DATE 26 AUG 2023

PASS EXPRY DATE

**ADDRESS** 

123 GOLDWATER AVE

#01-55

SINGAPORE 345123

#### Pass Issued by

Immigration & Checkpoints Authority



#### FOR VERIFICATION USE

Present this for verification purposes when requested by relevant authorities and third parties.

#### How to verify

- 1 Go to www.file.gov.sg/verify
- 2 Use the Scan QR code function to scan:



3 View real-time verification results

# Samples for Reference (Proof of Education in Singapore)

## **Digital Pass (Student's Pass)** must be clear and not truncated

- Full name and other details must tally with the details in application form
- Student's pass must be within validity period (based on date of issue and expiry)





# Samples for Reference (Proof of Education in Singapore)

## In-Principle Approval letter from ICA must be clear and not truncated

- Full name and other details must tally with the details in application form
- **IPA** should be within validity period

## When you receive your debit card

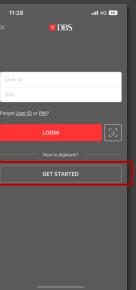
12 Activate your debit card by following the instructions in the mailer

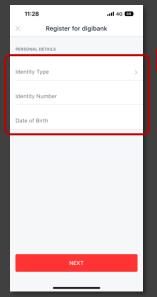


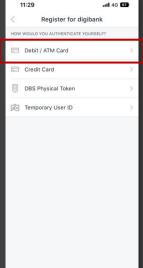


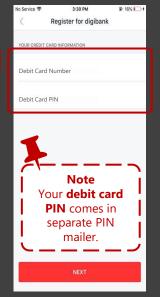
13 Register for digibank using your activated debit card and PIN

















### **Frequently Asked Questions**

1 How do I transfer funds from my overseas bank account to my new DBS Singapore account?

To receive funds in your new DBS Bank Account from an overseas party, provide the sender with the following details:

- Your Name as per the records of DBS Bank
- Your DBS Bank Account number
- Name of Beneficiary Bank: DBS Bank
- Address of Beneficiary Bank: 12 Marina Boulevard, DBS Asia Central, Marina Bay Financial Centre Tower 3, Singapore 018982
- Country: Singapore
- SWIFT Address/Code: DBSSSGSG

Note: All incoming transfers are processed based on the above details. You **do not need to provide a branch name / branch code**. DBS Bank does not have an IBAN, Routing Number or Sort Code.

Refer here for latest information.

2 How do I update my ATM/Debit Card limits?

Your Visa Debit Card comes with a default maximum withdrawal and spending limit. To update your limits, visit the following step by step guide to update your ATM/Debit Card's NETS, Withdrawal and 3rd Party Funds Transfer limit instantly.

## Need more help...



If you require additional support with your application, please reach us **here**.

Our officers will reach out via a phone call to you.





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## **End of guide**

