

Visa requirements

If you are planning a trip to Algeria, you most likely need to apply for a visa before travelling. Most visitors to Algeria must get a visa from one of the designated Algerian diplomatic missions (consulates or embassies) unless the traveler comes from one of the visa-free countries.



Visa not required

Country

The citizens of the following designated countries as well as refugees and stateless persons residing in these countries can stay 90 days in Algeria as long as their purpose of visit is tourism or business.

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| Libya | Morocco |
| Malaysia | Sahrawi Arab Democratic Republic |
| Mali | Seychelles |
| Maldives | Syrian Arab Republic |
| Mali | Tunisia |
| Mauritania | Yemen |

The Algerian authorities have facilitated entry visas into the country for foreigners in order to encourage tourists to visit Algeria and all over the south

The visa is received at the airport after requesting (by filling out a form) the agencies from the concerned ministry (tourism) to bring in a foreign tourist group or deal with foreign travel agencies. And pertaining to desert tourism.

The validity of the visa is 10 days, extendable to a maximum of one month.

The form is filled out by tourism and travel agencies.

Requirements:

- Copies of passports for foreign tourists.
- The tourism program is then sent to the Ministry of Tourism.
- If travelling to the desert, include the hotel reservation.

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All other countries must obtain a consulate or embassy visa for Algeria from an Algerian consulate or embassy office in person well in advance of their intended travel days. A paper visa for Algeria is currently necessary regardless of whether the applicant needs a tourist visa, business visa, transit visa, work visa, student visa, or another visa alternative.

The stay allowed and validity of an Algeria visa from an embassy, as well as whether it is assigned as a single entry or multiple entry document, depends on the purpose of the visit.

The required documents for a Algerian visa application are the following:

1 Original passport valid for at least 6 months from the day of your online Algeria visa application.

2 Official forms from the Algerian Embassy correctly filled and signed.

Passport-size pictures.

Return flight ticket.

2 recent passport photos (The VISA OFFICE can print your passport photos for you. Simply send them the scan by email).

1 Photocopy of the identity page of the passport.

1 Certificate of accommodation of less than three (03) months legalized by the city hall of the place of residence in Algeria of the person who invites by attaching his identity card. If the visa applicant is accompanied by his/her children, their names must appear on the accommodation certificate.

1 Letter of mission from your company dated, signed and stamped mentioning the reasons for the stay in Algeria and any additional expenses (accommodation,...).

1 Letter of invitation from your correspondent in Algeria

1 Proof of income: salary slip, work certificate, employment office, certificate of active solidarity income (RSA), kbis. If you are not employed, please provide a statement on your honor specifying your situation.

1 travel insurance certificate covering the entire validity of the visa in Algeria .

How to Apply for an Algerian Visa?

You must apply for an Algerian visa at an Algerian Embassy / diplomatic mission in your country. The exact application process changes depending on your country and the Algerian representative office. However, it can be summed up as follows:

1. Make an appointment at the Algerian consulate or embassy.
2. Gather the required documents.
3. Submit them at the Moroccan embassy or consulate.
4. Deadline for obtaining visas: at least 7 working days from the date of delivery of the complete documentation with payment.

If you apply by mail, include a pre-paid, self-addressed envelope for the embassy/consulate to return your passport and documents.

If you apply by a proxy, include a notarized letter of authorization to apply on your behalf.

Cost of visa varies per country. Expect €80 - €100

The Algeria visa travel health insurance must cover the cost of at least €30,000 for illness, accidents, and repatriation for the entire duration of your stay.