

Uganda requires visitors to secure a visa unless they come from one of the countries under the East African Tourist Visa (EATV) arrangement—covering Uganda, Rwanda, Kenya, and Kenya.

<https://www.immigration.go.ug/services/tourist-visa>



All foreign citizens need a valid eVisa, except for citizens from countries who are exempt.

Visa-Free Entry:

Citizens of the following countries do not need a visa for Uganda for stays up to 90 days (unless noted).

Always verify with official sources before travel, as policies can change.

Other nationalities typically require a single-entry tourist visa or the EATV.

Angola	Gambia	Sierra Leone
Antigua and Barbuda	Grenada	Singapore
Bahamas	Jamaica	Solomon Islands
Barbados	Kenya (EAC)	South Sudan (EAC)
Belize	Lesotho	St. Vincent and the Grenadines,
Burundi	Madagascar	Swaziland/Eswatini
Comoros	Malawi	Tanzania (EAC)
Cyprus	Mauritius	TongaVanuatu
Democratic Republic of Congo (EAC)	Rwanda (EAC)	Zambia
Eritrea	Seychelles	Zimbabwe
Fiji		

Note: Travelers from visa-exempt countries must still present a valid passport, and often proof of onward travel and sufficient funds.

East African Community (EAC) Citizens: Citizens of EAC member states (Kenya, Uganda, Tanzania, Burundi, South Sudan, and Democratic Republic of Congo) are granted visa-free entry for up to 6 months.

Visa Approval Authorisation validity is 90 days (three months) from the day of Approval.

Cost of visa, single entry: USD50

Visa on Arrival (VoA)

While technically available for many nationalities, it is not recommended. Lines can be long, requirements may be unclear, and payment options limited. The pre-approved e-Visa is faster and more reliable, ensuring a smooth entry.

eVisa

We advise you to apply for a visa at least one month before departure

<https://www.visas.immigration.go.ug/#/apply>

Steps for an e-Visa Application:

Please make sure you have the following documents:

- o Copy of your passport (must be valid for at least 6 months after returning from your trip to Uganda)
- o Copy of recent passport size photo
- o A vaccination certificate (Yellow Fever)
- o Return ticket
- o All documents in pdf, jpeg, png

Fill in the form:

o Visit Uganda only:

§ **Visa or permit type: Visa**

§ Category: Uganda Ordinary/Tourist Visa

§ Subcategory: Single entry

§ USD 50

o Visit 2 countries or more (or multiple entry in Uganda): East Africa / multi entry visa:

§ Visa or permit type: Visa

§ Category: East Africa Tourist Visa

§ **Subcategory: East Africa Tourist Visa**

§ USD 100

§ Participating in the East African visa: Uganda, Rwanda and Kenya

· You can pay your visa online or pay on arrival

· When you send the form, you will immediately receive a tracking code. This code helps you to keep track of how far your application has progressed. You can check its status from this webpage

· The Ugandan authorities will send you a letter in the email after they have approved your application (please check your SPAM folder too)

· Print this letter and bring it with you when you arrive at Entebbe International Airport or at the overland border

· **You need this letter to get your visa or to purchase the entree visa there for USD 50 (Uganda) or USD 100 (East Africa or Multi Entry)**

For each visa you need to upload the following documents:

· Copy of your passport (photo page with bio-data). Validity of at least 6 months after returning from Uganda

· Recent Passport size photograph

· Copy of Vaccination Certificate Yellow Fever (copy or photo of your “Yellow booklet”, Certificate of Vaccination, page with Yellow Fever vaccination)

· Return Ticket

evisa.com/requirements/

East African Tourist Visa (EATV)

This visa is issued to a foreign tourist who intends to visit countries signatories to the agreement on the establishment of the East Africa Tourist Visa and its revenue sharing or any similar agreement.

This visa is issued upon arrival at the border post, online, at the office of a diplomatic mission of Uganda in the applicant's country of residence or at any other place as may be determined by the Directorate General.

Allows multiple entries into Uganda, Rwanda, and Kenya

Validity: It is valid for 90 days and is a multiple-entry visa within the three participating countries.

Fee: USD 100 (shared among the three countries)

Application: You must apply for the EATV through the immigration department of the first country you intend to enter among Rwanda, Kenya, or Uganda.

Requirements: Similar to a standard tourist visa, you'll need a valid passport, photos, and a clear itinerary.