

# UKRAINE VISA INFORMATION PACK

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# 1. GENERAL INFORMATION

- According to the agreement signed between Turkey and Ukraine and entered into force on August 1, 2012, Turkish citizens holding public (red) passports, special (green) passports, diplomatic (black) passports and service (grey) passports are allowed within 180 days, provided that it does not exceed 90 days. able to travel to the country. Since the agreement covers only touristic trips, those who will travel to the country for reasons such as education and trade must obtain a visa. It is possible to enter the country with a valid passport or only chip ID cards. At the same time, an official document stating the purpose of entry into the country and a minimum of 50 USD or Euro cash per person are also requested.
- Citizens of 65 countries, including Turkey, are exempted from Ukraine visa. European Union member states also benefit from the same freedom. Argentina, which is among these countries, within 365 days, provided that it does not exceed 90 days; Bosnia-Herzegovina, Serbia and Brunei within 60 days, provided that it does not exceed 30 days; Hong Kong is visa-free for up to 14 days. Citizens of Georgia, Moldova, Armenia, Uzbekistan and Azerbaijan can travel without a visa for an unlimited period of time .
- As of April 16, 2017, citizens of some countries were allowed to enter the country without the need for an invitation letter. These countries include Mexico, New Zealand, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Singapore, United Arab Emirates, Australia, Albania, Bahrain, Guatemala, Kuwait and Malaysia.
- Diplomatic and service passport holders of Qatar, Cuba, Uruguay, Egypt, Kuwait, Vietnam, Albania, Iran, Venezuela, Morocco, Singapore, Thailand, China, Peru, Cambodia, Dominican Republic, Laos and Turkmenistan are exempt from visa. Mexican and Indian citizens with diplomatic passports can also travel visa-free.

## 2. TOURIST VISA

- Ukraine tourist visa is issued to third country nationals who are requested to get an entry visa to visit the country for only tourism and entertainment reasons. Tourist visas can be issued in the form of e-visas if the applicant is a national of an eligible country.

### 3. TYPE- D (LONG-TERM STAY) VISA

- Long-term visa ensures the applicant right to visit Ukraine for periods exceeding over 90 days.
- Students who would like to enrol in education institutions in Ukraine are requested to apply for student visas submitted through the Consulate with an original letter of invitation.
- In case of a prospective employment, applicants shall submit “Employment Authorization Document” obtained by a Ukrainian employer and in the name of the applicant issued by competent authorities.

## 4. e-VISA

Visa requirements for foreigners entering Ukraine encompass application of a visa that complies with the nature of the trip. However, many countries are visa-exempt. Accordingly, citizens of some countries are eligible to apply for electronic visas. Make sure to check out [online](#) to learn whether you are entitled to request an e-visa to travel to Ukraine.

## 5. WHAT ARE THE UKRAINE VISA APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS?

- Visa applications can be made at the earliest 3 months in advance.
- Visa application form must be filled in English or Turkish languages, completely and without errors.
- The information contained in the documents requested by the consulate must be consistent.
- In visa applications, it is necessary to pay attention to the fact that the passports are not worn and not older than 10 years.

## 6. DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR UKRAINE VISA APPLICATION

- Passport (Passports that should be valid for 3 more months as of the date of return, must have at least 2 blank pages and must be 10 years old at most.)
- Ukraine visa application form
- 1 biometric photograph (3.5X4.5 cm photos should be taken in front of a white background.)
- Travel health insurance
- Bank statement of the last 2 months (must support the financial situation to cover the trip)
- Hotel and round-trip flight ticket reservations
- Receipt of payment of visa fee
- Petition stating the purpose and duration of travel and financial support
- Invitation letter
- SSI employment certificate and pay slip (valid for insured employees)
- Activity certificate and circular of signature (valid for employers)
- Deed, lease and vehicle license information, if any



# 7. IN ADDITION

## *Employed:*

- Employment contract (original certificate of employment indicating the position in the company and the salary)
- Bank account statement of the past 6 months
- Approval letter of leave from employer
- Income Tax Return (ITR),

## *Student:*

- Documentation of University enrollment
- No-objection certificate from school management

## *Unemployed:*

- Proof of financial resources is nevertheless required
- If the person is not able to finance his/her own expenses, proof of a sponsor is mandatory.

## *What is Visa Sponsorship for Ukraine?*

- Students or unemployed/retired people who are not in a position to cover their own travel expenses will need to demonstrate support from a sponsor who will borne the full costs. The sponsor is entitled to certain requirements. Hence, only first grade relatives can fulfill this position.
- If the sponsor is an inviting party in Ukraine, a letter of guarantee undertaking the commitments including payment of all costs that cover the foreigner`s stay and exit from Ukraine is requested.

## 8. WHERE SHOULD I APPLY FOR THE VISA?



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Visa applications for the Ukraine can be made through VFS Global.

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<https://visa.vfsglobal.com/tur/en/ukr>

## 9. UKRAINE IN TURKIYE

### *Consulate General of Ukraine in Istanbul*

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# 10. USEFUL LINKS

<https://turkey.mfa.gov.ua/tr/consular-issues/4895-pravila-oformlennya-viz-dlya-gromadyan-turechchini>

<https://istanbul.mfa.gov.ua/>

# FOR YOUR INFORMATION,

This general information package has been put together to help you with your visa applications.

It is, however, the applicants' responsibility to keep up with current information and to carry out his/her process.

If you have any questions, please contact us at the email address listed below:

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