



**THE STATE OF PALESTINE
VISA INFORMATION PACK**

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1. GENERAL INFORMATION

Do I need a visa to go to Palestine?

- ! • Since the border control belongs to the State of Israel, *people who will travel to Palestine must obtain a visa from Israel.*
- Obtaining visa is required for Turkish citizens. If you are not Turkish citizen, please take information from relevant consulate or embassy.

Important Note: After 09.10.2023, the visa department of the Istanbul Consulate, Israel will be closed. You are kindly requested to contact the Ankara Embassy regarding visa issues.

Important Note: To check if you need visa to enter Israel, as it controls the borders of Palestine, please [click here](#).

Important Note: To see the information from the website of Foreign Affairs Ministry Turkiye, please [click here](#).

GENERAL INFORMATION

- As of 1 March 2019, visa applications will only be made via e-mail. Visa applications and requests should be sent to the e-mail address of consular1@ankara.mfa.gov.il

How to make an appointment?

- For all visa application procedures for Israel, an online appointment must be made first.
- After the online appointment to be made from the Embassy in Ankara, the Consulate General in Istanbul or the Honorary Consulate in Izmir, all the necessary documents must be submitted to the consulates together with the visa application form.

Important Note: Applications are made every weekday between 10.30-13.00 Applications made to the consulate with up-to-date and complete documents are concluded between 7 and 10 working days.

2. CONDITIONS TO KNOW BEFORE VISIT PALESTINE

Important Safety Information: Visitors to Palestine should be mindful of the Palestinian-Israeli conflict in the region.

Border Control: Upon arrival, you will go through Israeli immigration control. Visitors should be prepared to answer questions about the purpose of their visit, where they are planning to stay, and who they are planning to meet.

Entry to Palestine: If you are planning to visit the West Bank, you can do so after entering Israel. There are no direct flights to the West Bank of Palestine. For Gaza, entry is heavily restricted and generally only allowed for journalists, aid workers, and diplomats.

Visa Extension: If you wish to stay longer than the visa exemption period (usually 90 days), you should apply for a visa extension at the Ministry of Interior in Israel.

3. VISA CATEGORIES

B/2 Visitor Visa:

A B/2 visa is a visa issued to any person who wishes to stay in Israel for a short period of time. (for visiting, tourism, business meeting, or studying in a Hebrew ulpan). A person entering Israel on a B/2 visa is not allowed to work in the State of Israel.

A/2 Student Visa:

It is a type of visa given to people who want to study in Israeli primary and secondary schools or who aim to study in the youth branches of different Jewish Authorities of Israel. With this visa, which covers one-year, multiple entries and exits to Israel can be easily made.

B/1 Work Visa

This visa is for a person whose stay in Israel has been approved for a specific period of time for business purposes. This visa is issued to experts and artists and similar lines of business and is only issued with the approval of the Ministry of Interior.

A/3 Clergy Visa:

This type of visa, which can be applied for if any of the recognized religious institutions in the State of Israel is invited, is given to clergy.

A/4 Visa:

This visa, which is given to the spouses and minor children of the recipients of A/2 and A/3 visas, can be used by people who are in Saudi Arabia and want to take their spouse and children with them.

Immigration Visa:

According to Israeli law, the authority to issue immigration visas rests only with diplomatic or consular representatives.

4. GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

Documents required for all visa applications:

1. Passport valid for *at least six months*
2. One standard passport size photograph (5x5 cm) taken within the last year
3. [Visa Application Form](#)

Important Note: Other relevant documents will be required while applying visa depend on your case of application. On the next slides, you will be reviewing other documents needed. Also, it is highly recommended to you to get information from the relevant embassy or consulate before start an application.

“This page has been prepared to provide general information about *the Israel Visa* application documents; however, the information may vary. It is therefore advised that you conduct your own research for up-to-date information.”

5. TOURIST VISA

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS:

1. Passport valid for at *least six months*
2. One standard passport size photograph (5x5 cm) taken within the last year
3. [*Visa Application Form*](#)
4. Document showing that you are working from the workplace (pay slip, last 3 months SSI service statement , etc.)
5. Chamber Registry Record from the workplace for the year of application
6. 3 months pay slip
7. If anyone knows someone in Israel, an invitation letter from that person
8. Hotel reservation

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9. Round-trip flight ticket reservation

10. Travel health insurance

11. Bank account information

12. Title deed (if any)

13. If it is a tour organized by any tourism agency, the travel program of the agency

14. Travel Health Insurance

Important Note: Visa procedures for tourist groups of more than 10 people are possible with the permission of the agency in Israel from the Ministry of Internal Affairs. These groups do not need to apply to our Embassy or Consulate General in Istanbul.

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6. STUDENT VISA

With this visa, which covers one-year, multiple entries and exits to Israel can be easily made.

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS:

1. Passport valid for at *least six months*
2. One standard passport size photograph (5x5 cm) taken within the last year
3. [*Visa Application Form*](#)
4. Document from the university it is affiliated with
5. An acceptance letter from the University where you will study in Israel
6. For those who will go on scholarship, a document showing that they have received a scholarship

Important Note: To obtain a student visa, a permission letter must be sent to us from the institution/university where the person was accepted in Israel. Also, Authorities may request more documents when necessary.

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7. WORK VISA

The B/1 visa, which is the type of visa to be applied for by those who want to work in Israel. In this type of visa, which is under the jurisdiction of the Ministry of Interior, issues such as the validity period are discussed with the personnel in the population directorates of the ministry and a solution is reached.

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS:

1. Passport valid for at *least six months*
2. One standard passport size photograph (5x5 cm) taken within the last year
3. [*Visa Application Form*](#)
4. Permission document sent to our Embassy by the Israeli Ministry of Internal Affairs and in the name of the inviting company from Israel
5. Health report obtained from authorized health institutions in Turkey, approved by the Israeli Ministry of Health
6. Criminal Record taken within the last 3 months

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8. VISA FEES

<u>TL</u>	<u>Dollar</u>	<u>Service</u>
1,485	78	Passport
795	40	Passport Minor
795	40	One-time Laissez Passer
1,510	78	Laissez Passer non Israelis
795	40	Laissez Passer Minor non Israelis
1,590	81	Loss of Passport
1,590	81	Loss of Laissez Passer
795	40	Loss of Laissez Passer Minor

<u>TL</u>	<u>Dollar</u>	<u>Service</u>
505	26	Visa B-2
980	50	STUDENT VISA A2
505	26	Return Visa
200	10	Apostille Stamp
290	14	Notarial Act
140	7	Additional Notarial Act
575	28	Notarial Act Outside Cons.

Important Note:

- Israel does not charge any fee for visa applications for *Turkish citizens other than students who will study in Israel* .
- Visa fees are only valid for students who will study in Israel and non-Turkish citizens who apply for an Israeli visa through Turkiye.

9. ISRAEL IN TURKIYE



EMBASSY OF ISRAEL IN ANKARA, TURKIYE

Address: Koç Towers A-1 Block Söğütözü 06510 Ankara

Telephone: +90 312 459 75 00

E-mail: info@ankara.mfa.gov.il

Website: <https://embassies.gov.il/ankara/Pages/default.aspx>

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ISRAEL IN TURKIYE



CONSULATE GENERAL OF ISRAEL IN ISTANBUL, TURKIYE

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Website: <https://embassies.gov.il/Istanbul-en/Pages/Default.aspx>

Important Note: The applications of visa to Palestine made through Israel Embassy and Consulate. To get information or start on application of visa, please contact with the details above.

10. USEFUL LINKS

*Visa Application
Form*

*Visa
Requirement
For All
Countries
Around the
World*

*Ministry of
Foreign Affairs
of Israel*

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:

vize@altinbas.edu.tr

<https://global.altinbas.edu.tr/>

