

## **TRAVEL DOCUMENTS**

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Please familiarize yourself with the required travel documents you will be asked to provide prior to boarding the cruise ship. It is the sole responsibility of the guest to identify and obtain all necessary travel documents and have them available when necessary.

**Passport:** A valid passport is required for travel. For your protection, we recommend that your passport expiration date does not occur within six (6) months of the sailing termination date

**Visa:** Based on the current information available with us, the visa requirement(s) for the various cruise itineraries for Indian passport holders are as listed below. We must emphasize that current and up-to-date visa information is best sourced from the Embassy / Consulate of the country proposed to be visited, and, neither, TIRUN Travel Marketing, nor, the cruise line, can be held responsible for visa procurement, and rules and regulations of various countries to be visited on your cruise ship itinerary. Azamara Club Cruises, Celebrity Cruises and Royal Caribbean International are 3 brands owned by Royal Caribbean Cruises Ltd. and **Royal Caribbean Cruises Ltd. policy is that guests are responsible for identifying and obtaining all necessary documentation for entry into the countries on their vacation itinerary.**

### **ASIA ITINERARIES**

- China / Singapore / Taiwan: Valid visa required prior departure
- Indonesia: Valid visa required prior departure. Options for obtaining visa:
  - Obtain prior departure from the country of residence
  - Obtain onboard the cruise ship for approximately USD 25.00 per person
- Vietnam / Cambodia: Valid visa required prior departure. Options for obtaining visa:
  - Obtain prior departure from the country of residence
  - Obtain onboard the cruise ship. One time visa fee as under:
    - Vietnam -USD 50.00 per person
    - Cambodia-USD 50.00 per person
- Thailand: Valid visa required prior departure. Options for obtaining visa:
  - Obtain prior departure
  - Obtain onboard the cruise ship with the following mandatory requirement. All passengers must carry the following documents prior to boarding the ship:
    - Visa Fee: USD 70.00 per person
    - Photocopy of passport
    - One Passport size photograph
- Hong Kong: Guests will be issued visa on arrival
- Japan: Valid visa required prior departure for sailings starting from any port in Japan. No visa required for guests 'In Transit' status
- Korea: Guests will be issued visa on arrival provided they are in possession of a valid visa for Japan. The visa will be issued free of cost.
- Jeju Island, South Korea-No visa required, as our guests will be 'In Transit' status.
- Malaysia: No visa required, as our guests will be 'In Transit' status
- Maldives: Visa required. On arrival, all passengers will be granted a free 30 day tourist visa.
- Myanmar: Valid visa required. Guests will be able to secure a visa on arrival onboard the vessel for a one-time fee of approximately US\$30 per person which will be charged to their onboard account.
- Philippines: Visa required prior departure
- Vladivostok, Russia: No visa required, as our guests will be 'In Transit' status
- Petropavlovsk, Russia: No visa required, as our guests will be 'In Transit' status
- Sri Lanka: Valid electronic visa required which will be obtained onboard the ship. For stays less than 48 hours, there is no charge for the ETA. Any guests planning to disembark and remain in Sri Lanka for more than 48 hours would need to apply for the ETA online in advance.

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\*Note: Visa fee will be auto charged to the Seapass account for those guests who do not possess valid visa prior to boarding the ship. The above mentioned visa fees are indicative, subject to change and include a nominal processing charge levied by the local representative for processing the visas.

### **ALASKA ITINERARIES**

U.S.A. : Multiple Entry

Canada: Single Entry

### **AUSTRALIA/NEW ZEALAND ITINERARIES**

- French Polynesia: Visa required prior to departure.
- New Caledonia: 'In transit' cruise guests do not require a visa prior departure
- Loyalty Island: 'In transit' cruise guests do not require a visa prior departure
- Vanuatu: 'In transit' cruise guests do not require a visa prior departure
- Fiji: 'In transit' cruise guests do not require a visa
- New Zealand: Visa required prior to departure.
  - Where a guest is not embarking or debarking permanently in New Zealand, guest will be considered to be in transit and will not require obtaining a separate visa.
- Papua New Guinea: Valid visa is required and guests will be able to secure visa onboard the vessel for a one-time fee of less than USD 50.00 per person.

### **BAHAMAS / CARIBBEAN / MEXICO / BERMUDA ITINERARIES**

- For cruises originating, visiting and ending in a U.S.A. port, a multiple entry U.S.A. visa is required.
- Bermuda - No visa required if guests in possession of valid U.S.A visa

### **BRITISH ISLES / NORWEGIAN FJORDS ITINERARIES**

- United Kingdom (U.K.): Multiple Entry
- Countries included in the Schengen visa regime: Multiple Entry Schengen visa per itinerary
- Ireland: Visa required

### **CANADA / NEW ENGLAND ITINERARIES**

U.S.A.: Multiple Entry

Canada: Single Entry

### **GULF ITINERARIES**

For Royal Caribbean International cruise ship '**Splendour of the Seas**', 7 night Dubai sailings originating and ending in Dubai, U.A.E, the visa requirement is as under:

- United Arab Emirates (U.A.E.):
  - Multiple entry U.A.E. visa is required prior boarding the ship in the absence of which guests will be denied boarding. The cruise line strongly recommends that guests use their Dubai based appointed ground handler, Arabian Adventures. Their visa application contact information follows:  
**Arabian Adventures**, Prejit Sebastian, [Prejit.sebastian@emirates.com](mailto:Prejit.sebastian@emirates.com), Tel. 0097143034771  
[aacruises@emirates.com](mailto:aacruises@emirates.com) / Head Office # +971 43439966 / Abu Dhabi # +971 26911711
  - The cost per UAE visa is USD 85.00 if applied 45 days prior to arrival. The process takes about 2 weeks. Applications received within 14 days of first arrival date will be charged USD 150.00 per visa. The rate is based on the current visa charges and is subject to change. Processing takes five business

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days. The processing office is closed Fridays and Saturdays. Please note, the passport you use to apply for your visa should not expire within six months of your expected arrival date in the UAE. If your passport expires before then, please renew to ensure you do not have entry issues during your travels.

- Muscat, Oman: Guests will be issued group visas. A visa charge of USD 15 per person will be levied. Guests are not required to apply for these visas separately.
- Fujairah – U.A.E. visa required prior departure.

### **MEDITERRANEAN ITINERARIES**

- Countries included in the Schengen visa regime: Multiple Entry Schengen visa required per itinerary
- Egypt: Valid visa required
- Cyprus / Morocco: Visa required to go ashore but guests may remain on the ship in the absence of the relevant visas.
- Croatia: No visa required if guests in possession of valid Schengen visa
- Israel: Valid visa required and may be obtained onboard the cruise ship at a cost of approximately USD 70.00 per person
- Jordan: Valid visa required and may be obtained onboard the cruise ship.
- Montenegro: Valid multiple entry Schengen, U.S., or, Montenegro visa needed
- Turkey: 'In transit' cruise guests do not require a visa for Turkey. Guest's embarking/disembarking/downlining in Turkey will need to obtain a valid e-visa prior departure.
- Ukraine: No visa required as our guests will be "In Transit" status.
- Gibraltar, United Kingdom: No visa required as our guests will be "In Transit" status.

### **SCANDINAVIA / RUSSIA ITINERARIES**

- United Kingdom (U.K.): Multiple Entry
- Klaksvik /Faroe Islands: Multiple Entry Schengen visa required
- Countries included in the Schengen visa regime: Multiple Entry Schengen visa required per itinerary
- Russia:
  - The following information is applicable to St. Petersburg (Baltic sailings) as well as Sochi and Novorossiysk (Black Sea).Visa required prior departure. Options for obtaining visa:
    - Guests who purchase any available shore excursion through Royal Caribbean/Celebrity Cruises in St. Petersburg, Sochi and Novorossiysk (Black Sea) either online [www.royalcaribbean.com](http://www.royalcaribbean.com) / [www.celebritycruises.com](http://www.celebritycruises.com), or onboard the ship, will not require a visa for Russia.
    - Guests, who wish to sightsee independently or sightsee outside of Royal Caribbean/Celebrity Cruises shore excursion hours, must obtain an individual Russian Tourist Visa before leaving home. Russian Tourist Visas cannot be issued during your cruise.

All itineraries with St. Petersburg, Russia require the following for each guest, in order to expedite the immigration process;

- Valid Passport with proper Visa (if required)
- A photocopy of the passport
- Latvia: Visa not required

### **SOUTH AMERICA ITINERARIES**

- Argentina / Chile / Peru: Valid visa required prior departure
- Ecuador: Valid visa is required to go ashore failing which debarkation will not be permitted. However, in the absence of a valid visa, guests can stay onboard
- Falkland Islands: Visa not required.
- Columbia / Costa Rica / Uruguay: Visa not required as our guests will be "In Transit" status.

**Important:**

- *Above information is valid for **Indian Passport Holders** and **cruise only passengers**.*
- *All guidelines provided are subject to current immigration laws of various countries to be visited and are subject to change, at anytime, without prior notice.*
- *Any visa charges mentioned above are indicative & subject to change without prior notice*
- *TIRUN Travel Marketing strongly recommends all guests verify visa information with the relevant Embassy / Consulates and to obtain all visas in advance. Neither TIRUN Travel Marketing, nor, the cruise line, can be held responsible for visa procurement, and rules and regulations of various countries to be visited on your cruise ship itinerary.*
- *Please refer to Royal Caribbean International, Celebrity Cruises and Azamara Club Cruises current year's brochure, or the cruise lines website, for complete information on the cruise lines terms and conditions of booking and carriage.*