

## **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 recommended below. However, 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.** Guests who do not possess proper documentation may be prevented from boarding the ship or entering a country to be visited on their cruise and may be subject to fines. No refunds will be given to individuals who fail to bring proper documentation.

### **ASIA ITINERARIES**

- China - Valid visa required prior departure. All passengers must carry the Photocopy of passport & one Passport size photograph
  - 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**Indian Passport holders will get Visa on Arrival for Bintan Island at no additional cost**
  - 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 –
        1. If the ship is visiting Vietnam for only a day – USD 06.00 per person
        2. If there's an overnight stay or visiting multiple places in Vietnam - USD 28.00 per person ( Non-US citizen)
      - Cambodia-USD 50.00 per person
- All passengers must carry the Photocopy of passport & one Passport size photograph.
- 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: Approx. USD 75.00 per person (THB 2500)
      - Photocopy of passport
      - One Passport size photograph

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- Hong Kong: Pre-Arrival Registration (PAR) is mandatory and must be completed for issuance of visa on Arrival @ <http://www.gov.hk/en/apps/immdindianparreg.htm>. The passport validity must be six months.  
<http://www.discoverhongkong.com/in/plan-your-trip/traveller-info/immigration-and-customs/visa-information.jsp>  
[http://www.immd.gov.hk/eng/services/visas/pre-arrival\\_registration\\_for\\_indian\\_nationals.html](http://www.immd.gov.hk/eng/services/visas/pre-arrival_registration_for_indian_nationals.html)

All passengers must carry the Photocopy of passport & one Passport size photograph.

- Japan: Valid visa required prior departure for sailings starting from any port in Japan. No visa required for guests 'In Transit' status

#### **Immigration at Nagasaki:**

A Japanese immigration requirement: **ALL GUESTS** must either have a USD 150 cash deposit on their accounts (including children/infants), or linked to a credit card otherwise, no shore leave will be granted. This must be completed PRIOR to arrival in Japan depending on the itinerary. There is a possibility that they may be selected for a secondary interview with the Japanese immigration, however this is only confirmed on the night before arrival and is not certain whether will happen for sure.

#### **All guests must carry the following items when going through immigration;**

- Copy of your passport, one per person (A4 size).
  - Your SeaPass Card.
  - Completed Japanese Customs Declaration Form, one per person. The form will be delivered into your Stateroom on Day 2 of your cruise vacation.
- Korea: Visa required prior departure.
  - Jeju Island, South Korea-No visa required, as our guests will be 'In Transit' status.
  - Malaysia: No visa required for sailings starting and ending in Singapore, as our guests will be 'In Transit' status. Valid visa required prior departure for sailings starting and ending in Malaysia.
  - 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
  - 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.

\*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**

- Australia: Visa required prior to departure.
- French Polynesia: Visa required prior to departure.
- New Caledonia: 'In transit' cruise guests do not require a visa prior departure

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- 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.

**"From 1 October 2019**, if you are from a country that requires a visa to travel to New Zealand and travelling to New Zealand on a cruise ship, you can request an NZeTA or get a visa.

The guest may also have to pay an International Visitor Conservation and Tourism Levy (IVL). The IVL costs NZD \$35 and is paid at the same time as the NZeTA."

- 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
- **Cuba**- Cuba - Guests may obtain an A-1 visa in prior, to visit Cuba. Alternatively, Royal Caribbean can facilitate your Cuban visa at the embarkation terminal for a cost of \$75 per person, which will be charged to your onboard account on Day 1 of the cruise.

Also, Prior to the sailing, Guests must purchase a full day tour with Royal Caribbean or a third-party program offered by a U.S. sponsoring organization allowing "people-to-people" activities to Disembark the ship.

### **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 – **Jewel 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.

**Indian Citizens who are holders of normal passports with a six-month, or more, valid green card or visa issued by the United States of America shall be granted **ONLY SINGLE ENTRY VISA** to the UAE from all ports for a period of 14 days with effect from 01 May 2017.**

**Multiple Entry UAE visa is not available on arrival.**

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- Khasab, 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.
- Qatar – All Passenger arriving by Sea will get pre-approved e-visa from Ministry of Interior (Subject to submission of their details with Passenger Manifest 48 hrs prior arrival of the vessel). No fees applicable. If their names are not listed in Passenger or Crew manifest, then only they have to pay for on-arrival visa. Else no charges applicable for e-visa. Passenger will present their “Passes/ID” issued by the Cruise vessel for Entry/Exit To/From cruise terminal.
- Bahrain – Entry visa is required prior boarding the ship, in the absence of which guests will be denied boarding. It takes about 7 to 10 working days to get the visa. The same can be applied online. For more information, kindly click on the link: <https://www.evisa.gov.bh/>

## 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. **VOA – Visa on arrival** available at an extra cost per below;  
***The visa fee depends on how many guest will apply for the visa on arrival.***  
USD\$ 85.00 per person for 1-9 guest who will apply.  
USD\$ 25.00 per person for 10 guest and above.
- 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

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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
- 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

### **CENTRAL AMERICA**

- Guatemala: U.S.A.: Multiple Entry

### **SOUTH AMERICA ITINERARIES**

- Argentina / Brazil/ 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.*

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