

**Embassy of Nepal
Visa Section**

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Visa information for tourists

1) Following documents should be submitted with visa application:

- 1.1 Original Passport valid for a minimum of 6 months, with at least one blank page
- 1.2 A dully filled out application form with the indication of the type of visa required
- 1.3 One passport size photo for each applicant, including children and infants
- 1.4 Self-addressed, stamped envelope /postage for registered mail according to the contain of the mail. Plus express fee in case of urgency.

N. B. The Embassy is not liable for any damage or loss of the passport or documents in the post and non-delivery of it due to inaccurate/incomplete address or insufficient postage paid.

- 1.5 Original receipt of the payment of visa fee.
- 1.6 A written confirmation of the round trip flight by the Travel Agency, Company or other Authority requesting visa on behalf of the applicant

2) Visa Fee

	Type	Duration of stay	Fee	Visits (in a Visa Year)
	Multiple entry	15 days	35.- CHF	First time
	Multiple entry	30 days	60.- CHF	First time
	Multiple entry	90 days	130.- CHF	First time

- Children below 10 years are exempt from the Visa Fee

3) Payment: Visa fee may be paid in cash at the Embassy or may be paid at the following account of the Embassy:

Post Finance Swiss Post

**Postal Account No:-17-316926-8
IBAN: - CH61 0900 0000 1731 6926 8
BIC: - POFICHBEXXX**

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4) **A Visa Year** is equal to a calendar year: from 1st of January to 31st of December.

5) **On Arrival Visa:** Tourist visa may also be obtained upon arrival at the Tribhuvan International Airport, Kathmandu and at the designated Entry Points in Nepal.

However, the followings are kindly advised to contact the nearest Embassy of Nepal before they enter Nepal:

- a) Person holding refugee travel document,
- b) Nationals of the following countries: Afghanistan, Cameroon, Ethiopia, Ghana, Iraq, Liberia, Nigeria, Palestine, Somalia, Swaziland and Zimbabwe.

6) **Entry / Exit Points in Nepal:** Followings are the designated entry/exit points in Nepal,

- a) Tribhuvan International Airport, Kathmandu
- b) Kakarvitta, Jhapa (Eastern Nepal)
- c) Birgunj, Parsa (Central Nepal)
- d) Kodari, Sindhupalchowk (Northern Border)
- e) Belahia, Bhairawaha (Rupandehi, Western Nepal)
- f) Jamunaha, Nepalgunj (Banke, Mid Western Nepal)
- g) Mohana, Dhangadhi (Kailali, Far Western Nepal)
- i) Gadda Chauki, Mahendranagar (Kanchanpur, Far Western Nepal)

7) **Visa Extension:** A tourist visa can be extended only by the Department of Immigration in Kathmandu and Pokhara Immigration Office on request.

8) **Territorial Validity:**

With the exception of restricted areas, the Visa is valid for travel to all over Nepal.

9) **Trekking permits** can only be obtained from the Department of Immigration, Kathmandu.

10) **Foreign currency** carried in cash should be declared, if it exceeds 2000.00 US\$ or equivalent amount, in the Custom Declaration Form before the Custom Officer at the Custom Office at the Entry Point of Nepal.

11) Tourists are requested to change money with recognized banks/money changers/dealers and not to forget to take formal receipts.

12) Nepalese Rupee is not freely convertible.

13) **Vaccinations** against Malaria, Cholera, Typhoid, Paratyphoid, Polio and Tetanus are highly recommended.

- 14) **Motorists** need their valid National Driving License or an International Driving License. A liability of insurance is highly recommended.
- 15) The ultimate right to grant or deny an entry rests with the Immigration Officer in Nepal.

16) **For more details, please contact:**

Department of Immigration

Bhrikutimandap, Kathmandu, Nepal

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Fax: 00977(1) 4 223127

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Web site: www.immi.gov.np

Visa Application Form can be obtained through the Embassy or local Travel Agencies. The Embassy may send it by email attachment or by fax upon request.

Further inquiries about visa can be made at the Visa Section of this Embassy from Monday to Friday, from 9.00 -13.00 and from 14.00-18.00 hrs. on telephone number 0041 22 733 2600 or by Fax 0041 22 733 272 and email: mission.nepal@bluewin.ch
