



PASSPORT & VISA INFORMATION*:

All passengers must arrange all documentation with the appropriate consulate well in advance of their departure from US and must ensure passports are also valid for the minimum validity required for ALL destinations being travelled to. The information following only applies to the itinerary booked with eBiz Travel and does not cover any independently arranged destinations.

PASSPORTS

Passports must be valid for a minimum of **6 months** from your scheduled return date. Please ensure you have the correct documentation with you ready for check-in, security clearance and the boarding gates. For international travel, government regulations require all travelers over 16 years old to be in possession of a valid (return) air ticket, a passport and visa and health documentation (if required). Travelers without the necessary documents will not be allowed to board to avoid flouting immigration rules. Customers traveling to international destinations must ensure that their passports are signed on the space provided at the bottom of the page that lists contact details. This is a requirement from various Immigration Authorities which you must adhere to.

MUST - Passports must be valid for a minimum of 6 months from your scheduled return date. Please note that visitors who wish to travel to South Africa must have a machine readable passport that is valid for at least 60 days after their intended return date from South Africa.

MUST have sufficient blank pages in passport. These pages must be completely blank, this is a requirement. This blank page does not include the page reserved for Observations, Amendments or Endorsements.

It's important to note that non-South African passport holders must have at least two (1) completely unused visa page for entry or departure endorsements by South African Immigration Service in their passport. Government regulations prohibit airlines from boarding travelers without the required blank visa pages, even if you hold a valid ticket and a valid passport.

Please note that if you are traveling to other countries, you will need additional blank pages

If you are traveling to Zimbabwe via South Africa, please ensure that you have at least 6 blank pages in your passport. South Africa requires two clean, consecutive pages for each transit through South Africa. You will need two pages to transit South Africa in each direction, and two pages to enter Zimbabwe.

For travel to Zimbabwe all domestic transactions should be settled in Zimbabwe dollars, in accordance with the Reserve Bank of Zimbabwe (Legal Tender) Regulations, Statutory Instrument 142 of 2019. Travelers may have to exchange U.S. dollars for Zimbabwe dollars at exchange bureaus; use of U.S. dollar cash for transactions in Zimbabwe is restricted. Bring cash sufficient for the duration of your trip; the importation of any currency into Zimbabwe by travelers is not restricted. However, all travelers are encouraged to complete a Customs Declaration Form (Form 47) and declare the currency in their possession at the time of entry.

Note that the amount of currency that a person who is about to leave Zimbabwe may possess, without authorization in the departure lounge of an airport or any other port is a total of USD \$2000 in any currency or combination of currencies or in bond notes or coins, unless declared/documentated upon entry.

TRAVELING WITH CHILDREN TO SOUTH AFRICA

New requirements, introduced by the South African Department of Home Affairs from 1 June 2015, specify that all minors (children under 18 years) are required to produce, in addition to their passport, an Unabridged long form Birth Certificate which shows the details of both parents for all international travel to and from South Africa. All documents must be originals or copies certified as a true copy of the original by a commissioner of oaths.

If only one parent is traveling with the child, he or she must also produce a sworn affidavit (issued no earlier than 3 months prior to travel dates) from the other parent registered on the birth certificate. The affidavit must authorize him or her to enter into or depart from the Republic of South Africa with the child. A copy of the parents photo ID needs to be attached to the affidavit. Other requirements apply to unaccompanied children.

These regulations will be strictly enforced by the South African Department of Home Affairs. Contact the nearest High Commission of South Africa before traveling to verify the latest requirements.

More about entry regulations when traveling with children - South African Department of Home Affairs

More about traveling with children

Further documentation may be required. Travelers will be asked to produce the required documentation at check-in for each flight.

VISAS

Visa requirements applicable to this quotation are as follows: At the time of this quotation, there is no visa requirement to South Africa for Canadian citizens. Clients are required to have two consecutive blank pages in their passport for South African arrival documents or they will be denied travel. For Zimbabwe and Zambia a univisa can be purchased.

****applies to US passport holders only. Please make sure that all destinations to be visited or transited verified with the applicable consulate(s) for entry requirements prior to departure, together with requirements for anyone traveling on non-US passports.***

Visa purchase is the responsibility of each traveler at their own expense.

IMPORTANT TRAVEL NOTES

The Botswana Government have announced their intention to ban the use of plastic carrier bags effective from the 1st of November 2018. Guest traveling to Botswana should be aware of this and are advised to not carry plastic bags into the country. The proposed fine for carrying plastic bags will be US\$500.

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