

Consult the following chart to determine:

- If you need a **visa** to travel to a particular country. This information applies **only** to official and diplomatic U.S. passports. It does not apply to U.S. personal passports, or to passports issued by other countries.
- If additional security training is required by the U.S. Department of State for official foreign travel.

Country or Territory	Visa Required for Official Passport?	Additional Security Trainings Required? (By Calendar Year)
Afghanistan	Yes – visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Albania	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Algeria	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Andorra	Yes - visa required	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Angola	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Antigua and Barbuda	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Argentina	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Armenia	Yes - visa required	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Aruba	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Australia	Yes - Electronic Travel Authority (ETA) is needed	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Austria	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Azerbaijan	Yes - visa required	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Bahamas	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Bahrain	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Bangladesh	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Barbados	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Belarus	Yes - visa required	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Belgium	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Belize	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Benin	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Bermuda	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Bhutan	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Bolivia	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Bosnia-Herzegovina	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Botswana	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Brazil	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Brunei	Yes - visa required	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Bulgaria	Yes - visa required	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018

		Yes in 2019
Burkina Faso	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Burma (Myanmar)	Yes - visa required	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Burundi	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Cabo Verde	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Cambodia	Yes - visa required	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Cameroon	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Canada	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Cayman Islands	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Central African Republic	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Chad	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Chile	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
China	Yes - must apply in person at the Embassy of China	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Colombia	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Comoros Islands	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Congo, Democratic Republic	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Congo, Republic	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Cook Islands	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Costa Rica	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Cote D'Ivoire	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Croatia	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Cuba	Yes - As of September 2017 all official USG travel is suspended until further notice except in very limited cases (e.g. national security)	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Curacao	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Cyprus	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Czech Republic	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Denmark	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Djibouti	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Dominica	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Dominican Republic	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Ecuador	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Egypt	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
El Salvador	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Equatorial Guinea	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Eritrea	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Estonia	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019

Ethiopia	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Fiji	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Finland	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
France	Yes - official passport must be signed before submitting visa application to the Embassy of France	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
French Guiana	Yes - visa required	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
French Polynesia	Yes - visa required	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Gabon	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Gambia	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Georgia	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Germany	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Ghana	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Gibraltar	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Greece	Yes - must apply in person at the Embassy of Greece	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Grenada	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Guadeloupe	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Guatemala	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Guinea	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Guinea-Bissau	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Guyana	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Haiti	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Holy See	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Honduras	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Hong Kong	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Hungary	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Iceland	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
India	Yes – visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Indonesia	Yes - visa required	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Iran	TRAVEL NOT ALLOWED	TRAVEL NOT ALLOWED
Iraq	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Ireland	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Israel	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required

Italy	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Jamaica	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Japan	Yes - official passport must be signed before submitting visa application to the Embassy of Japan	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Jordan	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Kazakhstan	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Kenya	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Kiribati	Yes - visa required	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Korea (North)	TRAVEL NOT ALLOWED	TRAVEL NOT ALLOWED
Korea (South)	Yes - visa required	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Kosovo	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Kuwait	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Kyrgyz Republic	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Laos	Yes - visa required	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Latvia	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Lebanon	Yes – visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Lesotho	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Liberia	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Libya	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Liechtenstein	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Lithuania	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Luxembourg	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Macau	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Macedonia	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Madagascar	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Malawi	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Malaysia	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Maldives	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Mali	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Malta	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Marshall Islands	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Martinique	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required

Mauritania	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Mauritius	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Mexico	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Micronesia	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Moldova	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Monaco	Yes - visa required	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Mongolia	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Montenegro	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Morocco	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Mozambique	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Namibia	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Nauru	Yes - visa required	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Nepal	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Netherlands	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Netherlands Antilles	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
New Zealand	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Nicaragua	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Niger	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Nigeria	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Niue	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Norfolk Island	Yes - visa required	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Norway	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Oman	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Pakistan	Yes – visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Palau	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Panama	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Papua New Guinea	Yes - visa required	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Paraguay	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Peru	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Philippines	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Poland	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019

Portugal	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Qatar	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Romania	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Russia	Yes – visa required	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018. CI or Defensive Travel Briefing required in lieu. HTSOS/FACT required in 2019
Rwanda	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Samoa	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
San Marino	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Sao Tome and Principe	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Saudi Arabia	Yes – visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Senegal	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Serbia	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Seychelles	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Sierra Leone	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Singapore	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Slovak	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Slovenia	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Solomon Islands	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Somalia	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
South Africa	No - must have 2 completely blank visa pages upon entry	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
South Sudan	Yes – visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Spain	Yes - visa required	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Sri Lanka	Yes – visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
St. Kitts and Nevis	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
St. Lucia	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
St. Martin	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
St. Pierre	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
St. Vincent	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Sudan	Yes – visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Suriname	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Swaziland	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Sweden	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Switzerland	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019

Syria	Yes – visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Taiwan	No - personal passport must be used	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Tajikistan	Yes – visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Tanzania	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Thailand	Yes - visa required	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Timor-Leste	Yes - visa required	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Togo	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Tonga	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Trinidad and Tobago	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Tunisia	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Turkey	Yes - visa required	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Turkmenistan	Yes – visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Tuvalu	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Uganda	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Ukraine	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
United Arab Emirates	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
United Kingdom	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Uruguay	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Uzbekistan	Yes – visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Vanuatu	No	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Venezuela	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Vietnam	Yes – visa required	No - HTSOS or FACT not required in 2018 Yes in 2019
Virgin Islands (British)	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
West Indies (British)	No	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Yemen	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Zambia	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required
Zimbabwe	Yes - visa required	Yes - HTSOS or FACT required