

VISA APPLICATION

VISA REQUIREMENTS IN MAURITIUS

A visa is an official acknowledgement issued by the Immigration Office/Embassy/Consular of Mauritius, indicating that your application to enter Mauritius has been reviewed by an Immigration Officer and that the officer has determined you are eligible to enter or transit in Mauritius for a specific purpose.

A visa, therefore, simply allows the bearer to travel to Mauritius up a port of entry and does not implicitly guarantee right of admission into Mauritius. The final decision to admit a non-citizen rests with the Immigration Officer after examination at the point of entry in Mauritius. He/she decides how long the person can stay for any particular visit.

The Visa Application Form duly filled in should be submitted along with the following documents:

Visa Form - http://passport.govmu.org/English/Documents/Visa_%20form_Mtius.pdf

- Copy of data pages of passport (1-5) which should be valid beyond the intended period of stay; (Please do not send original passport);
- A recent bank statement showing sufficient funds to meet the cost of stay (a minimum of 100 US Dollars per night) in Mauritius;
- Two (2) recent passport-size photographs;
- Copy of confirmed two-way ticket;
- Copy of re-entry permit (visa, permanent resident card, etc.) in case applicants are not citizens of the particular country from where they are applying for visa;
- Have a confirmed booking for accommodation in Mauritius.

If sponsored by a Mauritian citizen, the latter has to submit the following:

1. A Letter of Sponsorship stating:
 - (a) Name, address of Sponsor;
 - (b) Telephone number;
 - (c) Profession of the sponsor; and
 - (d) Relationship with the applicant.
2. Copy of Passport and National Identity Card of the Sponsor
3. A recent Utility Bill – CEB or Telecom

VISA FEE:

A visa application fee of US\$ 10.00 is charged per applicant. Payment can be made by a money order or an official cheque drawn in favor of the Embassy of Mauritius, Washington, DC.

The duly filled-in visa application forms and supporting documents to be forwarded at:

Embassy of Mauritius
1709 N St., NW
Washington, DC 20036

Visa requirements for individual countries can be obtained at:

<http://passport.govmu.org/English/Passport%20and%20Visa%20Requirement%20in%20Mauritius/Pages/Visa-Requirements-in-Mauritius.aspx>