

Step 1: Log into www.etakenya.go.ke/en and click Apply Now

The screenshot shows the homepage of the Republic of Kenya's official government website. The browser address bar displays <https://www.etakenya.go.ke/en>. The page header includes the Kenyan coat of arms and the text "Republic of Kenya Official Government Website". A green gear icon for settings is located in the top right corner.

A yellow banner features a speaker icon and the text: "Tobong'u Lorre! Welcome Home! 'Kenya is the home of humanity' H.E. President William Samoei Ruto".

The main content area has a background image of a savanna at sunset. It contains the text "Apply for your eTA for travel to Kenya" and a prominent red "Apply Now" button. Below the button is a "Learn More" link and a "Scroll Down" button with a downward arrow icon.

At the bottom, there are two white action cards on a light green background:

- Airport Staff**: Check the status of a traveler's submitted application here. (Includes a globe icon and a right-pointing arrow)
- Check your application**: Check the status of your existing application. (Includes a globe icon and a right-pointing arrow)

Additional icons include a blue circular icon with a checkmark and a red circular icon with a speech bubble in the bottom left and right corners, respectively.

Step 2: Read through How to Apply and click Continue

PERSONS WHO ARE EXEMPTED FROM OBTAINING THE ELECTRONIC TRAVEL AUTHORISATION (eTA)

1. Holders of valid Kenya Passports or one-way Emergency Certificate issued by Kenya Missions abroad.
2. Holders of Kenya Permanent Residence, valid Work Permits and Passes.
3. Holders of valid United Nation Conventional Travel Document issued by the Government of Kenya.
4. Members of the Diplomatic Missions and International Organizations Accredited to Kenya.
5. Citizens of the East African Partner States; These countries include Burundi, Democratic Republic of Congo, Rwanda, South Sudan, Tanzania and Uganda. (Exempted for Six (6) months)
6. All passengers in transit through Kenya arriving and leaving by the same aircraft or transferring to another aircraft and who do not leave the precincts of Airports in Kenya.
7. All passengers arriving and leaving by the same ship, and who do not leave the ship.
8. Members of crew of any ship, aircraft, train, vehicle or carrier; whose name and particulars are included in the crew manifest of the ship, aircraft, train, vehicle or carrier; and who is proceeding in such ship, aircraft, train, vehicle or carrier to a destination outside Kenya.
9. Owners of private aircraft stopping over for refueling in Kenya and who do not leave the precincts of the airport.

All other visitors including infants and children who intend to travel to the Republic of Kenya must have an approved Electronic Travel Authorisation (eTA) **before** the start of their journey.

Please have the following documents ready before starting your application.

For all travellers

- Valid passport for at least six (6) month after your planned date of arrival into Kenya with at least one blank page
- Selfie or passport-type photo
- Contact information, email address and phone number
- Details of your arrival and departure itinerary
- Accommodation booking confirmation(s)
- Credit card, debit card, Apple pay or other means of payment

Step 2 (cont.): Read through How to Apply and Continue

Based on your country of residence and citizenships the following may also be required:

- Financial assets / banks letter(s)
- Return transportation booking (flight ticket,..)

Based on your country of residence and travel history the following may also be required:

- Yellow fever certificate
- Other vaccination(s) or test results certificates

Based on your purpose of visit the following may also be required:

- Letter and/or appointment letter from the referring doctor / hospital
- Conference invitation/participation letter
- Employment contract
- Supporting documents for resettlement

For Business visits

- Invitation letter from company
- Copy of registration of the company

For Family visits

- Invitation letter from family/host
- Identity card / Passport / Alien card / Entry permit of the family member / host

For Diplomatic travel



- A Diplomatic, Official and Service passport
- An official letter from the Country of Origin/ Organisation/ Foreign Affairs.

Processing time will vary depending on the type of eTA and your country of citizenship.

Standard processing time is three (3) working days.

Step 3: Read and give your consent. Continue.

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Declaration of Consent

Kenya eTA is a semi-automated system that determines the eligibility of visitors to travel to Kenya.



This website and mobile application are operated by the Ministry of Interior and National Administration – Directorate of Immigration Services of the Government of the Republic of Kenya pursuant to the rules and regulations prescribed by the Republic of Kenya Data Protection laws to ensure the privacy of your information.



Information submitted by applicants through the Republic of Kenya eTA is subject to privacy provisions and controls similar to those that have been established elsewhere for similar traveller screening programs. Access to such information is limited to those persons who have a need to know, and are recognized and approved by the Government of the Republic of Kenya.



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Please note that the Government of the Republic of Kenya has determined that the processing of

- I have read and agreed to the above.
- Opt-in to receive special offers and exciting updates for your trip.

 Close  Continue



 **Airport Staff**
Check the status of a traveler's submitted application here. 

 Check the status of your existing application. 





Step 4: Select whether you're making an individual/group application.


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 **Individual application**
I am applying for one individual only.

 **Group application**
I am applying for a group application.
If you are a family, a couple, friends living together or a company submitting on behalf of your employees, you can save time by applying as a group. To apply as a group, you must meet certain eligibility requirements.



 **Airport Staff** >
Check the status of a traveler's submitted application here.

 **Check your application** >
Check the status of your existing application.






Step 5: Select Country of Residence and Continue

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Country of Residence


Please select your country of residence. This is the country where you live and pay taxes. If you are a resident Diplomat of Kenya, please select Kenya.


-  Kenya
-  Tanzania, United Republic of
-  Uganda
-  United Kingdom
-  United States of America


All Countries

-  Afghanistan

 Close  Continue



 **Airport Staff**
Check the status of a traveler's submitted application here.

 Check the status of your existing application.



Step 6: Upload a clear photo of your passport bio data page. Continue


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Passport Information




Please provide a photo or scan of the biographic data page of your passport. This is the page featuring your photo, name, etc.

- Passport Information
- Selfie or Photo
- Contact Information
- Trip Information
- General Info
- Customs Declaration
- Health Declaration
- Insurance Info
- Required Documents
- Confirm and Proceed



Drag & drop a photo or scan of the required document or
click here to manually select.

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Step 7: Take a selfie or upload a passport-type photo. Continue


← ↻ 🔒 https://www.etaKenya.go.ke/en/enroll/selfie

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Selfie or Photo

Please take a selfie using your webcam or smartphone, or upload a passport-type photo.

- Passport Information
- Selfie or Photo
- Contact Information
- Trip Information
- General Info
- Customs Declaration
- Health Declaration
- Insurance Info
- Required Documents
- Confirm and Proceed



We have detected a webcam on your device. Once you are ready, turn it on to capture a selfie. You may be asked for permission by your browser.

[Get Started](#)

[Upload Selfie Instead](#)

[Close](#) [Use This Photo](#) >

Step 8: Add your contact details. Continue

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Contact Information

We require this information to process your application and get in contact with you if we have any questions or need more information.

- ✔ Passport Information
- ✔ Selfie or Photo
- ➔ Contact Information
- Trip Information
- General Info
- Customs Declaration
- Health Declaration
- Insurance Info
- Required Documents
- Confirm and Proceed

+1 Phone Number

Email

Search Places in United States of America

If you don't find your street address, please enter your neighborhood, city and country.

Select Occupation

Emergency Contacts (optional)


Please specify at least one emergency contact.

Full Name of Emergency Contact


Close Save & Exit Continue

Step 9: Input the purpose for travel and flight details. Continue

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Trip Information

We collect this information to understand when you will arrive in our country, how long you will stay, where you will stay, and the purpose of your visit.

- ✔ Passport Information
- ✔ Selfie or Photo
- ✔ Contact Information
- ➔ Trip Information
- General Info
- Customs Declaration
- Health Declaration
- Insurance Info
- Required Documents
- Confirm and Proceed

Primary purpose of visit

Arrival Details

📅 Arrival Date
Your expected arrival date in Kenya.




Select Airline Flight Number
Provide information on your flight to Kenya.

Select the country of origin for your trip
Please select the country where your trip started.

Departure Details


📅 Departure Date
Your expected departure date from Kenya. When you will exit Kenya.

⊗ Close Save & Exit Continue >



Step 11: Answer Customs Declaration. Continue

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Customs Declaration


Answer a few questions related to biosecurity, customs and law enforcement

- ✓ Passport Information
- ✓ Selfie or Photo
- ✓ Contact Information
- ✓ Trip Information
- ✓ General Info
- ➕ Customs Declaration
- Health Declaration
- Insurance Info
- Required Documents
- Confirm and Proceed

Will you be bringing into Republic of Kenya currency or monetary instruments of a value greater than \$5000 or foreign equivalent?


Yes No

⊗ Close Save & Exit Continue >



Step 12: Answer Health Declaration. Continue

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Health Declaration


Answer a few questions related to your current health.

- ✔ Passport Information
- ✔ Selfie or Photo
- ✔ Contact Information
- ✔ Trip Information
- ✔ General Info
- ✔ Customs Declaration
- ➕ Health Declaration
- Insurance Info
- Required Documents
- Confirm and Proceed

Are you currently suffering from Tuberculosis (TB) or have been in contact with a person with Tuberculosis TB?


Yes No

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Step 13: Confirm you have insurance. Continue

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Insurance Information


Answer a few questions related to your travel insurance.

- ✓ Passport Information
- ✓ Selfie or Photo
- ✓ Contact Information
- ✓ Trip Information
- ✓ General Info
- ✓ Customs Declaration
- ✓ Health Declaration
- + Insurance Info
- Required Documents
- Confirm and Proceed

I have medical insurance, valid in the Republic of Kenya, for the entirety of my trip.


Yes No

⊗ Close Save & Exit Continue >



Step 14: Upload your A&K itinerary and Airline Bookings. Continue

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Required Documents

Please upload the required document(s) below.

- Passport Information
- Selfie or Photo
- Contact Information
- Trip Information
- General Info
- Customs Declaration
- Health Declaration
- Insurance Info
- Required Documents
- Confirm and Proceed


Accommodation Booking Confirmations





Upload your booking confirmation(s) for your place of stay. This must include the name of the hotel/guesthouse. If you're visiting friends and family, provide the name, ID or passport number, and mobile phone number of your host.


 **Select File**

Airline Booking Confirmation

Upload your airline/cruise booking confirmation(s) which clearly shows your name and arrival/departure flight details.


 **Select File**

 Close  Save & Exit  Continue 



Step 15: Confirm that you're the applicant. Continue

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Confirm and Proceed

- ✔ Passport Information
- ✔ Selfie or Photo
- ✔ Contact Information
- ✔ Trip Information
- ✔ General Info
- ✔ Customs Declaration
- ✔ Health Declaration
- ✔ Insurance Info
- ✔ Required Documents
- ➔ Confirm and Proceed

Please make sure all information you are submitting is complete, updated and accurate. You can review and edit the information by clicking on the relevant sections. By proceeding, you a) declare that all the information you have provided is true and complete and you understand that you are committing an offense if you knowingly omit or give false information. b) you understand that an approved eTA does not determine whether a traveller is admissible to enter Kenya. Immigration officers will determine admissibility upon travellers' arrival. c) you understand that providing false or incomplete information may result in the rejection of your travel authorisation. d) you understand that if this application is made by an agent or automated system of a third party website, it may be automatically denied and no refund will be due. e) that if you are granted entry into Kenya, you will need to agree to comply with national laws of the Republic of Kenya.


I am the applicant and I understand and agree that this declaration is final and irrevocable and accept to digitally sign this request.

I am NOT the applicant and I am completing this form on behalf of someone. I do understand and agree that this declaration is final and irrevocable and accept to digitally sign this request.

Additional Notes


Please add any additional information that you believe would help us better process your application.

ⓧ Close Save & Exit Continue >



Step 16: Click on Standard Processing and Complete

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Application Processing Period

Based on your travel date, select the corresponding processing time.

- Application Processing Period
- Complete your Application


Standard Processing USD 32.50

- Your application will be processed within 72 hours
- Basic support
- If your application is incomplete you will be denied.

 Complete > 

Step 17: Input your card details and Pay.

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Complete your Application

Pay safely and securely using one of the payment methods below. All application fees and donations are non-refundable and non-transferrable. Third party providers' terms & conditions and refund policies apply

- ✔ Application Processing Period
- ➔ Complete your Application

Card number: 1234 1234 1234 1234    

Expiration: MM / YY

CVC: CVC 

Country: Kenya ▾

Total **USD 34.09**
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