Travel Advisory

Canada's entry requirements





Canada is introducing an Electronic Travel Authorization (eTA) for visa-exempt foreign nationals travelling to Canada by air. Travellers do not need an eTA if entering by land or sea.

Who needs an eTA and when do they need it?

Starting March 15, 2016, citizens from countries, other than the United States, who do not need a visa to enter Canada will need to obtain an eTA before flying to or transiting through Canada. To view the list of countries, visit Canada.ca/eTA.

How do travellers apply for an eTA?

Travellers can now go to **Canada.ca/eTA** and apply for an eTA. Applying is a simple, low-cost and fast process. All you need is a passport, a credit card, an email address and Internet access. In most cases, the eTA is granted within minutes.

Can a travel professional apply for a client?

Yes, as long as you indicate you are filling the form out as a representative when asked. Only **authorized representatives** can charge a fee for this service. If applying on behalf of clients, make sure to use your clients' email address so the Government of Canada can communicate directly with them, if necessary.

When should travellers get their eTA?

It is best for travellers to apply for their eTA **before** they book their flight to Canada.

Can people submit group applications?

No. You must apply one person at a time. For example, for a family of three, you will need to submit each application individually and pay the fee for each one.

How do people pay for an eTA?

The only acceptable forms of payment are Visa, MasterCard and American Express, including prepaid Visa, MasterCard and American Express cards. The eTA application fee is not refundable.

Quick eTA facts:

- costs only SGD 30.00
- valid for five years or until a passport expires, whichever comes first;
- electronically linked to the passport number entered when someone applies for an eTA, which means the person will need to travel to Canada with that passport; and
- allows for multiple entries to Canada.

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