



IMPORTANT VISA INFORMATION

Dear Traveler,

To assist you in preparing for your upcoming tour with Odysseys Unlimited: *Exploring Istanbul & the Black Sea*, we would like to advise you that a visa is required for entry to Turkey.

If you wish, you may obtain your visa upon arrival in Turkey at the Istanbul, airport. This is a quick and simple process that costs approximately \$30US per person.

Or, you may obtain your visa in advance through a visa service. Please note that this does entail a substantial processing fee. Should you wish to obtain your visa in advance, included below is a visa application form(s) and an instruction sheet for G3 Visas & Passports, the visa service we recommend.

You may also obtain your visa through a visa service of your choice or directly through the embassy of the country (or countries) you plan to visit. Should you choose to apply for your visa directly through an embassy or a different visa service, you must contact the embassy or visa service directly to obtain the proper forms and applications. The enclosed forms are valid for G3 Visas & Passports only.

To obtain your visa in advance, you must apply for your visa 45 to 60 days prior to your departure from the U.S. If you apply sooner, your visa may expire before the completion of your tour.

Please note that the visa application form must be filled out completely by each person traveling.

However you choose to obtain your visa, please note that your passport should be valid for at least six months following your tour, and that it should have at least 3 to 5 blank pages available, as you may be denied entry should these pages be unavailable.

We highly recommend that you use certified mail or a delivery service such as FedEx or USPS Express Mail when sending your passport to a visa service. Please be sure to use a service that allows you to track your package and provides a delivery confirmation.

These instructions are for U.S. citizens only. If you are not a U.S. citizen, or if you have any questions about the visa process, please contact G3 Visas & Passports directly (see enclosed forms for G3 contact information).

If you have any questions, please contact our Customer Service department, toll-free at (888) 370-6765, Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., ET, or you may send an e-mail to: customerservice@odysseys-unlimited.com

We look forward to providing you with an excellent travel experience.

Sincerely,

Claudia Schutz
Vice President, Reservations, Customer Service & Operations

Visa Instructions for Odysseys Unlimited Guests: Turkey

Exploring Istanbul and the Black Sea



G3 Visas & Passports

3300 North Fairfax Dr., Ste 220
Arlington, VA 22201
Tel: 888.883.8472, 703.276.8472
Fax: 703.524.3374
Email: Odysseys-Unlimited@g3visas.com

Please send the following to G3 Visas & Passports:

1. **Your original valid and signed passport**. The passport must have at least two blank pages marked "Visas" and must be valid for a least 6 months past the end of your trip.
2. Non-US citizens must include a copy of their Alien Registration card or US visa and original I-94.
3. One TURKEY visa application form, completed and signed (see attached).
4. One passport style photograph (2"x2"), taken within the last 6 months. The photo must be on photo paper and have a plain white background. Attach the photo with a paper clip; do not use tape or glue.
5. Proof of departure: i.e. copy of your computer-generated flight itinerary from Odysseys Unlimited.
6. This cover sheet with all fields completed; only one cover sheet is required per family.

Contact and Shipping Information:

Street address only for FedEx delivery - NO P.O. BOXES

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Daytime Tel # _____

Mobile Tel# _____

Date Departing US _____/_____/_____

Date Passport Needed _____/_____/_____

Email: _____

We will email you the tracking number when your visas are complete.

Names of additional travelers in your family group:

Shipping Fees: All return shipping fees are included. Your passport will be returned via Federal Express. FedEx cannot deliver to a P.O. Box; please provide a street address for delivery.

Special Notes: *additional services, delivery instructions, etc.*

Fees:

*Payment includes Embassy fees, G3 service fees, and return shipping via Federal Express. Requirements and fees are subject to change without notice. **Visas will take approximately 3 weeks to process.***

TURKEY Visa, single entry - *This visa is valid for six months from date of issue* **\$132.00**

Expedite Fee (\$40.00, optional) _____

Please include an expedite fee of \$40 per traveler if you require your passports to be returned to you in less than 3 weeks.

Total per Traveler _____

Number of Travelers _____

Amount Due for Visas & Fees _____

Payment Information:

All fees are payable to G3 Visas by:

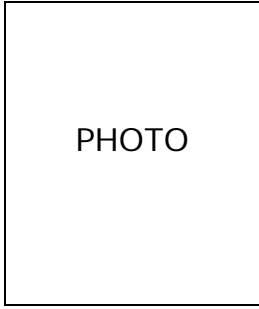
- o American Express, Discover, Visa, MasterCard
- o Check or Money Order payable to G3 Visas

I authorize G3 Visas to charge the amount of \$ _____ plus a 5% processing fee to my credit card.

Card Number: _____

Expiration date _____/_____/_____ Security Code _____

Signature of cardholder _____



<http://www.mfa.gov.tr/mfa>

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REPUBLIC OF TURKEY, MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

VISA APPLICATION FORM

1. Family name (as in passport)	2. Maiden name
3. First name(s) (as in passport)	4. Date of birth (year-month-day)
5. ID-number (optional)	6. Sex <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
7. Place of birth City :	8. Marital status: <input type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/> Married <input type="checkbox"/> Separated <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed <input type="checkbox"/> Other
Country.....	10. Citizenship at birth
9. Current citizenship	
11. Father's full name	12. Mother's full name

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Date of application:

13. Type of passport <input type="checkbox"/> Ordinary Passport <input type="checkbox"/> Diplomatic Passport <input type="checkbox"/> Service Passport	<input type="checkbox"/> Travel Document (1951 Convention) <input type="checkbox"/> Alien's passport <input type="checkbox"/> Seaman's Passport <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify).....	
14. Passport number	15. Issue and expiry date	16. Place of issue
17. If you are resident in a country other than your country of origin, have you permission to return to that country? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, (number and validity)		

Supporting documents:

Valid passport
Financial means
Invitation
Means of transport
Other:

18. Present occupation and profession	
19. Present work address	Telephone/ Fax Number
	E-mail address
20. Applicant's home address	Telephone number
	E-mail address

Visa:

Refused
 Granted

21. Type of Visa: <input type="checkbox"/> Transit <input type="checkbox"/> Short stay <input type="checkbox"/> Long stay	22. Number of entries requested <input type="checkbox"/> Single Entry <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple entry
23. Duration of stay- Visa is requested for: days	

24. Have you ever been refused a visa for Turkey?
 No
 Yes - When..... Where.....

25. Have you ever been deported from or required to leave Turkey ?
 No
 Yes - When..... Where.....

26. In the case of transit, have you an entry permit for the final country of destination?
 No Yes, valid until: Issuing authority:

Type of Visa:

- Single Entry
 Multiple Entry

- Transit
 Double Transit

- Tourist
 Business

- Work
 Education
 Other

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27. Purpose of trip
 Official Tourism Business Cultural/Sports
 Private visit (family or friends) Medical reasons
 Other (please specify)

28. Date of arrival **29.** Date of departure

30. Port of first entry or transit route **31.** Means of transport

32. Who is paying for your trip and costs of living during your stay in Turkey?
 Myself Host person(s) Host company
 (State who and how and please submit corresponding documentation)

33. Name of host or company in Turkey and contact person in host company. If not applicable, give name of hotel or temporary address in Turkey.
 Address Telephone/ Fax Number E-mail address

34. Means of support during your stay
 Cash Traveller's Cheque Credit cards Accommodation
 Other:
 Travel and/or health insurance. (optional) Valid until:

Valid

from:.....

To:.....

35. Spouse's

Family name		Nationality	
Maiden name		Date of birth	
First name		Place of birth	

36. Children (Application must be submitted seperately for each passport)
Family Name: First name: Date of birth:

1.
 2.
 3.

37. I certify that I have read and understood all the questions set forth in this application form and the answers I have furnished on this form are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that possession of a visa does not automatically entitle me to enter the Republic of Turkey upon arrival at a port of entry.

If I fail to comply with the relevant provisions of the Turkish Passport Law No: 5682 and Law on the Residence and Travel of Aliens in Turkey No: 5683, my entry will be refused and in case of refusal, I will not claim any compensation.

38. Place and date **39.** Signature (for minors, signature of custodian /guardian)