

# Estonia

## Travel Facts



### US State Dept Travel Advisory

The US Department of State currently recommends US citizens exercise normal precautions in Estonia.

<https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/traveladvisories/traveladvisories.html>

### Passport/Visa Requirements

For the latest passport and visa requirements for this country, please consult the U.S. State Department's "Learn About Your Destination" search tool, available through the link below.

<https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/international-travel/International-Travel-Country-Information-Pages.html>

### US Embassy/Consulate

[372] 668-8100; US Embassy in Tallinn, Kentmanni 20, 15099 Tallinn, Estonia; <https://ee.usembassy.gov/>; [acstallinn@state.gov](mailto:acstallinn@state.gov)

### Types of Travelers

Additional travel considerations can be found on the US Dept of State International Travel page.

<https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/international-travel.html>

### Telephone Code

372

### Local Emergency Phone

Ambulance: 112; Fire: 112; Police: 110

### Vaccinations

The CDC and WHO recommend the following vaccinations for Estonia: hepatitis A, hepatitis B, rabies, tickborne encephalitis, meningitis, polio, measles, mumps and rubella (MMR), Tdap (tetanus, diphtheria and pertussis), chickenpox, shingles, pneumonia, influenza, and COVID-19. <http://www.who.int/>

### Climate

Maritime; wet, moderate winters, cool summers

### Currency (Code)

Euros (EUR)

### Electricity/Voltage/Plug Type(s)

230 V / 50 Hz / plug types(s): C, F



Type C



Type F

### Major Languages

Estonian, Russian, Ukrainian

### Major Religions

Orthodox, Lutheran, other Christian

### Time Difference

UTC+2 (7 hours ahead of Washington, DC, during Standard Time); daylight saving time: +1hr, begins last Sunday in March, ends last Sunday in October

### Potable Water

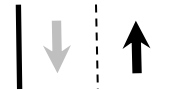
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### International Driving Permit

Suggested

### Road Driving Side

Right



### Tourist Destinations

Tallinn (includes Toompea Castle, Alexander Nevsky Cathedral); Tartu (includes Old Toen, Estonian National Museum); Lahemaa National Park; Saaremaa; Parnu; Narva Castle

### Major Sports

Soccer, basketball, skiing, volleyball, cycling, judo

### Cultural Practices

Estonians on the whole are quiet and reserved. They tend to speak softly and do not like to draw attention to themselves.

### Tipping Guidelines

If you do not like the service you do not need to tip. A 10% tip is polite and in many places expected for satisfactory or good service; a 20% tip is considered a thank you for exceptional service.

### Souvenirs

Juniper items, embroidered Muhu slippers, hand-knitted woolen items, carved-wood items, dried berries, jams, honey

### Traditional Cuisine

Verivorst — pork sausages made of barley, onion, allspice, marjoram, and blood and roasted together with potatoes and pork; typically accompanied with butter, sour cream, and sauerkraut on the side and topped with a cranberry or lingonberry compote.

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