# Slovenia **Travel Facts**





# **US State Dept Travel Advisory**

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

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**

+(386) (1) 200-5500; EMER: +(386) (1) 200-5556; US Embassy Ljubljana, Prešernova 31, 1000 Ljubljana, Slovenia; LjubljanaACS@state.gov; https://si.usembassy.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**

386

# **Local Emergency Phone**

112

#### Vaccinations

The CDC and WHO recommend the following vaccinations for Slovenia: 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

Mediterranean climate on the coast, continental climate with mild to hot summers and cold winters in the plateaus and valleys to the east

# **Currency (Code)**

Euros (EUR)

# Electricity/Voltage/Plug Type(s)

230 V / 50 Hz / plug types: F



# **Major Languages**

Slovenian, Serbo-Croatian, Italian, Hungarian

# **Major Religions**

Catholic, Orthodox, Muslim, Christian, other, atheist, non-believer/agnostic

# **Time Difference**

UTC+1 (6 hours ahead of Washington, DC, during Standard Time); daylight saving time: +1hr, begins last Sunday in March; ends last Sunday in October

# **Potable Water**

Yes

# **International Driving Permit**

Suggested

#### **Road Driving Side**

Right

#### **Tourist Destinations**

Lake Bled; Postojna Cave & Predjama Castle; Piran; Ljubljana; Royal Lipizzaner Horses from Lipica; Triglav National Park & Soča River

#### **Major Sports**

Soccer, athletics (track and field), basketball, boxing, handball

# **Cultural Practices**

Slovenians admire modesty and humility in business associates. They dislike people who boast about their accomplishments and achievements.

# **Tipping Guidelines**

In larger cities and major tourist areas, it is customary to leave about 10% of the bill; if you receive exceptional service, leave 15%.

# **Souvenirs**

Handmade lace; dragon-, carnation-, folklore-, and beehive-themed ceramic and wood decorative items; replica boats; crystal; gold jewelry; woven baskets; liquor and wine; Soviet-era money, stamps, and military paraphernalia

#### **Traditional Cuisine**

Štruklji — rolls of filo dough filled with savory or sweet fillings including meat, cottage cheese, apple, or walnuts; the dumplings can be boiled, steamed, or fried and served as a side dish to meat or as a dessert



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