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DEAR APPLICANT!



Currently, Kazakhstan is the first and only country in Central Asia recognized as a full member of the European higher education area. In this regard, the number of foreign students who have chosen Kazakhstan as their place of study and research is increasing annually. Polycultural environment allows you to quickly and easily adapt to the Kazakh identity and life. Our universities are open to all new students and are able to offer educational programs in various areas of professional activity. All higher education institutions are able to offer education in English. Kazakhstan also occupies high positions among the countries of the world in the field of security. Acquaintance with new people, culture, traditions of Kazakhstan will leave good and warm impressions. We are sure that having chosen the education of Kazakhstan, you will receive an invaluable and unforgettable experience, will make a great contribution to your future.

ABOUT THE REPUBLIC OF KAZAKHSTAN

Territory area - 2,724,902 km²

Population - 19.76 million people

The state language is Kazakh, Russian has the status of a language of interethnic communication.



Currency - tenge

The climate of Kazakhstan (with the exception of the south) is sharply continental with an average temperature between -4 ° C and -19 ° C in January and between +19 ... +26 ° C in July

Today, 102 higher educational institutions operate in Kazakhstan

There are 16 universities of Kazakhstan in the QS world ranking



VISA AND MIGRATION PROCEDURES

General requirements

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Immigration regulations may be liable to change on short notice; prospective visitors are advised to check on the current situation before departure (<https://www.gov.kz/memleket/entities/mfa/activities/96?lang=en>).

NON-COMPLIANCE WITH THE IMMIGRATION PROCEDURES MIGHT RESULT IN THE ADMINISTRATIVE FINES AND DEPORTATION TO THE COUNTRY OF ORIGIN. REPEATED VIOLATION MAY CAUSE SERIOUS LEGAL CONSEQUENCES.

Passport

All visitors to Kazakhstan are required to have passports which validity should not expire earlier than 3 months from the visa expiration date and must contain at least 2 blank pages intended for visa and stamps.

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Information about the visa regime of the Republic of Kazakhstan for foreign citizens is here

https://egov.kz/cms/ru/articles/visa_regime_for_foreigners

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C9 Student Visa

International students with a country of citizenship that is not listed in "Visa-Free Entry" section need a student visa (C9) to come to Kazakhstan. This type of visa is given for the period of one year and allows you to make multiple entries to Kazakhstan. Visa shall be renewed each year.

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Upon receipt of the invitation letter, the applicant submits all the documentation to the Kazakhstan's Embassy/Consulate abroad where he/she plans to obtain a visa. It is the personal responsibility of the applicant to double-check the list of the required documents (application form, photocopy, fee receipt etc.) on the web-site of the Embassy/Consulate. Also, you will need to pay a visa fee.

VISA AND MIGRATION PROCEDURES

- Visa invitation letter;
- Passport valid for at least 6 months longer than the validity of the requested visa and have at least 2 blank pages to stamp the visa;
- Completed visa application form (available on the web-site of the Embassy/Consulate);
- Photo 3,5x4,5;
- Visa fee (please note that the consular desk at the airports accept cash ONLY (USD/KZT)).

The following documents are usually required:

Visa can be issued:

- In the country of your citizenship (by the foreign establishments of the Republic of Kazakhstan: consular, diplomatic, and equivalent representation offices).
Visa issuance processing time: 5 business days
- At the international airports of the Republic of Kazakhstan upon arrival (if there are no consular, diplomatic, or equivalent representation offices in the country of the visa recipient's citizenship).

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Kazakhstan MFA Representation in Almaty
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MFA KZ contacts:

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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ENGLISH-KAZAKH DICTIONARY

Hello – Сәлем (Salem)

Good morning – Қайырлы таң (Qayyrly tan)

Good evening – Қайырлы кеш (Qayyrly kesh)

Good bye – Сау болыңыз (Sau bolynyz)

Thank you – Рахмет (Rahmet)

Please – Өтінемін (O'tinemin)

How are you? – Қалайсыз? (Qalaysyz?)

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My name is ... – Менің атым ... (Mening atym ..)

Yes – Иә (IYa')

No – Жоқ (Joq)

Excuse me – Кешіріңіз (Keshiriniz)

I don't understand – Мен түсінбеймін (Men ty'sinbeymin)

Can you help me? – Сіз маған көмектесе аласыз ба? (Sen maghan ko'mektese alasyn ba?)

I don't speak Kazakh – Мен қазақша сөйлемеймін (Men qazaqsha so'ylemeymin)

Bus – Автобус (Avtobus)

Shop – Дүкен (Du'ken)

Police – Полиция (Poliyciyya)

Currency exchange – Валюта айырбастау (Valyuta ayyrbastau)

Hospital – Аурухана (Auruhana)

Pharmacy – Дәріхана (Da'rihana)

What are you doing? - Сіз не істеп жатырсыз? (Siz ne istep jatırsız?)