

1. What are the visa requirements for entering Rwanda?

- Answer: As of 1st January 2018, nationals of all countries receive a visa on arrival at Kigali International Airport and all land borders. A single-entry tourist visa costs US \$50 (exclusions apply for select countries and is valid for 30 days.)
- Arriving guests with passports from commonwealth, Francophonie's, AU countries are eligible for Free entry Visa

2. What is the currency in Rwanda, and where can I exchange money?

- Answer: The Rwandan Franc (RWF) is the currency. Foreign currencies can be exchanged at banks, airports, and authorized forex bureaus. Major cities also have ATMs that accept international cards.

3. What are the official languages spoken in Rwanda?

- Answer: Kinyarwanda is the national language, but English and French are also official languages. Swahili is widely spoken, especially in urban areas.

4. What is the time zone in Rwanda?

- Answer: Rwanda operates on Central Africa Time (CAT), which is GMT+2.

5. What is the climate like in Rwanda, and what clothing should I bring?

- Answer: Rwanda has a temperate tropical highland climate, with lower temperatures than typical for equatorial countries. Light, breathable clothing is suitable year-round, with warmer layers for evenings. Rain gear is advisable, especially if traveling during the rainy seasons (March-May and October-November).

6. Are there any health-related concerns or required vaccinations for traveling to Rwanda?

- Answer: Rwanda has been removed from WHO endemic countries, All travelers from non-endemic countries are not required to produce Yellow Fever cert

7. Can I use my mobile phone in Rwanda?

- Answer: Rwanda has good mobile coverage. Visitors can purchase a local SIM card, which is a cost-effective way to make calls and use data. Ensure your phone is unlocked before traveling.

8. What are the emergency contact numbers in Rwanda?

- Answer: For police, dial 112; for ambulance services, dial 912. It's advisable to also have contact details for your country's embassy or consulate.

9. What are some must-see tourist attractions in Rwanda?

- Answer: The Volcanoes National Park for gorilla trekking, Nyungwe Forest National Park for rainforest hikes, and the Kigali Genocide Memorial are highly recommended.

10. What are the dining and cuisine options in Rwanda?

- Answer: Rwandan cuisine is diverse, with dishes like 'igitoki' (banana-based dish) and 'brochettes' (meat skewers). Kigali offers a variety of international restaurants as well.

11. Is Rwanda safe for tourists and conference delegates?

- Answer: Rwanda has a very high degree of safety and security. The 2018 Global Law and Order report has ranked Rwanda second in Africa.

12. What electrical plug type is used in Rwanda, and do I need a converter?

- Answer: Rwanda uses Type C and Type J plugs, and the standard voltage is 230 V. Travelers may need a power plug adapter and/or voltage converter for their devices.

13. What are the business hours and holiday schedules in Rwanda?

- Answer: Typical business hours are from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM, Monday to Friday. It's important to be aware of public holidays, as businesses and government offices may be closed.