

TOURIST VISA Requirements

- 1. Application addressed to the Consul of Costa Rica which must include the following applicant information:
 - a. Given name and last name
 - **b.** Nationality
 - c. Passport number
 - d. Residence address
 - e. Reason for travel
 - f. Expected time of permanence in Costa Rica
 - **q.** Location and approximate date of arrival and departure
 - **h.** Profession or occupation
 - i. Exact address in Costa Rica
 - i. Date and place of birth of the person concerned
 - k. Email and phone number to receive notifications
 - I. Date
 - m. Signature
- 2. **Tourist visa form.** Attach a color photograph of the face (5 cm x 5 cm), with white background.
- 3. Hotel reservation that covers the whole stay or signed invitation letter with a copy of the identification document of the person inviting.
- **4. Passport or valid travel document,** with an expiration date of no less than six months. A copy of all the pages of the same is required. The page of the passport with the personal information must be translated to Spanish, notarized and legalized.
- 5. Ticket reservation attempt, ticket or return or onward journey ticket.
- **6. Proof of economic solvency of the applicant,** as for example, bank account statements from the last 3 months, work letter, documents that prove possession of properties, etc.; duly translated into Spanish, notarized and legalized.
- 7. Valid criminal records, duly translated into Spanish, notarized and legalized.
- **8. Birth certificate,** duly translated into Spanish, notarized and legalized.
- 9. For minors, travel permit signed by both parents, duly translated into Spanish, notarized and legalized.
- **10.** The Consul or otherwise the General Directorate of Immigration can request, if necessary, additional documents issued in the applicants' country of origin every time the submission is fundamental for the analysis in the visa granting process.

Important note: All legal documents need to be translated into Spanish and properly legalized by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Emigrants of Lebanon. If the translations are not issued by official translators of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Worship of Costa Rica, they need to be notarized and legalized.

Providing the documents listed above does not mean that you will receive the visa.