

As stated on the Terms & Conditions: "Not included: Passport and visa fees, including any type of electronic travel authorization if needed (ETIAS, ETA etc.)" It is your sole responsibility to research and acquire any if applicable.

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Electronic Travel Authorisations (ETAs) are being introduced worldwide for visitors to the UK who do not currently need a visa for short stays, or who do not already have a UK immigration status.

Eligible non-Europeans can now apply for an ETA and will need an ETA to travel from **8 January 2025**.

Eligible Europeans can apply from **5 March 2025** and will need an ETA to travel from **2 April 2025**.

Applying for an ETA is quick and simple. Visitors should apply in advance and find out when to do so on GOV.UK

An **ETA costs £10** and permits multiple journeys to the UK for stays of up to six months at a time over two years or until the holder's passport expires – whichever is sooner.

The introduction of ETAs is in line with the approach many other countries have taken to border security, including the US and Australia, and helps prevent the arrival of those who present a threat to the UK.

How do people apply for an ETA?

- Information on who can get an ETA and how to apply before coming to the UK is available on [GOV.UK](https://www.gov.uk)
- The easiest way to apply for an ETA is through the "UK ETA app" which can be downloaded from the [Google Play](https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=uk.homeoffice.app) or [Apple App Store](https://apps.apple.com/uk/app/uk-eta/id1488888888). People can apply on [GOV.UK](https://www.gov.uk) if they do not have access to a smartphone.
- Applicants usually get a decision within three working days but may get a quicker decision if they use the UK ETA app.
- To apply for an ETA, applicants need to:
 - ◇ Pay a fee
 - ◇ Provide contact and passport details
 - ◇ Provide a valid photo, complying with our rules for digital photos on [GOV.UK](https://www.gov.uk)
 - ◇ Answer a set of questions

People must travel using the same passport they used when they applied for an ETA. **updated 2/14/2025**