

LEBANON

VISA REQUIREMENTS

All passengers making use of the Visas International Johannesburg and Durban offices to sign “Standard Trading Conditions form” – [click here](#)

All passengers making use of the Visas International Cape Town office to sign “Standard Trading Conditions form” – [click here](#)

GAUTENG/CAPE TOWN/DURBAN

- Valid passport (must be valid for at least six months after returning from Lebanon)
- Completed application [form](#)
- One color photograph
- Return ticket
- Non South African Passport holders must have proof of permanent residence in their passports
- **NOTE:** Authorization from the Security General in Beirut is required before a visa is granted
- Travelers with Israeli stamps in their passports will not be allowed to enter Lebanon
- 3 months recent bank statements
- Proof of international travel insurance policy.

Special Requirements for Tourist

- South African employment letter

- Proof of Accommodation. If staying with a host then will require a proper and clear address and contact number of the host in Lebanon.
- If the host is Lebanese then will need a copy of his/her ID or Lebanese passport. If the host is foreign then will need a copy of resident permit at least 3 months and a color scan of the passport.

Special Requirements for Business

- South African business letter
- The copy of the registration by the department of Trade and Commerce in Lebanon
- If the host is Lebanese then will need a copy of his/her ID or Lebanese passport. If the host is foreign then will need a copy of resident permit at least 3 months and a color scan of the passport.
- Invitation letter directed to the Embassy from the host company in Lebanon giving the nature of business and proof of relationship between the host company and South African company.

Minors

- Notarized parental consent is required for persons under 18 years of age if they are not traveling with a parent or legal guardian, OR if they are traveling with one parent only
- Minors traveling to Lebanon need to submit full-unabridged birth certificates

Delay

- 3 Weeks to 3 months