

Visa Requirements

Before leaving Canada, for visas and more information about Latvia, please contact the:

Embassy of the Republic of Latvia

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- With a Canadian passport it is currently possible to purchase a visa upon arrival at the airports of Rīga and Liepāja, and the seaports of Rīga, Liepāja and Ventspils. This is subject to change.

- When in Latvia, to extend your visa, please contact:

Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Consular Section for Foreigners

Elizabetes iela 57, 2nd Floor

Rīga LV - 1050

Latvia

Telephone +371-2-289 507 / 286 377 / 287 836

Opening hours: 9.00 - 12.00.

Holidays

Latvia has eleven public holidays during the year as follows:

January 1	New Year's Day
April	Good Friday and Easter
May 1	Constitution Announcement Day
May 9	Mother's Day
June 23	<i>Ligo</i> (Midsummer's Eve)
June 24	<i>Jāņi</i> (Summer Solstice)
November 18	Independence Day
December 25, 26	Christmas Holiday
December 31	New Year's Eve