

US State Dept Travel Advisory

The US Department of State currently recommends US citizens consult its website daily via the link below for updates to travel advisories and statements on safety, security, local laws, and special circumstances about visiting the United Kingdom and Jersey.

<https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/traveladvisories/traveladvisories.html>

Passport/Visa Requirements

US citizens should make sure their passport is valid at the date of their entering the country and during the length of their entire visit. They should also make sure they have at least 1 blank page in their passport for any entry stamp that will be required. A visa is not required as long as you do not stay in the United Kingdom and Jersey more than 6 months.

US Embassy/Consulate

+(44)(20) 7499-9000; US Embassy London, 33 Nine Elms Lane, London, SW11 7US, United Kingdom

LGBTQ+ Travelers

When venturing abroad, LGBTQIA+ travelers can face unique challenges since laws, attitudes, and legal protections vary from country to country. Consult the website via the link below to learn what precautions to take before and during your trip.

<https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/international-travel/before-you-go/travelers-with-special-considerations/lgbtqi.html>

Telephone Code

44

Local Emergency Phone

112, 999

Vaccinations

The CDC and WHO recommend the following vaccinations for Jersey: polio, measles, mumps and rubella (MMR), Tdap (tetanus, diphtheria and pertussis), chickenpox, shingles, pneumonia, COVID-19, and influenza. <http://www.who.int/>

Climate

Temperate; mild winters and cool summers

Currency (Code)

Jersey pounds (JEP)

Electricity/Voltage/Plug Type(s)

230 V / 50 Hz / plug types(s): G



Type G

Major Languages

English, Portuguese

Major Religions

Protestant (Anglican, Baptist, Congregational New Church, Methodist, Presbyterian), Roman Catholic

Time Difference

UTC 0 (5 hours ahead of Washington, DC, during Standard Time); daylight saving time: +1hr, begins last Sunday in March; ends last Sunday in October

Potable Water

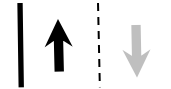
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International Driving Permit

Suggested

Road Driving Side

Left



Tourist Destinations

St. Helier (includes Royal Square, Jersey Museum); St. Aubin's Harbour; Mont Orgueil Castle; La Hougue Bie; Jersey Zoo; War Tunnels; Military Museum

Major Sports

Cricket, soccer, rugby, swimming, golf

Cultural Practices

Handshaking is customary when introduced to someone for the first time.

Tipping Guidelines

A service charge is not normally added to the bill, unless it is a large party; therefore, it is acceptable to leave 10% of the total. Taxi drivers do not expect tips. It is acceptable to tip hotel staff a small amount if they provide excellent service. Leave the extra change at a bar or nightclub.

Souvenirs

Jersey Black Butter, apple brandy, wine, cider, handmade chocolates; lavender bath and body products, candles, sachets, and edibles; ceramics and pottery

Traditional Cuisine

Bean jar — a one-pot dish typically made with pig's trotter, haricot beans, butter beans, bay leaves, onions, and carrots; the dish is baked for 6-8 hours

