

# Consulate General of the Republic of Suriname in Amsterdam

## **Tourist visa for Suriname**

Applicant is not an EU citizen, does not reside in the EU, there is no diplomatic of consular mission in the country of residence.

	ocuments	
-	A copy of the application form duly completed online and signed	
	- A separate form for minors (under 18 years) signed by the parent(s)/legal guardian + official documents proving parental authority/legal guardianship (birth certificate, etc.)	
•	A color passport size picture	
	<ul> <li>Not older than 6 months</li> <li>Not older than 3 months for children under 6 years.</li> <li>Specifications: professional quality, facing camera directly, neutral expression, mouth closed</li> </ul>	
•	Original passport	
	- The Passport should not be less than 6 months valid on arrival in Suriname	
	- The passport should have a least one page which is empty on both sides.	
•	Orginal residence permit, if applicable (or copy front/back)	
	- The residence permit should not be less than 3 months valid on arrival in Suriname.	
	Note: proof of valid Schengen visa, UK visa, US visa, etc. recommendable	
•	Proof of sufficient financial means	
	- If applicable, bank statements showing applicant's name, proof of salary, pension, etc.	
•	Flight ticket/reservation	
	- A copy of the e-ticket(s) showing entry and depature within 90 days (for persons of non-Surinamese origin).	
•	Host/sponsor/hotel reservation	
•	- Host/sponsor: full name, complete address and contact information must	
•	<ul> <li>Host/sponsor: full name, complete address and contact information must be typed into the online visa form</li> <li>Hotel accommodation: a copy of the confirmed hotel reservation</li> </ul>	
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•	<ul> <li>Host/sponsor: full name, complete address and contact information must be typed into the online visa form</li> <li>Hotel accommodation: a copy of the confirmed hotel reservation</li> <li>Renting an apartment: a copy of the contract</li> </ul>	

#### Please note:

- The Consulate will communicate in Dutch or English
- Documentation should if necessary be submitted with an official translation in the Dutch or English language
- Only complete applications will be taken into consideration
- Alternatives of supporting documents should be accompanied by an explanation
- On the basis of an interview additional information/documents not mentioned above may be required.

#### Online visa form:

When filling in the online visa form, please take the following into account:

- a social security number is not mandatory
- Disregard the "visa card" page (step 4) completely and proceed to the next step
- the visa fees mentioned in the visa form are not valid any more
- if your travel agent is not listed, click on the term "losse aanvraag" in the list.
- The visa form cannot be completed earlier than 2 months before the departure date

### Types of tourist visas:

- Tourist visa (single entry) : 40 euro
- Tourist visa (multiple entries within 2 months): 40 euro
- Tourist visa (multiple entries within 1 year): 150 euro

Maximum stay: 90 days for persons of non-Surinamese origin

#### Please check our website for:

- for other types of visas and visa fees
- bank information (payment instructions)
- Opening hours and closing dates

Payments to the bank account of the Consulate should <u>only be made after alignment</u> with the Visa department, see bank information.

### How to submit a visa application

Α.	In person/by a third party at the Visa office of the Consulate of Suriname in
	Amsterdam.

Monday – Friday, 09.00– 14.00 h. Address: De Cuserstraat 11, 1081 CK, Amsterdam

Complete visa applications can be processed in <u>one day,</u> provided there are no objections.

B. By registered mail of courier (see our website information)

## C. Only for non EU applicants who reside outside of the EU where there is no diplomatic or consular mission of Suriname

Visa advise should be obtained in advance by sending a <u>copy</u> of the relevant visa documents by email to the Consulate not earlier than 2 months before the intended departure date.

The visa advise request to <a href="mailto:consul.netherlands@foreignaffairs.gov.sr">consul.netherlands@foreignaffairs.gov.sr</a> should be <a href="mailto:limited">limited</a> to **1 (one) email message** with a **maximum of 10 pages** (attachments)

- The Consulate will reply/acknowledge receipt within 10 days
- A decision will follow after at least 15 working days.

In case of a favorable consideration the original passport + all original visa documents must be submitted at the Consulate in Amsterdam in a timely manner, as mentioned in A or B.