



Algeria



US State Dept Travel Advisory For the latest travel advisories for this country, please consult the U.S. State Department's website, available through the link below.

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

Passport/Visa Requirements For the latest passport and visa requirements for this country, please consult the U.S. State Department's "Learn About Your Destination" search tool, available through the link below.

<https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/international-travel/International-Travel-Country-Information-Pages.html>

US Embassy/Consulate [213] (0) 770-08-2000; US Embassy in Algiers, 05 Chemin Cheikh Bachir Ibrahimi, El-Biar 16030, Alger, Algeria; <https://dz.usembassy.gov/>; ACSAlgiers@state.gov

LGBTQIA+, Women, and Special Needs Travelers Additional travel considerations can be found on the US State Department's International Travel page.
<https://travel.state.gov/content/travel/en/international-travel/before-you-go/travelers-with-special-considerations.html>

Telephone Code 213

Local Emergency Phone Ambulance: 21606666; Fire: 14; Police: 17

Vaccinations For the latest information on required or recommended vaccines, please visit the CDC's website, available through the link below.

<https://wwwnc.cdc.gov/travel/destinations/list>

Climate Arid to semiarid; mild, wet winters with hot, dry summers on high plateau; sirocco is a hot, dust/sand-laden wind especially common in summer

Currency (Code) Dinars (DZD)

Electricity/Voltage/Plug Type(s)	230 V / 50 Hz / plug types(s): C, F
	 Type C  Type F
Major Languages	Arabic (official), French (lingua franca), Berber or Tamazight (official); Berber dialects include Kabyle, Shawiya, Mzab, and Tuareg
Time Difference	UTC+1 (6 hours ahead of Washington, DC, during Standard Time)
Potable Water	Opt for bottled water
International Driving Permit	Suggested
Road Driving Side	Right



Souvenirs	Kandura tunics, leather items, rugs, copper and brassware, coral jewelry
Traditional Cuisine	Most of the Algerian dishes are centered around bread, meats (lamb, beef or poultry), olive oil, vegetables, and fresh herbs. Vegetables are often used for salads, soups, tajines, couscous, and sauce-based dishes.