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GENERAL INFORMATION

PASSPORT AND VISA'S

Make sure you have a current passport that is good for at least 6 months after your return (passports are good for 10 years). Kenya requires a visa to enter the country. You can either get your visa prior to departure by sending your passport to the Kenyan embassy (Jennifer can advise you how to do this) or, you can get it on your arrival at Jomo Kenyatta airport. This is not difficult, it is the way we always do it ourselves. You can download a form and fill it out to take with you, or get one when you get to the airport – follow the signs to the "visa" desk. Sometimes they hand the forms out on the plane, sometimes they don't. Cost is \$51U.S. per person. IMPORTANT – you must pay in cash and the cash MUST BE NEW BILLS - current issue and not torn or mutilated. This is very important, immigrations official will refuse to take it if it is older issue or in poor condition. Go to your bank before your departure and request new current issue money.

You need to plan to keep your passport on your person at all times even on game drives.

STEP

It's a good idea to register with our embassy prior to any international trip - via the STEP (Smart Traveler Enrollment Program). You can click on this link for more information https://step.state.gov

TRAVELER PRE CHECK & or GLOBAL ENTRY

These programs are designed to get you through TSA security lines, and re-entry into the country. You might want to do some research on these and see if they are worthwhile to get.