

Information for foreign citizens staying in St. Petersburg

Tourist information support in Russian, English, German and French, including guidance in emergency cases:

8 (812) 324-03-03

8 (800) 222-88-12

Operating hours: from 9 a.m. till 9 p.m.

You can ask questions on the Visit Petersburg website through:

- online chat jivosite - <http://www.visit-petersburg.ru/ru>

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- Facebook - <https://www.facebook.com/VisitPetersburg/>
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- ВКонтакте Visit Petersburg - <https://vk.com/visitpetersburg>

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You can obtain information about the procedure of your departure from St. Petersburg by air from the airline companies or at the following telephone numbers of the **Pulkovo airport information service**:

8 (812) 337-38-22

8 (812) 337-34-44

Pulkovo Airport website: pulkovoairport.ru

Contact number of the Consular Affairs Division of the Foreign Ministry Representative in St. Petersburg:

8 (812) 275-36-50

Attention!

The procedure for applying foreign citizens on the issue of extending the period of stay in the Russian Federation¹

List of the Main Directorate of the Ministry of Internal Affairs of Russia for St. Petersburg and the Leningrad Region you can find here

<https://clck.ru/MaKLX> or use QR-code:



The territorial divisions of the Ministry of Internal Affairs of Russia at the level of St. Petersburg districts and the Leningrad Oblast districts (link to the list of addresses) receive the following categories of citizens:

- **Foreign citizens** who arrived in the Russian Federation **based on visas for the purpose of entering “private”, “tourism”** - **the validity of existing visas is extended to 90 days**, in case of expiration, the temporary stay of foreign citizens is extended to 90 days on a motivated request (with any specific form) on the extension of the temporary stay period, without extending the visa.
- **Foreign citizens** who have arrived in the **Russian Federation in a manner that does not require a visa**, including Russian Federation international agreements on short-term visa-free travel for certain categories of citizens and in the case of expiration of a permitted period of temporary stay for this category of people, **temporary stay period increased to 90 days** based on a motivated request (with any specific form) to extend the period of temporary stay.

¹ In the framework of the Government of the Russian Federation order of March 16, 2020 No. 635-r and the order of the Ministry of Internal Affairs of Russia of March 17, 2020, No. 1/285 “On the package of additional measures to prevent the spread of new coronavirus infection”

Days of the week	Reception hours, first-come, first-served basis Applicants - individuals
Monday	13.45-15.00
Tuesday	11.00-13.00
Thursday	16.00-20.00
Friday	09.00-12.00

Days of the week	Reception hours, first-come, first-served basis Applicants – legal entities
Monday	09.00-12.00
Tuesday	13.45-18.00
Thursday	11.00-13.00
Friday	13.45-16.45

Days of the week	Admission by appointment
Monday	12.00-13.00
Tuesday	18.00-20.00
Thursday	13.45-16.00
Friday	12.00-13.00

The Department of Migration Registration, Visas and Invitation of the Ministry of Internal Affairs of Russia for St. Petersburg and Leningrad Oblast is located at St. Petersburg, 15 Krasnogo Tekstilshchika Street, the entrance is to the left on the main entrance, first floor, window №135.

For foreign citizens who arrived in the Russian Federation on the basis of business, commercial and work visas, the validity of existing visas is extended to 90 days. In case of expiration, the temporary stay is extended to 90 days based on the motivated statement (in the arbitrary form) to extend the period of temporary stay with subsequent transit visa issuance for departure from the territory of the Russian Federation.

The transit visa issuance for the departure from the Russian Federation is carried out:

- **until April 1, 2020** by the Labor Migration Department of the Migration Affairs Directorate of the Main Directorate of the Ministry of Internal Affairs
- **after April 1, 2020** by the Migration Registration, Visas and Invitations Department of the Migration Affairs Directorate of the Main Directorate of the Ministry of Internal Affairs (St. Petersburg, 15 Krasnogo Tekstilshchika St.).

Days of the week	Reception hours, first-come, first-served basis
Monday	10.00-13.00, 13.45-17.00
Tuesday	10.00-13.00, 13.45-17.00
Thursday	10.00-13.00, 13.45-17.00
Friday	10.00-13.00, 13.45-17.00
Saturday	10.00-13.00

WEDNESDAY is a day off. If your visa expires and you need to apply to the migration office on Wednesday, you can apply on THURSDAY.