

# Regulations on Entering Taiwan-1/4-Taiwan Nationals, Foreign Nationals

(Starting Jan. 1 2023 Taipei Time)

Traveler Type	History of Travel	Eligible to Enter Taiwan?	Requirement
R.O.C. (Taiwan) Nationals	Departure from any international port	Yes	1. Travelers who test positive abroad are required to wait over 5 days from their specimen collection date before taking a flight to Taiwan. 2. entry quarantine measures <sup>*note1</sup> 、 <sup>2</sup>

Traveler Type	Credentials		Eligible to Enter Taiwan?	Requirement
Foreign Nationals	Holders of ARC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ARC means R.O.C. (Taiwan) Resident Certificate</li> </ul> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Open to all purposes of entry</li> <li>Migrant workers must also hold re-entry permits</li> </ol>	Yes	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Travelers who test positive abroad are required to wait over 5 days from their specimen collection date before taking a flight to Taiwan.</li> <li>entry quarantine measures <sup>*note1</sup>、<sup>2</sup></li> </ol>
	Non-ARC holders	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nationals of the visa-exempt entry scheme announced by Ministry of Foreign Affairs <sup>*note3</sup></li> <li>Travelers who hold R.O.C. (Taiwan) Visa <sup>*note3</sup></li> </ol>		

## Note:

- All travelers are required to undergo a 7-day self-initiated epidemic prevention. Travelers who have experienced any suspected COVID-19 symptoms in the 14 days before arrival should voluntarily report their symptoms to a Taiwan [Centers for Disease Control](#) quarantine officer at the airport/port. Such travelers should cooperate in undergoing a saliva test. All travelers are required to follow other regulations and instructions announced by Taiwan Centers for Disease Control.
- Passengers arriving Taiwan from China on direct cross-strait flights and through the special travel arrangement for residents of Kinmen and Matsu counties during the Lunar New Year are required to undergo saliva-based PCR tests at airports (or ports) of entry and follow quarantine measures.
- For Visa-exempt entry scheme, Landing Visa, e-Visa, or general Visa application, please visit [Bureau of Consular Affairs website](#) for details. For Travel Authorization Certificate for nationals from Southeast Asian countries (Conditional Visa-Free Entry) Application, please visit National Immigration Agency website.
- Migrant workers should follow instructions by [Ministry of Labor](#). Students should follow instructions by [Ministry of Education](#).



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# Regulations on Entering Taiwan-2/4-Hong Kong/ Macao Residents

• ARC means R.O.C. (Taiwan) Resident Certificate

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Hong Kong/ Macao Residents	Holders of ARC	Open to all purposes of entry.	Yes	1. Travelers who test positive abroad are required to wait over 5 days from their specimen collection date before taking a flight to Taiwan. 2. entry quarantine measures <sup>*note1</sup> 、 <sup>2</sup>
	Holders of Entry Permit to R.O.C.	1. Entry as a spouse / relative of Taiwan nationals ; Or a spouse/relative of holders of ARC. <sup>*note3</sup> 2. Entry as a spouse/relative whose entry purpose is to visit a family member who is ill or deceased in Taiwan. <sup>*note3</sup> 3. Entry for business activities. 4. Entry as students of colleges, universities, or high schools. <sup>*note4</sup> 5. Entry as international medical personnel, or as the companion of the patient. 6. Entry for employment. (Limited to white-collar workers) 7. Entry for religious activities. (Includes religious works/missionaries and religious doctrine studies) 8. Entry for group tourism. <sup>*note5</sup>		
	All others		No	

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 2. Passengers arriving Taiwan from China on direct cross-strait flights and through the special travel arrangement for residents of Kinmen and Matsu counties during the Lunar New Year are required to undergo saliva-based PCR tests at airports (or ports) of entry and follow quarantine measures.  
 3. A relative refers to 3rd degree blood relative and his/her spouse. 4. Students should follow instructions by [Ministry of Education](#).  
 5. Applications shall be filed through travel agencies approved by the Tourism Bureau of the MOTC. The each group can consist of 5 to 40 people and can stay in Taiwan for up to 15 days.

# Regulations on Entering Taiwan-3/4-Mainland Chinese

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Mainland Chinese	Holders of ARC	Open to all purposes of entry.	Yes	1. Travelers who test positive abroad are required to wait over 5 days from their specimen collection date before taking a flight to Taiwan. 2. entry quarantine measures <sup>*note1</sup> 、 <sup>2</sup>
	Holders of Entry Permit to R.O.C.	1. Entry as a spouse / underage child of Taiwan nationals ; Or a spouse/ underage child of holders of ARC . <sup>*note3</sup> 2. Entry for short-term visit to family or attending funeral (Including to claim the remains/ ashes of the deceased). 3. Entry for humanitarian visit under judicial permission, or visiting a relative who experiences catastrophic illness or injury. Entry for obtaining public law payment, or receive inheritance. 4. Entry for fulfilling contractual obligations or as part of internal transfers within multinational enterprises. 5. Entry as personnel of air carrier/ shipping company; Or a crew, seafarer, technician of aircraft/ship. 6. Entry as college or university students and short-term students. <sup>*note4</sup> 7. Entry as international medical personnel, or as the companion of the patient.		
	All others		No	

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- Passengers arriving Taiwan from China on direct cross-strait flights and through the special travel arrangement for residents of Kinmen and Matsu counties during the Lunar New Year are required to undergo saliva-based PCR tests at airports (or ports) of entry and follow quarantine measures.
- ARC holders as migrant workers or students will not be eligible.
- Students should follow instructions by [Ministry of Education](#).



## Regulations on Entering Taiwan-4/4-Useful Links

Authority	Webpage (Click to open webpage)	QR Code (Use mobile device to scan)
Ministry of Health and Welfare	<a href="#">Border Quarantine...[click]</a>	Taiwan Centers for Disease Control (CDC) Website  
	<a href="#">FAQs...[click]</a>	
	<a href="#">Measures for at-home rapid test kit...[click]</a>	
Ministry of Foreign Affairs	<a href="#">Entry restrictions for foreigners to Taiwan in response to COVID-19 outbreak...[click]</a>	
	<a href="#">Visa-Exempt Entry Scheme (Starting from September 12, 2022) ...[click]</a>	
Ministry of Labor	<a href="#">Entry and Departure of the Foreign Labor at Airport Care Service...[click]</a>	
Ministry of Education	<a href="#">Instructional materials...[click]</a>	
National Immigration Agency	<a href="#">COVID-19 Epidemic News...[click]</a>	

