

Since April 28th, 2015, US citizens can apply to obtain a visa (business or tourist) up to 5 years at the Embassy according to the bilateral agreement.

For obtaining a five year visa, US citizens need to provide the following

documents

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1. Completed visa application form. Please type and provide answers to all of the questions.

2. One passport size color photograph (2*2 inches) that should be stapled to the provided space on the upper right hand corner of the application form.
3. A valid passport (a photocopy will not be accepted) that should have at least one clear page for a visa. Your passport must be valid for at least 90 days after the validity of the requested visa expires.
4. A letter from the organization that sends or invites you to Kyrgyzstan.

5. Money order (consular fees - 205USD for a visa up to 5 years).

6. A stamped or prepaid self-addressed Mail envelope if **you apply by mail, you should enclose a stamped or prepaid self-addressed Mail envelope such as USPS, UPS, or Fedex.** Embassy does not accept requests to change the mailing service type, date or make a payment to expedite the services on behalf of the visa applicants, even if the visa applicant is ready to pay for services.

Visa Processing Time

As the completed visa application form is received with all required documents the Consular Section of the Embassy will process and issue visas **within 5 business days**. Therefore the Consular Section strongly encourages visa applicants and their agents to apply as early as possible and provide complete application form with required documents as instructed.

Urgent visa can be issued within **3 business days**. Consular fee for urgent services is **double of**

the original price.

Diplomatic, Official and UN Laissez-Passer passport holders will be issued visas within 5 business days and are free of charge.