



IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR CRUISE

DANUBE WALTZ or ROMANTIC DANUBE (UK GUESTS)

Effective from September 22, 2021

The information below is based on current regulations for the country/countries on this itinerary and the protocols outlined in the Viking Health & Safety Programme. Requirements change on an ongoing basis and may be updated before your departure.

Please recheck this information regularly prior to your departure for any changes.

TO TRAVEL ON THIS JOURNEY, YOU WILL NEED:

1. A valid passport (must be valid for 6 months beyond your planned trip dates).
2. Proof of **full vaccination** by the time of departure with FDA/WHO approved COVID-19 vaccine, including Moderna, Pfizer-BioNTech (Comirnaty), Johnson & Johnson (Janssen) or AstraZeneca/Oxford (Covishield, Vaxzevria). You are **considered fully vaccinated** two weeks after your second shot of the Moderna, Pfizer-BioNTech or AstraZeneca/Oxford vaccine, or four weeks after the single-dose Johnson & Johnson vaccine. Your NHS appointment card from vaccination centres is not designed to be used as proof of vaccination and should not be used to demonstrate your vaccine status. <https://www.gov.uk/foreign-travel-advice/czech-republic/entry-requirements>. For entry to Austria, your second injection must have taken place no more than 270 days before arrival (9 months). Single shot vaccines must have taken place more than 21 but no more than 270 days before arrival (9 months). <https://www.gov.uk/foreign-travel-advice/austria/entry-requirements>.
3. Entry requirements for European countries are changing regularly. Although several countries do not require a negative COVID-19 test result for entry, **Viking now requires that all our guests get a COVID-19 PCR test 72 hours prior to departure** (prior to **arrival** for Hungary), **unless it is already required by the country for entry** (see chart below). *This applies to all departures Sep 23 through Oct 31, 2021; future departures to be determined.* This reduces your likelihood of being delayed, denied entry due to changing regulations, or positive (asymptomatic) test results on arrival. Should you or your immediate travel companion have a positive test result, you will not be able to travel as scheduled; please contact your Travel Advisor or Viking so we can reschedule you.
4. If starting in the Czech Republic, a Passenger Locator Form (details below).
5. If starting in Germany, a Digital Registration on Entry form (Digitale Einreiseanmeldung).

WHAT YOU NEED TO DO BEFORE YOU GO:

To ensure you have completed the necessary steps to travel, we have prepared the following countdown timeline.

Days Prior to Departure	Description
As soon as possible	Ensure your passport is valid for at least 6 months beyond your trip date. Also, please ensure you have adequate travel insurance to cover medical expenses including COVID-19 cover.
14 (22 for J&J)	Receive your final FDA/WHO approved COVID-19 vaccine dose. All Viking sailings will be available exclusively for vaccinated guests. If you cannot access to your COVID-19 details via the NHS app, you must provide proof of vaccine.
10	Complete VeriFLY Vaccine Certification following the steps outlined here .
7	Receive your final FDA/WHO approved COVID-19 vaccine dose. All Viking sailings will be available exclusively for vaccinated guests. If you cannot access to your COVID-19 details via the NHS app, you must provide proof of vaccine.
Not more than 3	If you are starting in Hungary , get a COVID-19 PCR Test (nasal swab) 72 hours prior to arrival, with a printed and/or electronic copy of the results (not a text). Note: UK's NHS Tests are not valid for travel purposes; PCR test must be from an authorised Government provider. Even if you are not starting in Hungary, you must get a COVID-19 PCR Test (nasal swab) to satisfy Viking requirements 72 hours prior to departure, with a printed and/or electronic copy of the results (not a text).
2	If starting in Germany , complete a Digital Registration on Entry form here: https://www.einreiseanmeldung.de/ . Enter your mobile phone number as a continuous series of digits preceded by the UK county code +44 (e.g. +441234123123). For your address in Germany, use below: If booked on Romantic Danube: For Postcode, enter: 93047; for City, select: 93047 Regensburg - Innenstadt; for Street, enter: Marc-Aurel-Ufer; select full address: Marc-Aurel-Ufer, 93047 Regensburg – Innenstadt; for House number, enter: 5. Remaining address fields will auto-populate. If booked on Danube Waltz: For Postcode, enter 94032; for City, select: 94032 Passau - Altstadt; for Street, enter: Kastnergasse; select full address Kastnergasse, 94032 Passau – Altstadt; for House number, enter: 2. Remaining address fields will auto-populate. Under “Potential exemptions from the obligation to quarantine” select “No information” and click Next. On the next page, click Send now. Save and print your PDF confirmation (Digitale Einreiseanmeldung), then follow instructions to upload your proof of vaccination. Your information is submitted digitally to the German authorities, but you will need to bring a printed copy of your Digitale Einreiseanmeldung to show to the airline on check-in. If you are starting in the Czech Republic , fill out your Passenger Locator Form : https://plf.uzis.cz/ . For “City” select: Praha (Hlavní město Praha), then type the street name and number for your hotel address in the drop down (use the first hotel listed in your cruise e-docs). Once completed, hit “Send”; you will receive a QR code with your info. Print and take this with you. You will also receive an email about your Passenger Locator Form; be sure to click the email link to verify your identity, and follow any resulting instructions.

Before your flight	<p>Assemble your Travel Documents</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Valid Passport, must be valid for 6 months beyond your trip date • Proof of Full Vaccination with FDA/WHO Approved Vaccine—in most cases, this will be your NHS app with proof of vaccine • Your negative PCR test results. • If starting in the Czech Republic, your Passenger Locator Form (#4 above) • If starting in Germany, a printed copy of your completed Registration on Entry form (Digitale Einreiseanmeldung) • Your printed out cruise e-documents and air tickets.
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WHAT TO EXPECT WHEN YOU ARRIVE:

Airport Arrival in Destination: After clearing all the document verification checkpoints (e.g., customs, immigration) and completing a routine temperature check, proceed to meet the Viking staff at baggage claim, who will assist you in transferring to the ship (or hotel for pre-cruise extensions).

At Your Hotel (if applicable): Check in to your hotel; a Viking Host will be available during business hours to assist you with any questions. Depending on your extension, you may be asked to complete a COVID-19 test (via non-invasive saliva sample).

Embarkation: Upon embarking your ship, your temperature will be automatically scanned by a non-invasive infrared camera (for a reading of less than 100.4°F/38°C), and you will be asked to supply a non-invasive saliva test sample for your COVID-19 PCR test. You may also be asked questions relevant to your general health, COVID-19 symptoms or possible exposure. You will need to accept and agree to contact-tracing procedures while traveling with Viking.

During Your Cruise: You will have periodic COVID-19 tests (via non-invasive saliva samples) on board as required by Viking and/or any countries through which we sail. You should also have your mask, proof of vaccination and passport with you in case it is needed; your cruise staff will inform you of any such requirements, and will handle the paperwork for border crossings.

Disembarkation/Return Flight: To satisfy your pre-flight COVID-19 PCR test requirement for your return home, prior to leaving your Viking ship you will take a final COVID-19 PCR test (via non-invasive saliva sample). *Note if you are continuing independently, you are responsible for getting your own COVID-19 test prior to departure. Tests are readily available across Europe.*

About Health and Safety Protocols on Your Journey: In addition to each destination’s government regulations, additional protocols within the Viking Health & Safety Programme have been implemented to protect our guests and crew. For more information, please visit the [Viking Health & Safety Programme](#) site.

If you have any questions regarding the above, please contact Guest Services at 020 8780 7900

Please continue to check the Viking site for the most up-to-date information, and visit

(Germany) <https://www.bundesgesundheitsministerium.de/coronavirus-infos-reisende/faq-tests-einreisende.html>;

(Hungary) <http://www.police.hu/en/content/information-on-general-rules-of-border-crossing> for details.