

## Get your Schengen Visa for the summer NOW



[Enlarge image](#) Pfalzgrafenstein castle on the Falkenau island in the Rhine river near Kaub (© dpa / picture alliance)

### IMPORTANT

Start preparing for your summer holiday in Europe now. **If you wish to travel to Germany in June or July, you can apply for your visa up to 3 months before (in March or April) already.** This will assure you getting your visa on time and without having to worry about missing flights.

The visa section of the German Embassy will do its best to issue Schengen visa on time. However, with numbers of applications rising in April already, longer waiting times will be inevitable. Please apply at our external service provider VFS as early as possible (the earliest being three months ahead of your planned trip)!

PLEASE NOTE THAT SUBMITTING FALSIFIED AND FAKED DOCUMENTS WILL LEAD TO A REJECTION OF YOUR VISA REQUEST. IN YOUR OWN INTEREST, PLEASE MAKE SURE CORRECT DOCUMENTS ARE BEING SUBMITTED EITHER BY YOURSELF OR YOUR TRAVEL AGENT.