

## USA Embassy and Consulates in India

Hi Friends,

Let's know about **USA Embassy and Consulates in India** from the angle of F1-Visa

1. United States Embassy - New Delhi.
2. United States Consulate - Chennai.
3. United States Consulate - Calcutta.
4. United States Consulate - Mumbai.

**URL's of Embassy and Consulates:**

<http://newdelhi.usembassy.gov/>

<http://chennai.usconsulate.gov/>

<http://calcutta.usconsulate.gov/>

<http://mumbai.usconsulate.gov/>

**Email ids of US Embassy and Consulates for enquiring about F1-Visa and related issues:**

**New Delhi:** [nivnd@state.gov](mailto:nivnd@state.gov)

**Chennai:** [chennaiNIV@state.gov](mailto:chennaiNIV@state.gov)

**Calcutta:** [Consular\\_Calcutta@state.gov](mailto:Consular_Calcutta@state.gov)

**Mumbai:** [MumbaiNIV@state.gov](mailto:MumbaiNIV@state.gov)

**For Visa Appointment use the following links:**

**New Delhi:** [www.ttsvisas.com](http://www.ttsvisas.com)

**Chennai:** [www.ttsvisas.com](http://www.ttsvisas.com)

**Calcutta:** [www.ttsvisas.com](http://www.ttsvisas.com)

**Note:** at 'ttsvisas' home page, on left side under **Services** menu use the very first link of **US Embassy/Consulate Appointment** for filling the form.

**Mumbai:** <http://visa-services.com/index.html> or  
<http://visa-services.com/interview-students-online.html>

In the above **first link** of '**visa-services**' click on icon '**FMJ Visa**'

*In next info-mail we'll see how to take visa appointment in Mumbai.*

## What is a Consular District?

**Consular District** - means the area assigned to an Embassy or Consulate post or office for the exercise of consular functions.

Consular districts help one to go for visa, to only that Embassy/Consulate under which his/her Consular District falls. If you want to apply for other consulates, which doesn't cover your consular district area, then you need to follow certain rules and instructions like, **taking prior permission** from the consulate office to which you want to go for visa or follow rules as publicized from time to time in their respective websites. If you are not following these rules, chances are more that you will be denied interview and may be asked to go back to Embassy/Consulate under which your area falls. It's denial of visa and almost like wasting a very good chance you are

hoping for. From then onwards you will be treated as a re-applicant or second timer only for the subsequent interviews. So don't do anything blindly. Give sufficient thought for your actions and follow the rules as specified from time to time.

## US Embassy / Consulates - Consular Districts:

### NEW DELHI

Covers residents of Delhi and the north Indian states of Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Jammu & Kashmir, Punjab, Rajasthan, Uttar Pradesh and Uttaranchal.

### CHENNAI (Madras)

Covers residents of the southern states of Andhra Pradesh, Kerala, Tamil Nadu, Karnataka, Lakshadweep Islands and Pondicherry.

### CALCUTTA (Kolkata)

Covers residents of Assam, Manipur, Meghalaya, Nagaland, Tripura, Bihar, Orissa, West Bengal, Arunachal Pradesh, Sikkim, Mizoram, Jharkhand, Andaman and Nicobar Islands.

### MUMBAI (Bombay)

Covers residents of the western states of Gujarat, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Goa and Union Territories Daman, Diu, Dadra and Nagar Haveli.

**An Important Note:** If you are in doubt to which consulate you have to apply for visa, as you have taken passport from one consular district region and now residing or your permanent residence is actually in another consular district region, kindly send a mail to both the consulates under

Which your passport region falls and your permanent residency fall. There's no need to ask for help regarding these issues in yahoo groups as, you may not get right kind of help, as nobody can solve this except the respective consulates of your passport and residency. Send a mail to the email-id's of respective consulates (mentioned in this document), and then after getting reply (Generally within 24 hrs you get reply), keep a copy of that as a proof to present at the time of interview, if you have been asked why you are coming to particular consulate for interview.

Let's see individual details of each Embassy/Consulates.

## New Delhi

U.S. Embassy  
Shantipath, Chanakyapuri  
New Delhi - 110021

All NIV inquiries

By email at: [nivnd@state.gov](mailto:nivnd@state.gov)

By telephone to: Communication Unit

Telephone: (011) 24198310, (011) 24198273

(10 am to 12 pm and 2 pm to 4 pm)

Fax: (011) 2419-8407

### Location:

The Consular Section of the U.S. Embassy, New Delhi, is located on Nyaya Marg, Chanakyapuri, New Delhi.

All individuals who need to appear at the embassy for visas matters should report to **Gate 6 (Visa Gate)**, located on **Nyaya Marg**.

**NOTE: Due to administrative work, visa section is closed on the last working day of each month**

### List of remaining Holidays 2005

March 25 Friday - Good Friday

May 23 Monday - Buddha Purnima

May 30 Monday - Memorial Day

July 4 Monday - Independence Day - American

August 15 Monday - Independence Day - Indian

August 19 Friday - Raksha Bandhan

September 5 Monday - Labor Day

October 10 Monday - Columbus Day

October 12 Wednesday - Dussehra (Vijaya Dashami)

November 1 Tuesday - Diwali (Deepawali)  
November 4 Friday - Idu'l Fitr  
November 11 Friday - Veterans' Day  
November 15 Tuesday - Guru Nanak's Birthday  
November 24 Thursday - Thanksgiving Day  
December 26 Monday - Christmas Day (in lieu of).

## Chennai

Consulate General of the United States of America  
Gemini Circle  
220 Anna Salai  
Chennai 600 006

Telephone: (044) - 2811 2000

Facsimile: (044) - 2811 2020, (044) - 2811-2027

Email is the preferred and most effective method of inquiry

Non-Immigrant Visas: [chennaiNIV@state.gov](mailto:chennaiNIV@state.gov)

Working 8:15 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. (Monday through Friday)

### List of remaining Holidays 2005

March 25 Friday - Good Friday  
April 14 Thursday - Tamil New Year's Day  
May 30 Monday - Memorial Day  
July 4 Monday - American Independence Day  
August 15 Monday - Independence Day  
September 5 Monday - Labor Day  
September 7 Wednesday - Vinayaka Chaturthi  
October 10 Monday - Columbus Day  
October 11 Tuesday - Ayudha Pooja  
November 1 Tuesday - Deepavali  
November 4 Friday - Idu'l Fitr (Ramzan)  
November 11 Friday - Veteran's Day  
November 24 Thursday - Thanksgiving Day  
December 26 Monday - Christmas Day (in lieu)

## Calcutta

Consulate General of the United States of America  
5/1, Ho Chi Minh Sarani,  
Calcutta - 700071,  
West Bengal, India.

Telephone: (033) - 2282 3611, (15:00 - 17:00 hrs IST)  
(033) - 2282 3615. (15:00 - 17:00 hrs IST)

Facsimile: (033) - 2282 2335, (033) - 2282 3865.

Email: [Consular\\_Calcutta@state.gov](mailto:Consular_Calcutta@state.gov)

## Consular Section

Nonimmigrant Visa Unit

0800 - 1200 (Monday through Friday, based on appointment)

### List of remaining Holidays 2005

March 25 Friday - Doljatra and Good Friday

April 15 Friday - Bengali New Year's Day

May 30 Monday - Memorial Day

July 4 Monday - Independence Day American

August 15 Monday - Independence Day Indian

September 5 Monday - Labor Day

October 10 Monday - Columbus Day

October 11 Tuesday - Durga Puja (Ashtami)

October 12 Wednesday - Durga Puja (Navami and Dashami)

November 1 Tuesday - Kali Puja

November 4 Friday - Id-UL-Fitr

November 11 Friday - Veteran's Day

November 15 Tuesday - Guru Nanak's Birthday

November 24 Thursday - Thanksgiving Day

December 26 Monday - Christmas Day (In lieu of)

## Mumbai

The U.S. Consulate General

Lincoln House

78 Bhulabhai Desai Road

Mumbai 400026.

Phone: (022) - 2363 3611 to 3618

Fax: (022) - 2363 0350

Nonimmigrant visa services 8:30 a.m. to 11 a.m. Monday - Friday

Token distribution: 11 a.m.

**Note:** Mumbai's Visa Services Office is also **closed** on the **last working day of each month**.

## Visa Processing:

Applicants may apply for student visas at the Consulate after arranging an interview appointment with **VFS**, our off-site interview appointment scheduler. Applicants may email [info@visa-services.com](mailto:info@visa-services.com) , or visit [www.visa-services.com](http://www.visa-services.com) , or call 2494-4666 for additional information on the application and appointment process.

## List of remaining Holidays 2005

March 25 Friday - Good Friday  
April 14 Thursday - Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Jayanti  
April 18 Monday - Ram Navami  
May 23 Monday - Buddha Pournima  
May 30 Monday - Memorial Day  
July 4 Monday - Independence Day  
August 15 Monday - Independence Day  
September 5 Monday - Labor Day  
September 7 Wednesday - Ganesh Chaturthi  
October 10 Monday - Columbus Day  
October 12 Wednesday - Dussehra  
November 1 Tuesday - Diwali (Lamxi Pujan)  
November 11 Friday - Veterans' Day  
November 24 Thursday - Thanksgiving Day  
December 26 Monday - Christmas Day (In lieu)  
Hope this is useful to one and all.

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That's it friends,

I have taken maximum care to provide latest info to the possible extent.

If you find any mistakes kindly inform me immediately, so that I'll able to incorporate changes in these documents.

Regards,

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