



WELCOME GUIDE

For Incoming Erasmus Students



**KLAIPĖDOS VALSTYBINĖ
KOLEGIJA / HIGHER
EDUCATION INSTITUTION**



Welcome!

Congratulations on starting your Erasmus+ journey at Klaipėdos valstybinė kolegija / Higher Education Institution. This guide has been prepared to assist you during your stay and help you settle in.

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The European Union (EU) is a political and economic union of 27 European countries, aimed at fostering economic cooperation, political stability, and peace across the continent. It was established through a series of treaties, starting with the European Economic Community in 1957, and has since expanded to cover areas such as trade, human rights, environmental protection, and security. The EU operates through a set of institutions, including the European Commission, European Parliament, and European Council, working together to shape policy and laws that impact member states and citizens.

The European Union Values:

- **Human dignity**

Human dignity is inviolable. It must be respected, protected and constitutes the real basis of fundamental rights.

- **Freedom**

Freedom of movement gives citizens the right to move and reside freely within the Union. Individual freedoms such as respect for private life, freedom of thought, religion, assembly, expression and information are protected by the EU Charter of Fundamental Rights.

- **Democracy**

The functioning of the EU is founded on representative democracy. A European citizen automatically enjoys political rights. Every adult EU citizen has the right to stand as a candidate and to vote in elections to the European Parliament. EU citizens have the right to stand as a candidate and to vote in their country of residence, or in their country of origin.

- **Equality**

Equality is about equal rights for all citizens before the law. The principle of equality between women and men underpins all European policies and is the basis for European integration. It applies in all areas. The principle of equal pay for equal work became part of the Treaty of Rome in 1957.

- **Rule of law**

The EU is based on the rule of law. Everything the EU does is founded on treaties, voluntarily and democratically agreed by its EU countries. Law and justice are upheld by an independent judiciary. The EU countries gave final jurisdiction to the European Court of Justice - its judgments have to be respected by all.

- **Human rights**

Human rights are protected by the EU Charter of Fundamental Rights. These cover the right to be free from discrimination on the basis of sex, racial or ethnic origin, religion or belief, disability, age or sexual orientation, the right to the protection of your personal data, and the right to get access to justice.

https://european-union.europa.eu/index_en <https://erasmus-plus.ec.europa.eu/>

Klaipėdos valstybinė kolegija / Higher Education Institution (KVK) is the third-largest university of applied sciences in Lithuania with a strong academic reputation. The initial target of KVK is to ensure high quality academic teaching and research facilities. The institution consists of three faculties:

Business Faculty

- Accounting
- Digital Marketing
- Finance
- Logistics Management
- Management of Organizations
- Pre-school and Pre-primary School Pedagogy
- Primary Education Pedagogy
- Tourism Business

Technologies Faculty

- Automobile Transport Engineering
- Construction Engineering
- Dietetics
- Real Estate Measurement Engineering
- Electrical and Automation Engineering
- Food Technologies
- Informatics
- Informatics Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering

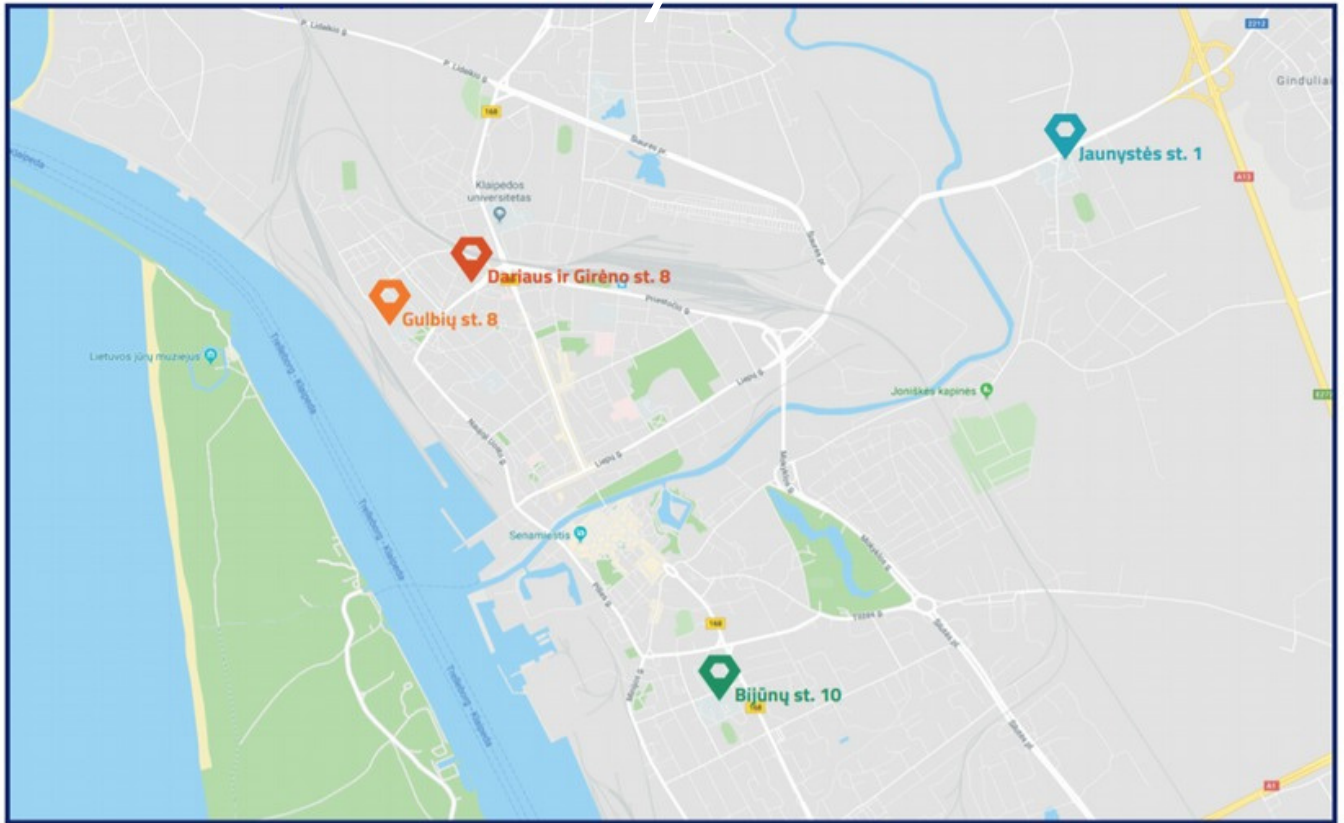
Health Sciences Faculty

- Cosmetology
- Dental Assisting
- Dental Hygiene
- General Practice Nursing
- Physiotherapy
- Social Work
- Midwifery



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Location of KVK Faculties



Faculty of Business

Jaunystės str. 1, Klaipėda

Faculty of Technologies

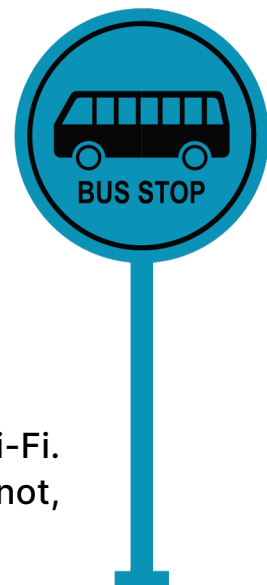
Bijūnų str. 10, Klaipėda

Faculty of Health Sciences

Dariaus ir Girėno str. 8, Klaipėda
Bijūnų str. 10, Klaipėda (Dept. of Nursing)

KVK Login

You will need computer logins to connect to KVK's computers and Wi-Fi. The computer logins will be sent to you before or upon your arrival. If not, you can ask the International Relations Department for them.



2026-2027 Academic year information

Application

Application deadline for Erasmus studies for autumn semester is 15th June 2026, nomination should be sent till 1st June 2026.

Application deadline for Erasmus studies for spring semester is 15th December 2026, nomination should be sent till 1st December 2026 (application form will be available from 1st September 2026).

- You must fill in the [online form](#)
- Ask your home coordinator to send us nomination for your Erasmus+ mobility.
- Send us your English language level confirmation.
- Send us your online learning agreement.

You can find a list of subjects offered in English for all study programs here:

<https://www.kvk.lt/en/erasmus/incoming-students/subjects-in-english/>

Please note that you can take minimum 15 ECTS in a semester and maximum of 30 ECTS in a semester.

Traineeship at KVK

KVK offers traineeship placements in KVK or partner companies, hospitals, institutions. You can find offers [here](#).

Planned semesters dates:

Autumn Semester: 07.09.2026 - 29.01.2027

Spring Semester: 08.02.2027 - 25.06.2027



The academic calendar might vary depending on your study program.

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ERASMUS AT KVK

At KVK, the International Relations Department is here to make your Erasmus journey unforgettable. We are not just about paperwork, we are about people, connection, and fun! We hold many interactive events, cultural activities, and unforgettable experiences that will make your time at KVK truly special.

Join our social networks and groups for communication and familiarization with our events!



Facebook



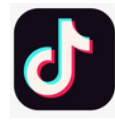
Instagram



Whatsapp



Youtube



TikTok



LinkedIn



kvk.lt/en



Dormitories

We can offer to exchange students accommodation in our dormitories. We have one dormitory in Debrecono str. 25 and another one in Taikos pr. 16, Klaipeda.

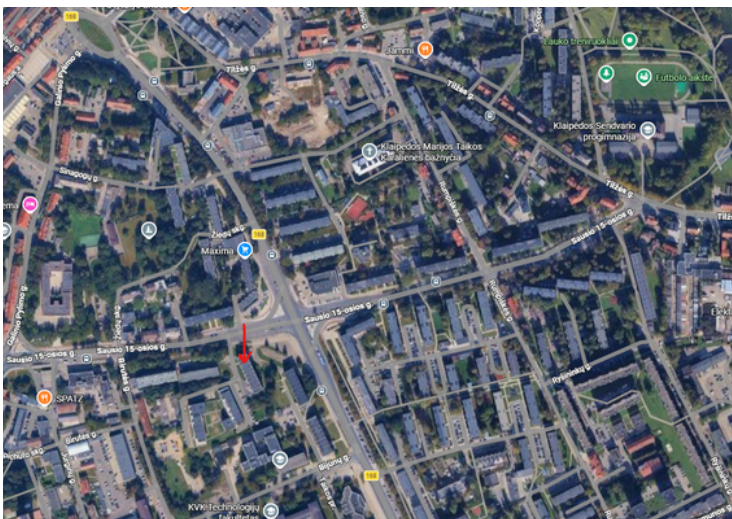
The dormitories are within walking distance to supermarkets, parks and bus stops. Important to mention that accommodation in the dormitories are limited to the number of rooms available.

What dormitory offers:

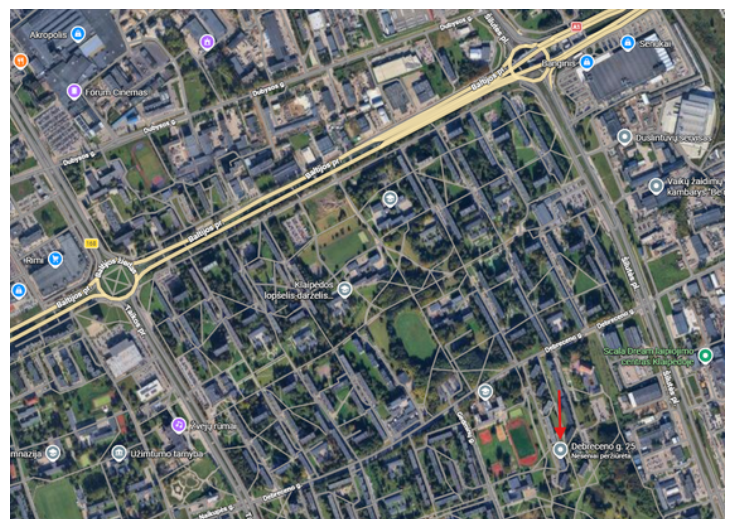
- double or triple rooms (single rooms not available);
- single or communal bath;
- communal kitchen;
- KVK-WIFI (password - kvkerasmus);
- each room has closets, refrigerators and desks;
- washing machines and dryers (free of charge)
- each student receives a new set of bedding

If you need more information you can check our website www.kvk.lt or email Monika Pridotkiene m.teresiute@kvk.lt

Taikos pr. 16



Debrecono str. 16



Dormitory Rules

1. A resident of the dormitory has a right:

- 1.1. to have guests in dormitory from 8am till 11 pm, on Friday, Saturday and official holiday days till midnight.
- 1.2. to come and exit dormitory any time
- 1.3. to complain or initiate suggestions regarding the life in the dormitory to the Head of the dormitory.
- 1.4. to write a complain regarding conflict with dormitory administration to university of applied sciences administration.
- 2.10. to inform dormitory administration in case other residents do not comply with dormitory regulations.

2. A resident of the dormitory must:

- 2.1. to pay fees for the dormitory in time.
- 2.2. to have signed agreement for living in dormitory.
- 2.3. to maintain cleanliness and tidiness considering sanitary hygiene norms in the rooms as well as sanitary facilities and public (common) areas of use.
- 2.4. to keep quiet (meaning no disruptive music, large groups in common areas or dorm rooms, loud voices, etc.) From 11 pm till 6 am.
- 2.5. to use energy resources economically.
- 2.6. to respect reasonable requests given by the staff of the dormitory or the KVK administration.
- 2.7. to inform administration on time about moving in or out from dormitory room.

3. A resident of the dormitory is responsible of:

- 3.1. safety and supervision of his own personal belongings.
- 3.2. cleanliness and order, maintenance and storage of dormitory equipment, inventory and other assets in the room where they live, as well as in public (shared) premises in the dormitory area.
- 3.3. their own and their guests' behavior in the dormitory.

4. A resident of the dormitory is prohibited:

- 4.1. to arbitrary move into another room.
- 4.2. to sell and / or abuse alcoholic beverages.
- 4.3. to sell and / or dizzy with narcotic, psychotropic substances.
- 4.4. to smoke (including electronic cigarettes as well) in anywhere inside the dormitory.
- 4.5. to do not treat, threaten or insult dormitory administration, other residents and / or guests.
- 4.6. to pollute and litter rooms, public (common) areas of use and dormitory surroundings as well as leave dirty dishes.
- 4.7. to change the door locks and make extra spare keys without explicit permission of the administration.
- 4.8. to accommodate outsiders in the dormitory upon his/her own will without a consent of the Head of the dormitory and other roommates.
- 4.9. to keep pets in the dormitory premises.

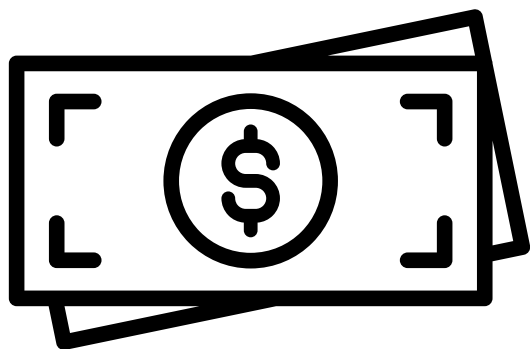
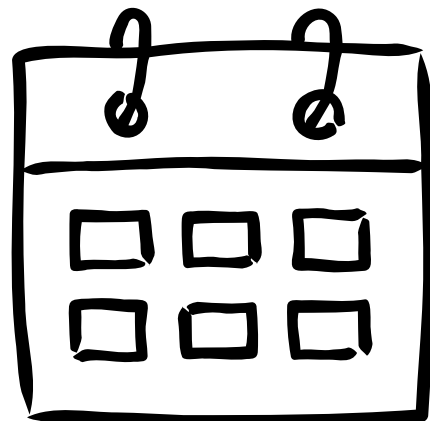
Dormitory Payment

The payment for the dormitory is divided into two groups:

If you check in from **1st to the 15th** of the month - you pay full price, if you check in on **16-30** you pay half the amount.

The same with check out from the dormitory:

If you check out from **1-15** - you pay half the amount, and if you check out from **16-30** - you pay full price.



There are two options for making the dormitory payment:

- You can make a transfer to KVK's bank account from your own bank account.
- You can go to Lietuvos Paštas or Swedbank and do the transfer by cash.

You should do the transfer to this account:

Institution: Klaipėdos Valstybinė Kolegija

Account No.: LT 807300010074178978

Bank: "Swedbankas"

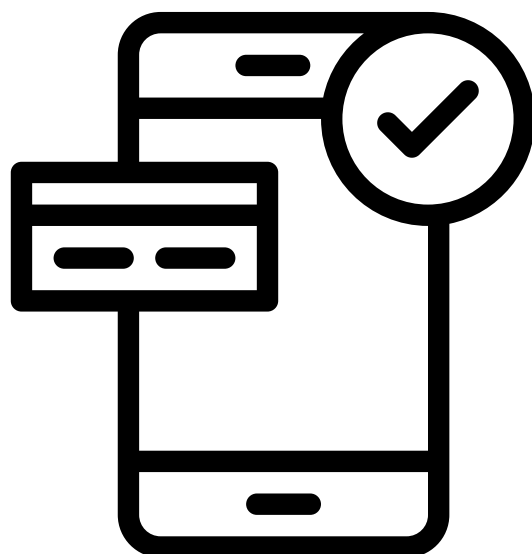
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Price: 150-180Eur per person per month.

Address: Debreceno str. 25, Klaipėda.

Price: 200Eur per person per month.

Address: Taikos pr. 16, Klaipėda.



How to go to each faculty from the dormitory?

From Debreceno dormitory

Faculty of Business:

You can walk to the Klaipėdos Miesto Poliklinika bus stop and take the Bus 18 – Panevezio direction and get off the bus at Jaunystes stop.

Faculty of Technology:

You can either walk to Klaipėdos Miesto Poliklinika and take the bus 4-6-8-10-18 or walk to Darželio and take the bus 12 and get off at Vėtrungės stop.

Faculty of Health Sciences:

You can walk to Klaipėdos Miesto Poliklinika and take the bus 9 – Ligonines direction and get off at Baseino stop.

From Taikos dormitory

Faculty of Business:

You can walk to Rumpiskės bus stop and take the bus 18 and get off at Jaunystes stop.

Faculty of Technology:

You can walk to the faculty because it is about 5 minutes by foot.

Faculty of Health Sciences:

You can walk to Sausio 15-osios bus stop and take the bus 2; 2A and get off at J. Janonio stop.

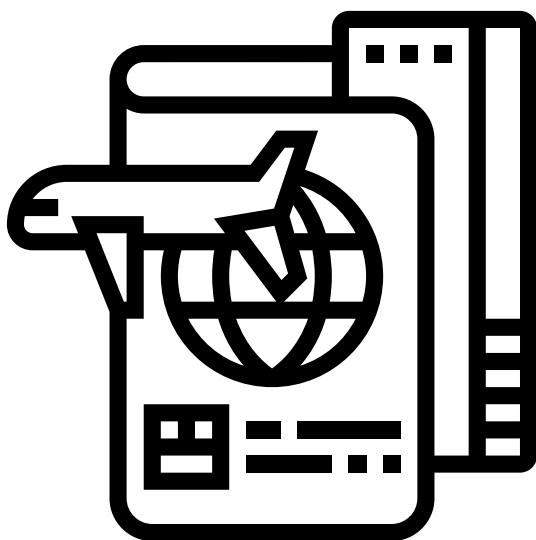
Visa Requirements

As an **EU member** state, Lithuania is part of the Schengen Area. Therefore, EU citizens can visit Lithuania and stay here for an unlimited period but are required to register with the local authorities after 3 months.

Non-EU students (degree seeking or EU exchange programme (Erasmus+) lasting more than 3 months participants) need a National multiple entry D type visa in order to arrive to Lithuania. They have to apply for it at the closest Embassy of Lithuania before arrival. Students with National D-type visas can reside in Lithuania for up to 12 months and can travel to other Schengen countries (for up to 90 days in total).

Please check the website of the Lithuanian Embassy in your country to get detailed information about visa requirements.

Visa Requirements will be found here: <https://keliauk.urm.lt/en>



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All other contact details can be found here: Contacts - Klaipėdos valstybinė kolegija / Higher Education Institution (kvk.lt) <https://www.kvk.lt/en/contacts/>



How to use public transport in Klaipėda

You can buy a bus card from Narvesen or Lietuvos Spauda stores. The card itself costs 2€ while a monthly student ticket costs 5,60€ (not valid on lines that start with M). You might be asked to show your ISIC card when buying the card, and there are random ticket controls in buses, so it is highly recommended that you carry your ISIC card with you at all times.



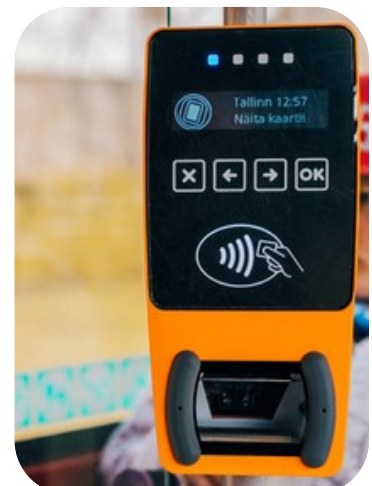
You can buy short term e-tickets on 'e-Ticket Klaipėda' app for 1 day - 0.70 €, 3 days - 1.40 €, or 7 days - 2.80 €. Also, monthly tickets available (5,60 €).



You can top up your card with monthly tickets from Narvesen and Lietuvos Spauda stores or on the app. It costs 5,60€.

Trafi I >>

You can download the app 'Trafi' to see bus routes and schedules or track buses in real time.



Other important information



ESN Card

ESN Card is the membership card of the Erasmus Student Network (ESN). It's also used as a discount card (Ryanair, FlixBus) in many cities and countries around Europe. You can buy ESN Card from KVK International Relation Department. Cost: 10€



ISIC Card

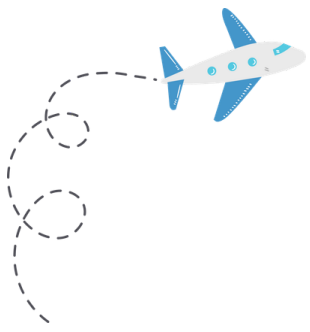
You can order ISIC at home or online. Your ISIC cards can be collected from post office or parcel machines or International Relation Department. There are couple ways to get this card. We recommend you to order this card in your home country. Also, you can order this card upon arrival to Lithuania. It takes 1-2 weeks to receive a physical card, but you can order and use a virtual card. With this card you can receive different discounts such as public bus train, KFC, McDonalds. Cost: around 13€

SIM Card

You can buy a SIM card at almost every supermarket for around 4-6€ with a monthly plan. To activate your SIM, you can follow the instructions written in the package.



! In airports, you can buy a SIM card at Narvesen.



How to get to Klaipėda

VNO

Vilnius Airport

KUN

Kaunas Airport

PLQ

Palanga Airport

RIX

Riga Airport

Palanga International Airport (PLQ) is the closest airport to Klaipėda. There are regular flights to Copenhagen, Oslo, Riga, London Luton and Stansted throughout the year. Additional routes operate during the summer season. You can take the bus nr. 31 or order a Bolt or taxi to get to Palanga Airport.

There are regular flights to all main European cities from Kaunas (KUN) and Vilnius (VNO) airports. Additionally, Riga (Latvia) International Airport (RIX) is located within 230 km away from Klaipėda, which can easily be reached by local airport shuttle service buses, regular buses, or direct flights from Palanga airport.



By Bus

It takes around 4 hours to reach Klaipėda from Vilnius and around 3 hours from Kaunas by bus. You can buy intercity bus tickets from autobusubilietai.lt. You can use Ollex airport shuttle buses to reach Klaipėda directly from Vilnius, Kaunas and Riga airports. European bus company Ecolines has routes to major cities in Europe.



By Train

Trains operate in Klaipėda each day from/to Šiauliai, Šilutė and Vilnius. It takes 4 – 4,5 hours to go from Vilnius to Klaipėda by train and student ticket prices vary from 12,40€ to 35,30€. You can get your ticket on ltglink.lt. Make sure that you have your ISIC card with you.



By Ferry

Ferries arrive in Klaipėda from Kiel and Sassnitz in Germany and Karlshamn in Sweden. The International Ferry Terminal is located about 12km south of the city center.



When you buy an intercity bus or train ticket with discount, make sure that you have your physical or virtual ISIC card available.

Useful apps

We would like to recommend you to download couple apps on your phone and make the registrations there.



Bolt

Taxi and food delivery app. Also works with scooters. Works in Klaipeda, Vilnius, Kaunas, ect.



eTAKSI

Taxi app. Gives good prices.



citybee

You can rent a car in this app just by choosing the closest car and opening it with your phone device. No human contact or additional agreements with the company is needed.



WOLT

Food delivery app.



Klaipeda Audio Guide

Gives lot of recommendations on visiting places, events accommodation and catering options, ect.



Klaipeda Heritage Guide

Gives info about Klaipeda heritage.



MAPS.ME

Offline maps. Before coming to Klaipeda, you can download the map of Klaipeda, and you will be able to see map, hotels, restaurants and other without internet. Works in all the world.

Information about Lithuania

Euro (€)
Currency

2.79m
Population

Vilnius
Capital

Official language: Lithuanian Time zone: UTC+2

Dialing code: +370 Traffic: right-handed

Standard voltage: 230 V Emergency

Number: 112

Member of the EU, NATO, Schengen, the UN and the OECD



PEOPLE:

We are all about walking the walk
Talent is our (super) natural resource
Enjoying freedom 110% Getting recharged in nature.

ECONOMY:

A growing innovation ecosystem It's easy to do business in Lithuania A great system to innovate World-class talent.

HISTORY:

Lithuania - a name first coined 1,000 years ago. A historically welcoming and collaborative nation. A realm uniting diverse peoples and lands The singing revolution that accelerated the Soviet Union's demise Lithuania was once Europe's largest country during the 15th-16th centuries.



FACTS TO KNOW BEFORE VISITING LITHUANIA

- Lithuania has a temperate climate with both maritime and continental influences.
- A country with relatively inexpensive labor, low price level and no exchange controls.
- Lithuania has open and mixed economy that is classified as high-income economy.
- Limiting alcohol availability to 10:00 AM – 8:00 PM Monday through Saturday, and 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM on Sundays.
- Lithuanians are known for their reserved nature and deep respect for tradition, which significantly influences their social interactions.



Climate

Summers can be nice and warm with temperatures reaching +25C and up, but can be cold and rainy at only +16 on some days. July – August months are the most favorable summer months for the sun seekers. During hot summers, the sea temperatures can get up to around +21C at its warmest.

The best time to visit Lithuania, aside from beach holidays, is September – October. The temperatures at this time of the year are usually very pleasant. October can be especially eye-pleasing with the burst of autumnal colors covering parks, fields, and forests.

The cold season in Lithuania can start as early as November and last till April, in extreme cases even till May. Temperatures can dip as low as -25C during deep winters. In these years due to the global warming, winters are unpredictable. Most of the time in Klaipeda it is rainy and the temperature could even be up to +10C.



TRADITIONAL LITHUANIAN FOOD



Bulviniai Blynai (Potato Pancakes)



Cepelinai (Potato Dumplings)



Kepta Duona (Fried Bread)



Šaltibarščiai (Cold Beetroot Soup)



Šakotis (Tree cake)



Skrudžėlynas (Anthill cake)