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US to relax travel restrictions for vaccinated foreign air travellers in November.

The United States will reopen in November to air travellers from 33 countries including China, India, Brazil and most of Europe who are fully vaccinated against COVID-19.



The United States will admit fully vaccinated air travellers from the 26 so-called Schengen countries in Europe including France, Germany, Italy, Spain, Switzerland and Greece, as well as Britain, Ireland, China, India, South Africa, Iran and Brazil. The unprecedented US restrictions have barred non-US citizens who were in those countries within the past 14 days.

Further information is expected about the exact date that the US will open their borders as well as details of vaccination status' allowed.

## Changes to passport rules for entry to the UK from 1 Oct 2021.

From 1 October 2021 EU, EEA or Swiss national ID cards will no longer be valid for travel to the UK unless travellers live in the UK and have settled or pre-settled status. Passports will be mandatory for all other passengers including children.

Passengers with settled or pre-settled status can continue to use national ID cards until 31 December 2025. For more information, click here

## Closure of Palanga (Lithuania) Airport

Transformation works will consist of runway, taxiway and apron reconstruction, modernisation of utilities network, lighting systems, installation of energy-efficient and sustainable solutions. Work is expected to be completed by 20th October.

As an alternative we would suggest flights to Kaunas or Vilnius Airports.

From 4am Monday 4 October 2021, the rules for international travel to England will change from the red, amber, green traffic light system to a single red list of countries and simplified travel measures for arrivals from the rest of the world. The rules for travel from countries and territories not on the red list will depend on your vaccination status. For more information on travel from rest of world for vaccinated and non-vaccinated travellers, <u>click here</u>

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