

ASTONS

Residency & Citizenship
by investment



CITIZENSHIP OF ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA

by Investment

GLOBAL MOBILITY

**Visa-free access to 154
countries worldwide**

PROCESSING TIME

From 4 months

KEY REQUIREMENT:

**Contribution to the
National Development
Fund from \$230,000**

FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY:

**Spouse, children, parents
of the principal applicant,
brothers and sisters**

Benefits of the Antigua and Barbuda Programme



Visa-free travel worldwide

Swift access to 154 countries, including the EU, UK and China



Average processing time

From 4 months



Short investment holding period

Property can be sold after 5 years without loss of status



Business-friendly environment

Streamlined access to international banking, offshore structures, and global business opportunities



An extended list

of government-approved investment projects



The most cost-effective option

for second citizenship for a large family — from \$230,000



Full family inclusion

Including siblings



Secure investment structure

Investment is made only after receiving citizenship approval



Citizenship for life

Lifetime citizenship, transferable to future generations



A stable nation

A politically and economically stable Commonwealth country with a high quality of life

About Antigua and Barbuda

Antigua and Barbuda is an independent island nation in the eastern Caribbean Sea, between the Atlantic Ocean and the chain of the Lesser Antilles. It comprises two main islands, Antigua and Barbuda, and several smaller islets.

Geography and Climate

The country's total land area is 442 km². Antigua is the larger of the two islands, featuring a hilly landscape and well-developed infrastructure. Barbuda is more sparsely populated and known for its unspoilt nature, wildlife reserves, and secluded beaches.

The climate is tropical, with minimal seasonal variation and comfortable year-round temperatures (averaging +26–29°C). This makes Antigua and Barbuda an all-season tourism destination and a highly liveable location.

Population and Language

The country is home to approximately 105,000 people. English is the official language, facilitating communication and business activities. The population boasts a rich cultural identity, blending African, European, and Caribbean traditions.

Antigua and Barbuda is a warm, multicultural society — safe, welcoming, and ideal for leisure and long-term planning.

Stability and Legal Framework

The country is a member of the Commonwealth and follows the British legal system. A stable political environment, parliamentary democracy, and participation in international agreements ensure robust property rights and investment protection.

Infrastructure and Transport

V. C. Bird International Airport serves the country and offers direct flights to the USA, Canada, the UK, and other Caribbean nations. A modern seaport accommodates cruise ships and private yachts, and the road network is continuously modernised.

Advanced healthcare services and educational institutions — including branches of international universities — make the country well-suited for extended residence.

Investment Options

From \$230,000

Non-refundable contribution to the National Development Fund

for the principal applicant or a family of up to four.

From \$260,000

Contribution to the University of the West Indies (UWI) Fund

for a family of six, **including the application processing fee.**

One family member is entitled to a one-year tuition scholarship at the University of the West Indies.

From \$300,000

Real estate investment

Applicants may invest in a **government-approved** property, including shares in tourism infrastructure developments.

Rental yields range from 2–5% per annum.

Property may be sold after five years **while retaining citizenship.**

From \$1,500,000

Business investment

A personal investment of \$1,500,000 in an existing business, or a joint investment totalling \$5,000,000, with a minimum contribution of \$400,000 per investor.

Visa-Free Access to 154 Countries Worldwide

With an Antigua and Barbuda passport, you gain visa-free access across the globe, including the EU, the United Kingdom, Hong Kong, China, and Singapore. These privileges allow you to embark on spontaneous business trips or arrange an impromptu family getaway to Europe whenever you choose.

Albania
Andorra
Angola
Anguilla
Armenia
Aruba
Austria
Bahamas
Bangladesh
Barbados
Belarus
Belgium
Belize
Bermuda
Bolivia
Bonaire; St. Eustatius and Saba
Bosnia and Herzegovina
Botswana
Brazil
British Virgin Islands
Bulgaria
Burundi
Cambodia
Cape Verde Islands
Cayman Islands
Chile
China
Colombia
Comoro Islands
Cook Islands
Costa Rica
Croatia
Cuba

Curacao
Cyprus
Czechia
Denmark
Djibouti
Dominica
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
Egypt
El Salvador
Estonia
Eswatini
Faroe Islands
Fiji
Finland
France
French Guiana
French Polynesia
French West Indies
Georgia
Germany



Gibraltar
Greece
Greenland
Grenada
Guatemala
Guinea-Bissau
Guyana
Haiti
Honduras
Hong Kong (SAR China)
Hungary
Iceland
Iran
Iraq
Italy
Jamaica

Jordan
Kenya
Kiribati
Kosovo
Laos
Latvia
Lebanon
Lesotho
Liechtenstein
Lithuania
Luxembourg
Macao (SAR China)
Madagascar
Malawi
Malaysia
Maldives

Malta
Mauritania
Mauritius
Mayotte
Micronesia
Moldova
Monaco
Montenegro
Montserrat
Mozambique
Nepal
Netherlands
New Caledonia
Nicaragua
Niue
North Macedonia

Norway
Palau Islands
Panama
Peru
Philippines
Poland
Portugal
Qatar
Reunion
Romania
Russian Federation
Rwanda
Samoa
San Marino
Serbia
Seychelles
Sierra Leone
Singapore
Slovakia
Slovenia
Solomon Islands
Somalia
South Africa
South Korea
Spain
Sri Lanka
St. Helena
St. Kitts and Nevis
St. Lucia
St. Maarten
St. Vincent and the Grenadines
Suriname
Sweden
Switzerland
Tanzania
The Gambia
Timor-Leste
Togo
Trinidad and Tobago
Tunisia
Türkiye
Turks and Caicos Islands
Tuvalu



Uganda
Ukraine
United Kingdom
Uzbekistan
Vanuatu
Vatican City
Venezuela
Zambia
Zimbabwe

Eligibility for the Antigua and Barbuda Citizenship Programme

- Main Applicant
 - Must be at least 18 years of age
 - No criminal record
 - Must demonstrate a legal source of funds
- Spouse
- Children, including financially dependent children up to the age of 30
- Siblings
- Parents and grandparents aged 55 and over who are economically dependent

The principal applicant and eligible family members must spend at least five days in the country within five years of acquiring citizenship.

Secure your family's future with one of the most cost-effective citizenship programmes in the Caribbean.

				
Non-refundable Contribution	\$230,000	\$230,000	\$230,000	\$230,000
Contribution to the University of the West Indies (UWI) Fund <i>covers a family of up to 6 members</i>	 + \$260 000	 +\$15,000 for each additional family member beyond 6		
Real Estate Investment	\$300,000	\$300,000	\$300,000	\$300,000
Business Investment	\$1,500,000	\$1,500,000	\$1,500,000	\$1,500,000
in a joint investment totalling \$5,000,000	from \$400,000	from \$400,000	from \$400,000	from \$400,000

*The above fees do not include processing, due diligence, or professional advisory costs. They represent indicative minimum investment thresholds required to participate in the programme.

Government Application Fees and Charges for Obtaining Citizenship of Antigua and Barbuda

Registration Fee	\$500 per application
Due Diligence Fees	\$8,500 — Principal applicant \$5,000 — Spouse \$4,000 — Dependent aged 18+ \$2,000 — Dependent aged 12–17 \$5,000 — Sponsor
Interview	\$1,500 per application
Banking and FortEx Fees (approx.)	\$625 — Single applicant \$1,150 — Applicant + spouse From \$2,145 — Large family
Application Processing Fee	\$10,000 — Single applicant \$20,000 — Family of up to 4 \$10 000 — For each additional dependent
Passport Issuance Fee	\$300 per person
Banking and Courier Fees (approx.)	\$345 per application
Astons Legal and Advisory Services	upon request

List of Required Documents

Passport

Residence permit (if holding residency in another country)

Driving licence (if available)

Birth certificate

Marriage certificate

Name change documents (if applicable)

Educational diplomas

Employment confirmation

Bank statements for the past 12 months

Reference letter from a banker/accountant/lawyer of your choice

Proof of address — utility bill

Police clearance certificate

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Step-by-Step Guide to Obtaining Citizenship of Antigua and Barbuda



3–4 weeks

Preparation period

1

Consultation with Astons immigration experts and agreement signing

Our citizenship advisors will assess your circumstances and help you select the most suitable investment options.

2

Document preparation

Experienced consultants and legal specialists will assist with collecting all required documents and verifying compliance with the programme's requirements.



From 3 months

Application review period

3

Application submission

Once all documents are gathered, our specialist will conduct a final review and prepare the submission. As the law requires, a licensed local agent will file your application with the government.

4

Application processing

All submitted information will be carefully reviewed. The government conducts a multi-tiered due diligence process, including legal and financial background checks, to verify the accuracy and integrity of the data provided.

5

Approval

Once your application is approved, you will receive a formal letter of approval from the government.



From 3 weeks

Citizenship certificates issued

6

Investment execution

Following approval, you will be required to complete the investment — either a contribution or real estate purchase — in line with the chosen option.



From 2 weeks

Passport issuance and delivery

7

Receiving your Antigua and Barbuda passport

You are not required to travel to Antigua and Barbuda. Your passport can be collected at one of Astons' offices worldwide or delivered to your specified address.



Why Trust Astons?

Astons – A Global Leader in Investment Immigration & Relocation. Astons provides tailored solutions for obtaining residency and citizenship in Europe, the Pacific, the Caribbean, the Middle East, and the United States.



Over 35 Years of Experience & Expertise

Founded in London in 1989, Astons has been at the forefront of the investment immigration industry. Today, Astons operates as an international group of companies with its headquarters in Dubai.



A Trusted Partner

Over the years, we have successfully assisted more than 9,000 clients from over 100 nationalities worldwide and facilitated investments exceeding \$2.6 billion in citizenship, residency, and real estate programmes.



Licensed & Fully Compliant

We operate exclusively under official government licences, adhering strictly to the laws and regulations of each jurisdiction where we conduct business. We guarantee full compliance, no legal risks, and complete protection of your reputation and investments.



Unrivalled Expertise

100% of our clients who pass Astons' internal due diligence receive programme approvals. Our team includes highly specialised immigration lawyers with in-depth knowledge of immigration law who are dedicated to protecting our clients' interests. We ensure a seamless process from start to finish, leveraging our extensive experience, expertise, and the methodologies of the British legal school.

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Global Industry Leader

Astons ranks in the TOP 6 of the MIGRATOP rating, The TOP 25 international immigration companies from Uglobal Immigration Magazine. Winners of the Best European Citizenship Advisor 2018, and Best Full-Service Investment Immigration Firm 2019 awards



Your Personal Expert

Your dedicated Astons team is available to you when you need them, Via email, SMS, WhatsApp, or by phone. Or feel free to visit any of our global offices: Istanbul (Türkiye), London (UK), Limassol (Cyprus), Dubai (UAE), Athens (Greece), Fort Lauderdale (USA) and St. Julian's (Malta).



Only The Best Solutions

There are dozens of programs out there, but they're not all equal. Astons only provides the best citizenship and residence by investment solutions and premium real estate. Our experts will find the most suitable options to satisfy every client's wants, needs, and demands.



Internationally Recognized Experts

Astons' expertise is regularly relied upon for insights and comments on investment migration and trends in the global real estate sector by leading media: Forbes, Business Insider, CNBC, The Telegraph, The Times, The Sun, The Daily Express - and others.



Astons in the media

This section features key publications that have drawn on Astons' expertise — our specialists are regularly consulted for insights and guidance on global relocation, investment citizenship, residency options, and international premium real estate investment.

THE  TIMES

[Move fast: Greece's golden visa rules are changing](#)

The New York Times

[Americans Head to Europe for the Good Life on the Cheap](#)

The Telegraph

[Countries cut cost of citizenship to attract disillusioned British taxpayers](#)

THE HUFFPOST

[«Χρυσή Βίζα» στην Ελλάδα: Σημαντική αύξηση των αιτήσεων από τις ΗΠΑ](#)

 **CNBC**

[Many of Europe's 'golden visa' programs are closing — but demand is up in this Mediterranean hotspot](#)

 The National

[Two per cent of Britons have applied for EU passport since Brexit vote](#)

gtp | GREEK TRAVEL PAGES

[Study: More US Buyers Tapping into Greece's Golden Visa Scheme](#)

SPEAR'S

[Money on the move: why the world's wealthy are deserting the USA](#)

FINANCIAL EXPRESS

[Spain is the best option for international investors looking for Golden Visas: Findings](#)

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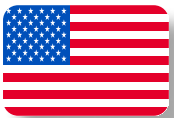
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