



WORLD BAGGAGE

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JAMAICA

Items	Needed Documents	Customs Regulations	Notes
Moved goods	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Certificate of Tax compliance • Resident permit. • Passport • Inventory of items • Work permit • Unaccompanied Baggage Declaration Form (C-27) given at the airport upon arrival in Jamaica. <p>Returning resident:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SEE MOVED GOODS • Customs Declaration Form (C.5) provided to the Customs officer at the time of arrival at the airport in Jamaica. • Documents showing customer has lived outside of Jamaica for more than 3 years. • Document showing customer's intention to re-establish permanent residence in Jamaica. 	<p>All new items (used less than 180 days) are dutiable for non-returning residents. Proof of purchase must be provided for all new items.</p> <p>Duty, if due on items, is determined after inspection of items by customs at the stripping station and is based on the CIF value and will be between 5% to 40% plus government consumption tax of 15% depending on the item evaluation.</p>	<p>All passengers must complete the C -27 form upon arrival at airport/seaport if they are expecting luggage/household effects to arrive prior or after their arrival. Form is valid for 90 days or has to be renewed. Extracts need to be obtained if more than one shipment is expected.</p> <p>For clearance, customer must be in country.</p>
Diplomatic goods	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Inventory • Consular letter requesting for free entry. • Bill of Lading 	NO inspection required.	
Bridal Clothes	Passenger declaration if proprietor is a returning resident.	Entire outfit for bride and groom.	
Heirlooms/ Bequest	Personal effects of citizens of Jamaica or for persons ordinarily domiciled in Jamaica: Copy of death certificate.	Examination/Affidavit from lawyers.	
Electrical and household devices	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bill of Lading • New import license. • Unaccompanied Baggage Declaration Form (C-27) given at the airport upon arrival in Jamaica. 	<p>For inspection.</p> <p>Returning resident may import without any duty one new appliance and electronic equipment/computer, used HHG and tools of trade</p>	Electronic and electrical equipment may not be well-matched with the Jamaican electrical System (220/110V 50cycle)



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Antiquity, artworks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bill of Lading • Unaccompanied Baggage Declaration Form (C-27) given at the airport upon arrival in Jamaica. 	Entry is free from duty if works of art are part of bonafide household goods, large quantities to be accompanied by a certificate from Antique Dealers association of the country of exportation.	
Valued metal items	Rational quantity for personal use: free. Profitable or large import: import license, value.	Entry is free from duty.	
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Rugs	Used: Unaccompanied Baggage Declaration Form (C.27) given at the airport upon arrival in Jamaica. New: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unaccompanied Baggage Declaration Form (C.27) given at the airport upon arrival in Jamaica. • Invoice. 		Free from duty, passenger's declaration to be filled in by passenger on arrival. Goods to arrive two months before the arrival of passenger or within the timeframe decided upon by the Collector General.
Gifts and Memorabilia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Import license • Record of prices • Inventory 		
Automobiles	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Import license. • Proof of Purchase • Driver's license. • Insurance certificate. • Certificate of Title or registration documents • Passport • Certificate of Tax Compliance 	Duty is to be paid. For this purpose, Customs will evaluate its value on local market.	Import licence must be obtained before the vehicle is shipped. Customer can drive in Jamaica for one year before a Jamaican licence is required. Used vehicles cannot be more than four years old.
Other vehicles	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Proof of ownership • Bill of lading 	Duty is to be paid. For this purpose, Customs will evaluate its local value.	



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Import license		
Appliances, spare pieces machines,	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Import license• Proof of purchase	Liable to customs duties.	
Liquor		One bottle of spirit and wine is free from duty.	
Canned foods and food	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Value• Import license	Only sufficient for immediate use of family - duty may be payable at Customs discretion.	
Munitions, firearms, dangerous objects, drugs		Not allowed	
Narcotics, medications	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Poison/Drugs permit.• Value• Import license		Preferably not shipped with HHG.
Plants	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Fumigation or health certificate• Permit from Ministry of Agriculture		
Pets	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Quarantine• Entry• Permit from Ministry of Agriculture	Entry is free from customs duty.	<p>A permit from the Veterinary division of the Ministry of Agriculture must be obtained before the importation.</p> <p>Dogs and cats born and bred in the United Kingdom are the only dogs and cats allowed for importation.</p>