

# Senegal at a Glance

Population: 17.1 million

Capital: Dakar

Languages Spoken: French and indigenous languages such as Wolof

Dominant Religions: Islam and Christianity

State Department Travel Advisory: Level 1 (take the normal precautions you would traveling anywhere internationally)

**“Long considered one of Africa's model democracies, the west African nation of Senegal has a tradition of stable governments and civilian rule.”**

– The BBC Country Profiles



## Things to do in Senegal

Visit world class museums, such as the Museum of Black Civilizations and IFAN Museum of African Art

Experience international festivals: Dak'art biennial of contemporary art, Saint Louis Jazz Festival

Visit important monuments of the Trans-Atlantic Slave Trade

Explore Senegal's unique coastal and semi-arid environment in wildlife refuges

Relax on beaches

Shop for textiles, leather, and reverse glass painting

