Czechia's top income tax rate is 23%, less than half of Austria's 55%

Prices are about 20% below the EU average, and Prague comes in at about €2,100 a month for one person, by our estimate.



23%

top income tax rate

Capital	**Prague**
Languages	**Czech**
Currency	**Czech koruna (CZK)**
Population	**10,909,500 (2025)**
Price level 2024 (EU = 100)	**80**
Minimum wage	**€917 a month**
Tax	**23% top income tax, 21% VAT**
Years to	**PR 5, citizenship 10**
English (EF index 2025)	**#23 in the world**

★ Capital ● City we cover ● Other city

WAYS TO MOVE

Freelance / Business Visa **case by case**

Income or funds asked for one person

COST FOR ONE, A MONTH

Prague **€2,100**

Our estimate for a comfortable life

EAT LIKE A LOCAL

Vepřo knedlo zelo
Svíčková
Paštika

EMERGENCY	PLUGS	EU AND SCHENGEN	WORK-DAY OVERLAP
112	C, E	EU, Schengen	2 hours with New York

Visas, costs, taxes and cities for Czechia: **livingineurope.net/countries/czechia**

Sources: Population, price level and minimum wage: Eurostat. English: EF English Proficiency Index 2025. Peace: Global Peace Index. Visas and tax: official government pages, as listed on each of our guides. Europe-wide comparisons: Tax Foundation 2026 and Eurostat. City costs are our estimates. Dishes: Wikipedia, National dish. Map: Natural Earth. Rules change, so confirm with the immigration office. Checked 7 October 2026.