

POSTAL SERVICES GUIDE

SERVICES WITHIN WESTERN SAMOA

Posts and Telecommunications Department
Apia, Western Samoa

Effective: January 1994

Services and Prices

Service	Weight Steps	Price (incl VAGST)	Max Weight
Postcards		\$0.25	20g
Letters	Up to 20 grams	\$0.25	500g
	Above 20g up to 50g	\$0.50	
	Above 50g up to 100g	\$0.65	
	Above 100g up to 250g	\$1.10	
	Above 250g up to 500g	\$1.95	
Printed Matter (1)	Up to 250g	\$0.25	2kg
	For each additional 250g	\$0.25	
Packets	Up to 100g	\$0.25	2kg
	For each additional 100g	\$0.25	
Parcels	Up to 1kg	\$1.75	20kg
	Above 1kg up to 3kg	\$2.40	
	Above 3kg up to 5kg	\$3.20	
	Above 5kg up to 10kg	\$4.75	
	Above 10kg up to 15kg	\$6.30	
	Above 15kg up to 20kg	\$8.75	

Other Services

Registration		\$1.85
Advice of Delivery of Registered Item		\$0.80
Post Office Box Rental		
Rental per annum	Small Boxes	\$40.00
	Large Boxes	\$75.00
	Private Bags	\$75.00
Key Deposit (refundable on return of both keys)	,	\$12.50
• Literature for the Blind - up to 7kg		Free

Note (1): Printed Matter includes books, magazines and newspapers, circulars and printed or hand-stamped circulars.

Compensation

Compensation is available for Registered items only.	
Maximum payable for damage or loss:	\$20.00

Stationery

A range of stationery products is also sold at Post Offices. Please inquire at the counter for more details.

All prices include VAGST

Service Schedule

Apia

Upolu

	ER EN	Delivery: Tu	uesday and Friday		
Solosolo	10.35am	Malaela	11.45am	Fausaga	1.20pm
Salelesi	10.45am	Lalomanu	11.55am	Sataoa	1.30pm
Lufilufi	10.55am	Lepa	12.10pm	Matautu (Lefaga)	1.45pm
Falefa	11.05am	Poutasi	12.55pm	Faleaseela	2.25pm
Samusu	11.35am	Siumu	1.05pm		

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12.15pm
12.35pm
12.45pm
1.00pm
1.30pm
1.45pm
2.15pm
2.30pm



Daily Delivery into boxes by 9.30am

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Delivery: Tueso	lay /
Salelologa	2.00pm
Safua Hotel	2.10pm
Logoipulcto College	2.45pm
Tuasivi College	3.00pm
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Samalaeulu	3.45pm
Fagamalc	4.15pm

Delivery: Wednesday			
Vaipouli College	9.00am	Sagone	9.00am
Safotu	9.00am	Salailua	9.00am
Aopo	9.00am	Taga	9.00am
Asau	9.00am	Satupaitea	9.00am

Delivery: Friday		
Salelologa	9.30am	
Tuasivi	10.00am	
Fagamalo	2.00pm	
Asau	2.00pm	
Salailua	2.00pm	



Prohibited Items

The following goods and substances, in any shape or form, are all prohibited from the post. There are also other less common prohibited items not listed. If you are unsure, please check. It is your responsibility.

- Explosives: e.g., ammunition, fireworks, igniters, flares, caps.
- Compressed Gases: e.g., all aerosol cans, cigarette lighters, camping gas cylinders.
- Flammables (rapid burning): e.g., paint, matches, petrol, thinners, some solvents and cleaning fluids.
- Oxidisers (react when combined with oxygen): e.g., peroxide hair & textile dyes, peroxide disinfectants, fibreglass repair kits.
- Corrosives (eat into other things): e.g., mercury (such as in a thermometer), bleach, varnish removing liquid, nitric acid, battery fluid.
- **Drugs and poisons:** All drugs and poisons unless in prescription quantities, and packaged correctly.
- Live creatures: All living creatures.
- Other goods: All radioactive, highly magnetic, illegal, physically offensive or unsolicited indecent goods.

Customer Inquiries

