

VISA for EU spouse

Documentation required when applying for a visa to travel to Ireland as the spouse of an EU national.

PLEASE NOTE THAT ALL DOCUMENTS LISTED BELOW MUST BE INCLUDED WITH THE APPLICATION. AS INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

If you do not submit the required documentation, your application may be refused on the basis of insufficient documentation.

All documents listed must be submitted in ORIGINAL. (No fax, e-mails or scanned copies accepted) No staples.

The Embassy reserves the right to request translations of non-English documents.

	Documents Required
1.	Application form completed in full, signed and dated by you, the applicant.
2.	Your original passport, or a full copy of your passport (all pages), valid for 6 months after your date of departure from Ireland.
3.	Two recent colour passport size photos.
4.	Original Aufenthaltstitel or a copy, valid at least 3 months after your date of departure from Ireland. If your Aufenthaltstitel is due to expire less than three months after your return to Ireland, please include a letter from the issuing authority confirming that your Aufenthaltstitel will be extended.
5.	Your spouse's passport (photocopies are accepted).
6. (a)	You must provide a signed statement in English from your EU spouse confirming that you are travelling together.

(b)	If you are visiting your EU spouse in Ireland, you must provide documentary proof that they are in the State, such as current employer letter, current bank statement showing EU spouse's name and address, current utility bill showing EU spouse's name and address.
(c)	If your spouse is Irish, please provide evidence that they are exercising their free movement rights in Germany, such as a letter from their employer.
7.	The original marriage certificate (a photocopy or scanned copy is not acceptable). This must be accompanied by a certified English translation, if it is in a language other than English.
8.	All documents in a language other than English <u>must</u> be accompanied by a certified English translation.
9.	Postage fee of €15.00 (proof of bank transfer, or cheque/mandate payable to 'Embassy of Ireland').