



## **EUROPEAN UNION/ EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AREA/SWITZERLAND FAMILY MEMBER VISA**

*These are the documents required, alongside a Schengen visa application, to core family members of a citizen of the European Union, the European Economic Area (EEA) -Norway, Iceland and Liechtenstein- and Switzerland who envisage a trip to Spain with them or to join them. Core family members are:*

- a) the spouse;*
- b) the partner with whom the EU citizen has contracted a registered partnership, on the basis of the legislation of any Member State, if the legislation of the host Member State treats registered partnership as equivalent to marriage;*
- c) children who are under the age of 21 or are dependant as well as those of the spouse or partner as defined above; or*
- d) the dependant parents and those of the spouse or partner as defined above.*

*Please note that the Embassy may contact you later on and request additional information.*

*Relatives of EU/EEA/Swiss citizens can submit their Schengen visa application at the Embassy of Spain in India, free of any charge and without prior appointment (check the opening hours at the [website of the Embassy](#)).*

*Please remember that you should apply for a Spanish Schengen visa if Spain is the sole or the main destination of your visit.*

*Back to back pages are preferred. Do not staple any documents and refrain from providing documents other than those mentioned here-below.*

### **Documents**

- [One application form for a Schengen visa](#) duly completed (full postal address, email address and telephone should not be omitted), dated and signed in blue ink by the applicant or both parents if a minor. One photograph not older than 6 months of the applicant, 35-45 mm and on a white background, should be affixed on the application form.
- In case of minors applying alone or not with both parents, the application must include a notarized authorization letter signed by both parents. The parent who is not present at the moment of the application must submit as a proof of the signature a notarized copy of the passports or PAN cards or driving license.
- Passport of the applicant with at least two blank pages, valid for at least three months after the duration of the anticipated stay and issued in the last ten (10) years. Old passports can also be included. If there is any visa refusal in the latest 2 years, please provide the refusal notice or a written explanation about the reasons.
- One copy of the pages of the passport with biographic data (in the case of an Indian passport, at the beginning and the end).
- Copy of the passport of the EU/EEA/Swiss citizen (or also DNI, if he/she is Spanish) attested by notary public. The EU/EEA/Swiss citizen can also accompany the applicant and produce his/her original passport or Spanish DNI.
- Proof that the applicant is traveling with an EU/EEA/Swiss citizen or joining her/him in Spain (e.g. flight tickets or attested letter by notary public by the EU/EEA/Swiss citizen or [Carta de invitación](#) of the Spanish National Police.
- Evidence of the family relationship: legalized/apostilled birth, marriage or legal partnership certificate, as applicable, issued not earlier than 3 months. Only certificates issued by the Spanish Civil Registry will be accepted of evidence of a marriage with a Spanish national.
- Evidence of dependency (i.e. disabilities, health issues, economic or others), if parents or children above 21.
- If the applicant is not a national of India, Sri Lanka, Bhutan, Nepal or the Maldives, evidence of his/her legal residence in any of these countries (residence permit).

### **Average processing time at the Embassy**

4 working days