

THE PASSPORT CHECKLIST

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START HERE

You can apply in person at the Elting Library, or any other passport acceptance facility, using Form DS-11 *if at least one of the following is true:*

- Are you applying for your first U.S. passport?
- Are you under age 16?
- Was your previous U.S. passport issued when you were under age 16?
- Was your previous U.S. passport lost, stolen, or damaged?
- Was your previous U.S. passport issued more than 15 years ago?

If ***none*** of the above statements apply to you, you may be eligible to **RENEW** *your passport using Form DS-82.

*The library ***cannot*** process passport renewals; ***you*** must complete and mail a renewal on your own.

NEXT

Based on the checklist above, I am ***not*** eligible for a passport renewal:

- True
- False

If true, please turn over and complete the next set of checklists.

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FORM DS-11

Form DS-11: Application for a U.S. Passport

- Download or print Form DS-11.
- I have completed Form DS-11.

***You must complete form DS - 11 on your own and prior to the passport appointment. If not, you will need to reschedule the appointment.**

CITIZENSHIP

You must submit one of the following. Your evidence must be an original or certified, physical copy. A certified copy is any document that has the seal or stamp of the official issuing authority.

- Fully-valid, undamaged U.S. passport (may be expired)
- U.S. birth certificate that meets the following requirements:
 - Issued by the city, county, or state of birth
 - Lists your full name, date of birth, and place of birth
 - Lists your parent(s)' full names
 - Has the date filed with registrar's office (must be within one year of birth)
 - Has the registrar's signature
 - Has the seal of the issuing authority
- Consular Report of Birth Abroad or Certification of Birth
- Certificate of Naturalization
- Certificate of Citizenship

If you cannot submit one of the above acceptable documents, or for more information, please see [Citizenship Evidence on travel.state.gov](#).

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CITIZENSHIP

Submit a photocopy of front (back, if there is printed info) of the U.S. citizenship evidence you're providing to us.

Photocopies must be:

- Legible
- On white 8.5"x11" standard paper
- Black and white
- Single sided

PRESENT ID

You must present 1 of the following identification documents to the agent. If you present an out-of-state ID, you must present additional ID.

- Valid or expired, undamaged U.S. passport book or passport card
- In-state, fully valid driver's license or enhanced driver's license with photo
- Certificate of Naturalization
- Certificate of Citizenship
- Government employee ID (city, county, state, or federal)
- U.S. military or military dependent ID
- Current (valid) foreign passport
- Matricula Consular (Mexican Consular ID) - commonly used by a parent of a U.S. citizen child applicant
- U.S. Permanent Resident Card (Green Card) - commonly used by a parent of a U.S. citizen child applicant
- Trusted Traveler IDs (including valid Global Entry, FAST, SENTRI, and NEXUS cards)
- Enhanced Tribal Cards and Native American tribal photo IDs
- Other documents: In-state, fully valid learner's permit with photo, In-state, fully valid non-driver ID with photo, and temporary driver's license with photo. Note: you may be asked to present an additional ID when presenting one of these 3 documents.

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PHOTOCOPY OF ID

Submit a photocopy of the front (and back, if there is printed information) of each ID that you present when you apply.

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- On white 8.5"x11" standard paper
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SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES

If any of the below categories apply to you, you may have additional requirements for your passport application. Please see the relevant page for more information.

- Children under 16
- Children 16-17
- Previous passport was lost or stolen
- Owe >\$2500 in child support
- Requesting a sex marker change

PHOTO

You must provide one photograph with your application. To avoid processing delays, be sure your photo meets all photo requirements.

Elting Library provides photo services for \$10 per photo.

Use the fee calculator to estimate your fees:

