Important Notice

Biometric Data Collection

All applicants applying for their first short stay Schengen (C) visa or long stay (D) visa are required to provide their biometric data (fingerprints).

Exemptions From Fingerprint Collection

1. Applicants whose fingerprints were collected during a previous application (within the last 59 months) are exempt from providing them again.

   In case of doubt, the applicant may request fingerprint collection if it cannot be immediately confirmed that fingerprints were taken within the last 59 months.

2. Children under the age of 12 are exempt from fingerprint collection for Schengen (C) visas. For long-stay (D) visas, children under the age of 6 are exempt.

Photograph Requirement:

All applicants must submit a recent photograph that meets ICAO standards.