



TLSCONTACT VISA APPLICATION CENTRE - CHINA

LIST OF DOCUMENTS

PASSPORT TALENT SPOUSE

If your spouse is the holder of Passport talent, and you would like to go to France with him (her):

O = Original

C = Copy

T = Translation

Y = Must supply

Comments	Documents	O	C	T
	<p>One recent identity photo</p> <p>Size 3.5 cm x 4.5 cm, color photo with white background, taken within 6 months and from the front without any head-coverings. Please visit FAQ page for more information about photo requirements.</p> <p>Have a compliant photograph taken directly at the Visa Application Centre! For more information, please visit Added Value Services page.</p>	Y		
	<p>Long stay visa application form</p> <p>Please visit Links and Downloads page to find the form.</p>	Y		
Mandatory for foreigners	<p>Chinese residence permit</p> <p>A foreign applicant must hold a residence permit with a period of validity of no less than 6 months or a permanent residence card. Holders of a single-entry or a multi-entries visa are not allowed to apply for any visa except for airport transit visa.</p>	Y	Y	
	<p>Notarial translation (in French or English) of the Marriage certificate certified by the Chinese Ministry Of Foreign Affairs or by Chinese Waiban or by the Chinese Consular authority abroad</p> <p>For foreigners: Notarial translation (in French or English) of the Marriage certificate certified by the Embassy/Consulate of your country in China.</p> <p>For individual applications submitted in Shanghai, Hangzhou and Nanjing centres (non ADS group applicants): All the notarial</p>	Y	Y	



	<p>certificates legalized by Waiban of Shanghai, Jiangsu, Zhejiang and Anhui will be delivered directly to the Consulate General of France in Shanghai by Waiban. Only the original receipt from Waiban will be accepted by Visa center. Original certificates and photocopies will not be accepted as supporting documents.</p> <p>Original notarial certificates legalized by waiban other than the above area (Shanghai, Jiangsu, Zhejiang and Anhui) are accepted.</p> <p>Please note that any required original notarial certificates submitted will not be returned to applicants.</p>			
	<p>Proof of “Passport talent” identity of your spouse:</p> <p>Or Copy of OFII form of your spouse</p> <p>Or Resident permit with “passport talent” mention of your spouse</p> <p>Or Issued Visa with “passport talent” mention of your spouse</p>		Y	
	<p>Passport</p> <p>A full national private passport or official travel document valid for at least more than 3 months beyond the validity of the requested visa, with two blank visa pages with the mention “visa” to affix the visa sticker. Should be issued less than 10 years ago. For more information about “Passport Validity” please visit FAQ page.</p> <p>Copies of the first 5 pages of the passport containing information, and all pages that contain visas or stamps.</p>	Y	Y	
<p>2 additional mandatory documents for submission by a representative:</p> <p>For the following main visa categories:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • long-stay visa application (above 90 days) • visiting the DROM-CTOM <p>Applicants of 12 years old or above on the day of submitting visa application must go through the biometric data capture step for each new application, even if they have already submitted their fingerprints for a previous visa application. For more information, please visit FAQ page.</p>				
	<p>Letter of authorization for visa application/passport return</p> <p>Mandatory if you choose to submit your application by a representative.</p> <p>Download.</p> <p>Requirements:</p> <p>1. The signature on the letter of authorization needs to be the same as the one in the applicant’s passport and Visa application form. The form has to be filled out completely. No correction is allowed on the form.</p>	Y		



	<p>2. The letter can't be shared and each applicant has to present the original.</p> <p>3. Minor applicant under the age of 18: The letter of authorization must be signed by one parent or a legal guardian: An adult is authorized to accompany the underage applicant for the submission and enrollment of biometric data (Parents' ID photocopies should be joined with the authorization letter) Please DO NOT sign the name of the underage applicant.</p> <p>Please note that:</p> <p>(1) The authorization letter must be signed by a legal guardian. The representative is not authorized to sign it.</p> <p>(2) Personal appearance is not required for children under 12 years old.</p> <p>The age on the date of application submission is taken as reference to determine if an applicant is a minor or not.</p> <p>The authorization is not required, if parents submit the application for their minor-aged children. However, they should provide evidence proving the family relation (such as hukou etc.).</p>			
	<p>Representative's ID Card or passport</p> <p>Mandatory if you choose to submit your application by a representative.</p>	Y	Y	