

Turkish ID Card (Kimlik) Application

New Card / Renewal / Replacement

Required Documents

- Old Turkish ID card (if renewing or replacing)
- Turkish passport (if available)
- 2 biometric photos (50x60mm, white background, taken within 6 months)
- Proof of Turkish citizenship (Nüfus Kayıt Örneği if needed)
- Proof of address in the US (utility bill, lease, or bank statement)
- Application form (obtained at consulate)

For First-Time Applicants

- Original Turkish birth certificate
- Parents' Turkish ID cards or passports (copies acceptable)
- Family registration document (Aile Nüfus Kayıt Örneği)

For Minors Under 18

- Both parents present with valid IDs
- OR notarized consent from absent parent (Apostilled if from US)
- Child's existing documents (passport, birth certificate)

Fees (Cash Only - USD)

- Standard ID card: \$8.39
- Lost/stolen replacement: \$12.79

Important Notes

- Processing time: 2-4 weeks typically
- Biometric fingerprint collection required
- ID card is valid for 10 years (adults) or until age 18 (minors)
- Address change does not require new card
- Card will be mailed to your registered address

APPOINTMENT REQUIRED: konsolosluk.gov.tr

Source: Turkish Consulate General (2024-2025)

This checklist is for informational purposes only. Requirements may change. Verify with the consulate before your appointment.

echo-legal.com