DOCUMENT FEES

The "application fee" corresponds to the chancery fees that an applicant must pay to allow administrative processing of his file. Free or partial exemption may be applied to particular categories of applicants (spouse of a French national, children under six years of age for a short stay visa ...).

No full or partial reimbursement of duties paid is foreseen even if the visa is refused since these fees do not correspond to the cost of the visa but to the cost of the investigation of the file.

The principle of non-reimbursement was adopted by the European Union and therefore voted by the European Parliament following a democratic debate. All Schengen States follow this rule. Many non-Schengen States apply the same principle for the same reasons.

This amount must be paid exclusively in cash (exact amount in birr) when submitting your file. Euros are not accepted, nor any other currency.

Summary table of visa fees

Visa designation	FEE (€)		
	Children under 6 years old	**Children from 6 to 12 years old**	**Full**
Airport transit visa and short stay visa in Schengen	Free	35 €	60 €
Visa for airport transit and short stays in Guadeloupe, Martinique, Guyana and Reunion, as well as Saint-Barthelemy and Saint-Martin	Free	35 €	60 €
Visa of airport transit and short stay in New Caledonia, French Polynesia, Wallis and Futuna, Saint-Pierre-and-Miquelon, Mayotte and the French Southern and Antarctic Territories	9 €		
Long stay visa (more than 90 days)	99 €		
Long stay visa (more than 90 days) issued to foreign children adopted by nationals in the legal and final form required in their country of origin, valid for metropolitan France and overseas France	15 €		