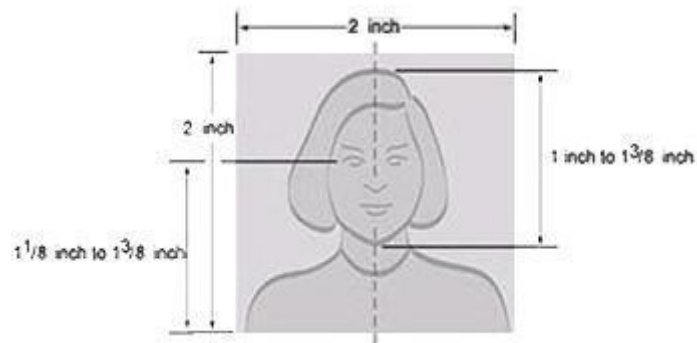


## Photograph Requirements



### Image Specifications:

- Size: 2 inch x 2 inch (Un-mounted)
- Recent: Taken within the last 6 months
- Color: Only color photographs will be accepted
- Background: Plain white background with no shadows
- Face Coverage: The face should occupy 70–80% of the photo
- Framing: Full face, front view with eyes open and visible
- Expression: Neutral expression; no smiling or frowning, mouth must be closed
- Lighting: Even lighting with no shadows on the face or background; natural skin tone visibility
- Head Position: Face must be square to the camera

### Accessories and Headgear:

- Glasses: Clear, non-tinted prescription glasses are acceptable if eyes are fully visible and frames do not obscure them
- Sunglasses: Not allowed
- Headgear: Allowed only for religious reasons, but facial features must remain clearly visible
- Other Items: Headphones, wireless devices, or similar items are not permitted

### Photograph Requirements for Babies/Children:

- The child must be awake, looking directly at the camera, with mouth closed
- Both edges of the face must be clearly visible

- No objects such as toys, blankets, or other people should be visible in the frame
- Hair must be away from the eyes