

**Supplementary documents for the application for a residence permit for family reunification**

- for a first issue, if applicable, a valid entry visa for the purpose of family reunification
  - Marriage certificate/proof of registered partnership
  - Birth certificate of the child
  - if applicable, proof of personal custody of the child
  - in the case of joint custody, the consent of the parent who does not follow the child
  - if applicable, proof of German language proficiency (only required for separated spouses/partners and children from 16 years old)
  - for children with compulsory education (from the age of 6 years) school certificate or declaration of admission of a school
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