Ireland Passport — paper form photo

Irish passport book — paper application (4 printed photos)

Print size	35×45 mm
Head size	The photo must capture your image from head to mid torso. Visible space between head/shoulders and edge.
Background	You need to stand in front of a completely plain, light grey, white or cream background.
Glasses	Allowed; frame must not cover any part of the eyes; no glare; no dark glasses.
Head covering	Religious or medical only; full facial features visible.
Expression	neutral, do not smile and close your mouth
Taken within	6 months

Official wording

“Digital enhancements or changes are not acceptable.”

Sources (checked 2026-11-10):

https://www.ireland.ie/en/dfa/passports/photo-guidelines/
https://web.archive.org/web/20240227133314/https://www.ireland.ie/en/dfa/passports/photo-guidelines/
https://www.irishimmigration.ie/wp-content/uploads/2025/04/Travel-Documents-Photo-Requirements-v3-a.pdf

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