

Applying for a

Spanish Social Security Number

with:

- Spanish National Identity Document (DNI)
- Spanish Identity Number for Foreign Nationals (NIE)
- Spanish Identity Card for Foreign Nationals (TIE)

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Useful information before applying for a Spanish Social Security Affiliation Number with DNI, NIE or TIE

A Spanish Social Security Number (NUSS) is a number the Spanish Social Security Office uses to identify you. It is also known as an Affiliation Number (NAF). The Social Security Affiliation Number is a twelve-digit number.

Please note that if you have had an employment contract in Spain the Affiliation Number appears in your personal data on the contract. If you have never had a contract in Spain or have not received a letter from Spanish Social Security to notify this number to you, then you should follow these steps.

What you need

- Your identity document (DNI, NIE or TIE). If you only have a passport, you must click on the infographic link “Apply for a Social Security Number with Passport.”
- Your contact details (mobile phone and email).
- Your usual place of residence.

Time period

You can apply for your Spanish Social Security number at any time.

Aimed at

- Any citizen who does not have an assigned Spanish Social Security number.

You may already have an assigned a Spanish Social Security number if you have ever worked or if you have had School Insurance coverage. If you do not know the number or are not sure you have one, you can check by accessing your personal area.

Steps to follow

1 Access the Spanish Social Security website

Click here: [Citizens \(sede-social.gob.es\)](https://sede-social.gob.es)



2 Click on the button “Get access”

3 Select the form of identification you want to use to access the portal

For this to work, the Spanish Social Security Office must have your personal data on record in its database.

— If you do not have Permanent Cl@ve, Cl@ve PIN or electronic DNI or digital certificate, you must select the option “**Vía SMS**”.

— If “Via SMS” does not work, then you must provide your personal data via this link:

<https://portal.seg-social.gob.es/wps/portal/importass/importass/solicitudes/enviar>

Steps to follow

Example of access “via SMS”

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- Click on “**Via SMS**”
- Fill in your **personal data**
- Click “**Enter**”

 **Accede vía SMS**

DNI o NIE

Fecha de nacimiento (día/mes/año)



Teléfono móvil
(prefijo del país/número de teléfono)

+34

Te enviaremos un SMS a tu móvil con un código de seguridad que te pediremos a continuación

Entrar

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- **Enter the code** you received on your mobile phone via SMS

 **Accede vía SMS**

Revisa tu teléfono móvil

Te hemos enviado un código de seguridad de 6 dígitos y un sólo uso por SMS al:

Entrar

[No recibo el SMS](#)

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- Then you will see the Spanish Social Security affiliation number (twelve digits). **When you register, you must report this affiliation number to the Admission Services / your Faculty.** You can do this at the Faculty Secretary Office.

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