

Kenya and Spain

Kenya Embassy, Madrid

The Embassy of the Republic of Kenya in Madrid is accredited to the kingdom of Spain, the Principality of Andorra and the United Nations World Tourism Organization. Kenya and the Kingdom of Spain established diplomatic relations in 1965 on a foundation of mutual respect, shared interests and cooperation in political, economic, multilateral and cultural affairs. In the period since 1965, diplomatic relations have continued to expand, culminating in the establishment of the Embassy of the Republic of Kenya in Madrid in 2007, which significantly enhanced Kenya's engagement with Spain. The establishment of diplomatic relations with the Principality of Andorra in 2022 further expanded the Mission's bilateral engagement and created new opportunities for cooperation.

Over the years, Kenya–Spain relations have evolved from traditional political cooperation to a comprehensive partnership encompassing trade and investment, tourism, development cooperation, agriculture, renewable energy, education, culture and multilateral diplomacy. Spain has become an important trading partner and source of investment for Kenya. Through sustained, proactive and innovative diplomatic engagement and strategic partnerships, the Mission continues to promote Kenya's national interests while contributing to stronger political, economic and people-to-people relations with Spain, Andorra and UN Tourism.

Instruments in force

- Memorandum of Understanding on Political Consultations (2023)
- Memorandum of Understanding on Cooperation in Higher Education (2022)
- Memorandum of Understanding on Cooperation in Language Learning (2022)
- Memorandum of Understanding on Health Cooperation (2022)