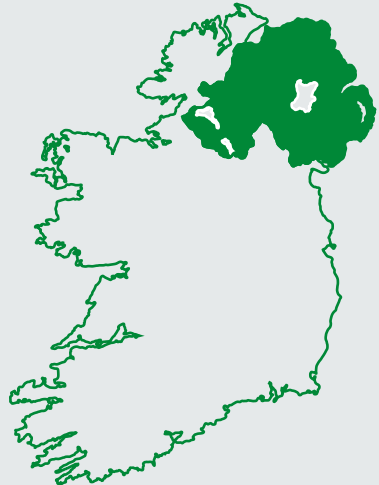


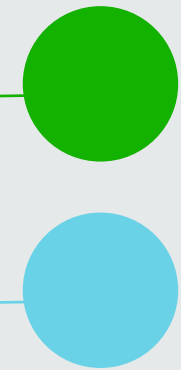
In 2016, Our Passport Service...



733,060
PASSPORTS
ISSUED **9%**
INCREASE
COMPARED
TO 2015



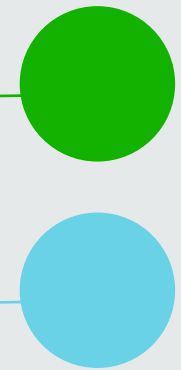
65,727
Passports Issued
via Northern
Ireland Passport
Express



28,630 First time
applicants **43.56%** increase
compared to 2015;
37,097 renewals
56.44% increase
compared to 2015



59,858
Passports
Issued via
London Office



15,971
First time applicants **26.68%**
increase compared to 2015;
43,887 renewals
73.32% increase compared
to 2015

271,149

Passports issued to under 18s

58,389
under 3

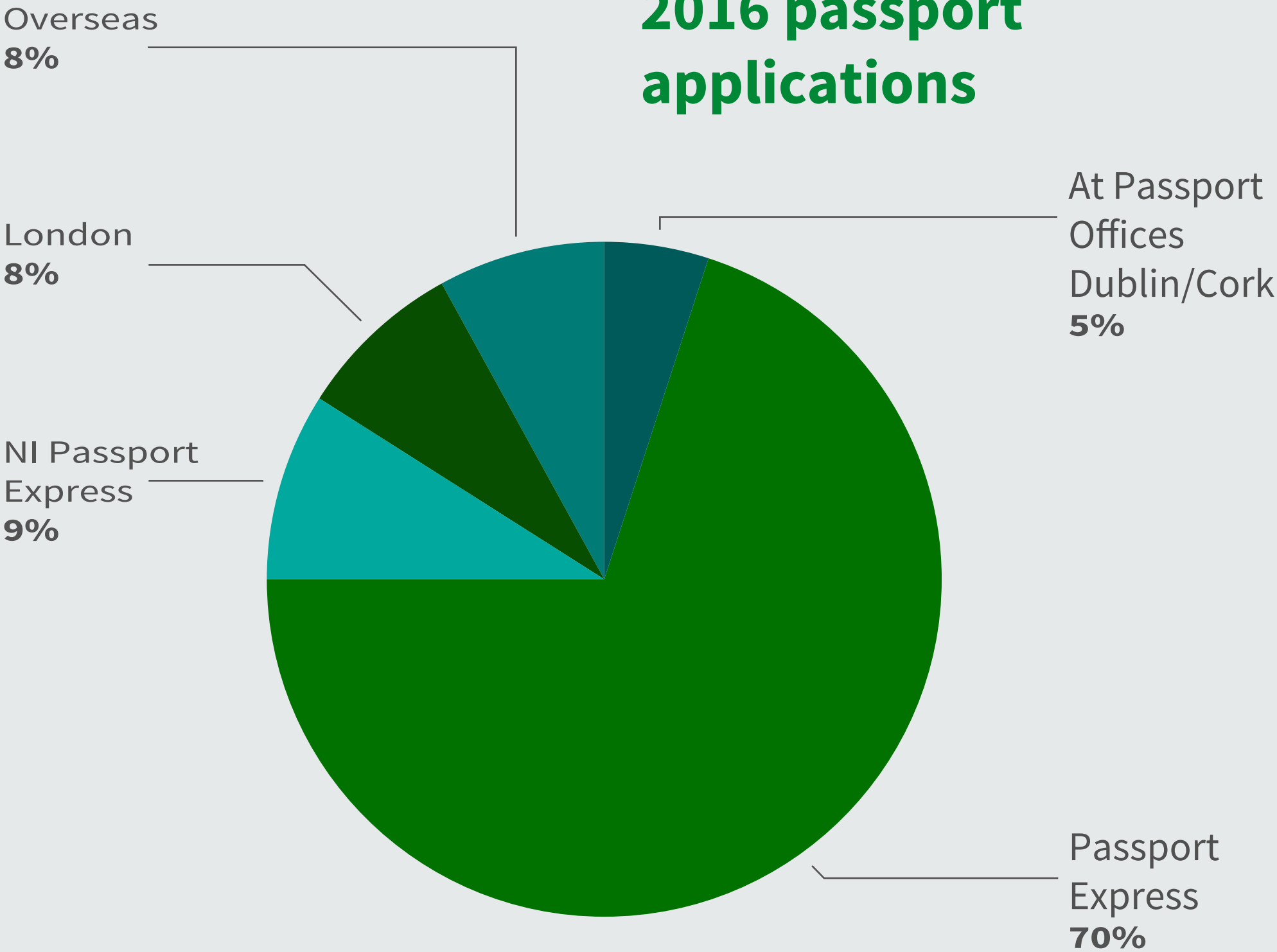
212,760
over 3 under 18



24,443
Passport
cards issued

54,595 Passports issued via
missions abroad – a **9.15%** increase
compared to 2015

2016 passport applications



**Most popular
names – James
and Emily**



**Busiest
months –
April, May
and June**