

RESIDENCY AFFIDAVIT - REQUIRED of New & Former Students Returning After 1 Year

If you believe you qualify as a Florida resident for tuition purposes, complete this form. Additional documentation other than what is described may be required by the University. A Florida "resident for tuition purposes" is a person who has or a dependent person whose parent or legal guardian has established and maintained legal residence in Florida for at least 12 months prior to the first official day of the semester for which you are applying. Other persons not meeting the 12 month legal residence requirement may be classified as Florida residents for tuition purposes only if they fall within one of the special categories authorized by the Florida Legislature and the Board of Trustees. All other persons are ineligible for classification as a Florida "resident for tuition purposes".

IT IS IMPORTANT TO KNOW:

- To qualify as a Florida resident for tuition purposes you must be a U.S. citizen, permanent resident alien, or a legal alien granted indefinite stay by the INS.
- Documents supporting the establishment of legal residence must be dated, issued, or filed 12 months before the first day of classes. All documentation is subject to verification, and a minimum of two forms of documentation are required.
- Living in or attending school in Florida will not in itself establish legal residence.
- Students who depend on out-of-state parents for support are presumed to be legal residents of the same state as their parents.
- Residence in Florida must be for the purpose of establishing a permanent home and not merely incident to enrollment at an institution of higher education.

NON-FLORIDA RESIDENTS

I understand that I do not qualify as a Florida resident for tuition purposes for the term for which this application is submitted and that if I should qualify for some future term it will be necessary for me to file the required documentation prior to the beginning of the term in order to be considered for Florida Residency.

Signature in Ink: _____ Date: _____

FLORIDA RESIDENTS

A copy of you and/or your parents' most recent tax return or other documentation may be requested to establish dependence/independence.

DEPENDENT: A person for whom 50% or more of his/her support is provided by another as defined by the IRS.

INDEPENDENT: A person who provides more than 50% of his/her support.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> I am an independent person and have maintained legal residence in Florida for at least 12 months. | <input type="checkbox"/> I am a member of the armed services of the United States and I am stationed in Florida on active military duty pursuant to military orders, or whose home of record is Florida, or I am a member's spouse or dependent child . (Required: Copy of military orders or DD2058 showing home of record.) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I am a dependent person and my parent/legal guardian has maintained legal residence in Florida for at least 12 months. (Required: Copy of most recent tax return on which you were claimed as a dependent or other proof of dependency.) | <input type="checkbox"/> I am a full-time instructional or administrative employee of a Florida public school, community college, or institution of higher education , or I am the employee's spouse or dependent child . (Required: Copy of employment contract.) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I am a dependent person who has resided for five years with an adult relative other than my parent/legal guardian, and my relative has maintained legal residence in Florida for at least 12 months. (Required: Copy of most recent tax return on which you were claimed as a dependent or other proof of dependency.) | <input type="checkbox"/> I am a qualified beneficiary under the terms of the Florida Pre-Paid Post-Secondary Expense Program , S.240.55,F.S. (Required: Copy of card.) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I am married to a person who has maintained legal residence in Florida for at least 12 months. I have now established legal residence and intend to make Florida my permanent home. (Required: Copy of marriage license, spouse's voter registration, driver license, and vehicle registration.) | <input type="checkbox"/> I am living on the Isthmus of Panama and have completed 12 consecutive months of college at the FSU Panama Canal Branch, or I am the student's spouse or dependent child . (Required: Copy of marriage license or proof of dependency.) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I was previously enrolled at a Florida state institution and classified as a Florida resident for tuition purposes. I abandoned my Florida domicile less than 12 months ago and am now re-establishing Florida legal residence. | <input type="checkbox"/> I am a Southern Regional Education Board's Academic Common Market graduate student. (Required: Certification letter from State Coordinator.) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> According to the United States Immigration and Naturalization Service, I am a permanent resident alien or other legal alien granted indefinite stay and have maintained a domicile in Florida for at least 12 months. (Required: INS documentation and proof of residency status.) | <input type="checkbox"/> I am a full-time employee of a state agency or political subdivision of the state whose student fees are paid by the state agency or political subdivision for the purpose of job-related law enforcement or corrections training. (Required: Copy of employment verification.) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> I am part of the Latin American/Caribbean Scholarship program. (Required: Copy of scholarship papers.) | <input type="checkbox"/> I am a McKnight Fellowship recipient. (Required: Verification from graduate studies.) |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> I am an active member of Florida National Guard who qualifies under Florida Statutes s.250.10 (7) and (8) for the tuition assistance program. |

Person claiming residency should complete this section in full. Please print.

1. Name of Student: _____ 2. Student ID #: _____
3. Name of Claimant (if different from student): _____ 4. Relationship: _____
5. Permanent Legal Address of Claimant: _____
6. Telephone Number: (____) _____ 7. Date began establishing Legal Florida Residence and Domicile: _____
8. Voter's Registration (State/Number): _____ 8a. Voter Registration Issue Date: _____
9. Drivers License (State/Number): _____ 9a. Drivers License Issue Date: _____
10. Vehicle Registration (State/Number): _____ 10a. Veh Registration Issue Date: _____
11. Non-U.S. Citizen Only (Resident Alien Number and Issue Date): _____

I do hereby swear or affirm that the above named student meets all requirements indicated in the checked category above for classification as a Florida resident for tuition purposes. I understand that a false statement in this affidavit will subject me to penalties for making a false statement pursuant to 837.06, Florida Statutes, and that a false statement in this affidavit may subject the above named student to the penalties for making a false statement pursuant to BOR Rule 6C-6.01(6), F.A.C.

Signature of Student or Claimant

Date