



FEATHER RIVER COLLEGE RECORDS OFFICE

RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants who are not U.S. citizens, or who are citizens but have resided in California for less than two years, should bring proof of residency status with them when they submit their application for admission. **Noncitizens must show proof of immigration status.** Students must apply well in advance of the start of the term in order to ensure their residency status will be determined in time to register.

To be eligible to establish residency for the purpose of attending a California community college, applicants must be citizens of the United States or legal aliens with an immigration status, which allows them to establish domicile according to the laws of California. The regulations regarding alien students are extensive and cannot be reprinted here. Contact the Records Office for information regarding domicile requirements, documentation required and eligible immigration status.

Application must have had continuous presence in the State of California and have manifested intent to make California their place of permanent residence a minimum of 12 months before the start of the semester for which they are applying. Applicants may not have two places of permanent residence.

Students eligible to establish residency who have lived in California for less than 2 years must clearly demonstrate the following:

- Intent to make California their permanent residence at least one year before the start of the semester;
- Physical presence in California for at least one year immediately before the start of the semester; and
- Financial independence from anyone who is not a California resident. Several requirements must be met in this area.

Actions that are consistent with the intent to make California the place of permanent residence include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Registering in California all vehicles owned;
- California Driver's License;
- Registering to vote in the State of California;
- Assuming permanent employment;
- Opening an account with a California bank;
- Having children in a California public school;
- Filing suit in a California court; and
- Filing taxes as a California resident.

The actions listed in the preceding paragraph must have taken place at least one year before the start of the semester for which the student is applying.

Section 68062A of the California Education Code states that a person may have only one principal place of residence. Vehicle Code Sections 12502 and 12505 require that a resident obtain a California driver's license within 10 days from the date residence is established. Maintaining an out-of-state license is considered inconsistent with the intent to make California a place of permanent residence.

In the event that an applicant's residency is in question, it is the responsibility of the applicant to present clear proof of residence. **The burden of proof is on the student, not the District.**

Applications who are classified as nonresidents are welcome to enroll at Feather River College, however, they will be subject to nonresident tuition fees in effect at the time of registration. Questions regarding residency should be directed to the Records Office.

FEATHER RIVER COLLEGE ADMISSIONS AND RECORDS

RESIDENCE QUESTIONNAIRE

Name _____ Social Security Number _____ - _____ - _____

Current Address _____
Street/PO Box City State Zip Since What Date

Permanent Address _____
Street/PO Box City State Zip Since What Date

Telephone (_____) _____ - _____ Date of Birth _____ / _____ / _____

	STUDENT (All Students Complete)	GUARDIAN (Respond only if student is under 19)
When did your present stay in California begin?	Enter Date:	Enter Date:
Do you have a California Drivers License? If yes,	Date received:	Date received:
Is your vehicle licensed in California? If yes,	Date registered:	Date registered:
Did you file federal income tax showing California as the home address? If yes,	Date filed:	Date filed:
Are you registered to vote in California? If yes,	Date registered:	Date registered:
Do you own residential property in California? If yes,	Date purchased:	Date purchased:
Do you have an active California bank accounts? If yes,	Date opened:	Date opened:
Have you received a license from California for a professional practice? If yes,	Date received:	Date received:
Have you maintained California as a permanent military address? Or, home of record while in the armed forces? If yes,	Date of entry:	Date of entry:
Have you attend FRC as an SB2000 student?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Are you, your spouse, or parent employed full-time by a California public (tax supported) school, college or university?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Have you been physically present in California for the past year?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

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