

RESIDENCE CLASSIFICATION FOR TUITION PURPOSES

based on University of Nebraska Board of Regents residency policy

CATEGORY	DESCRIPTION	DOCUMENTATION I (Proof of Home)	DOCUMENTATION II Supporting Documents	ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTATION
A. Legal Age or Emancipated Minor:	An individual who has established a home in NE where he/she are habitually present & shall verify with documentation the intention to make NE their permanent place of residence. (Cannot have enrolled in MORE THAN 6 credits per semester at any NE institution in the last year)	Must provide proof of an established home in NE for at least 12 months since most recent Nebraska residence start date	Three (3) supporting documents provided by applicant.	N/A
B. Dependent Minor (less than 19 yrs. of age):	A minor whose parent/guardian has established a home in NE where they are habitually present with the bona fide intention of making NE their permanent place of residence.	Parent or guardian must provide proof of current established home in NE.	Parent/Guardian must provide Three (3) supporting documents	*Signed copy of most recent federal tax return showing the applicant is a dependent of the parent or guardian
C. Legal Age Dependent (19 –24 yrs. of age):	A person of legal age who has established a home in NE and is a dependent for federal income tax purposes of a parent/guardian who has established a home in NE.	Parent or guardian must provide proof of current established home in NE	Parent/Guardian must provide Three (3) supporting documents	*Signed copy of most recent federal tax return showing the applicant is a dependent of the parent or guardian.
D. Married to a Nebraska Resident	An individual who has married a resident of NE. Resident shall be required to verify residency prior to the marriage.	Spouse must provide proof of an established home in NE for at least 12 months since most recent Nebraska residence start date	Spouse must provide Three (3) supporting documents provided by Nebraska resident.	*Marriage Certificate
E. Permanent Resident, Asylee or Refugee:	An individual who has become a permanent resident alien of the United States or has been granted Asylee or Refugee status	Must provide proof of an established home in NE for at least 12 months since most recent Nebraska residence start date.	Applicant: Three (3) supporting documents.	*Verification of Permanent Resident, Asylee, or Refugee Status.
F. University or State College Staff Member or Dependent:	At least .5 FTE Staff member or dependent/spouse of staff member, of the Univ. of NE, a NE state college, or NE community college	Not Required.	Not Required.	*Human Resource verification: Employment Date, Permanent, min .5FTE, Benefits eligible*Spouse: Marriage Certificate or Verification of dependent status

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G. Active Duty Military or NE National Guard & Dependents:	Active Duty Military, Active Duty National Guard, or dependent/spouse, with the armed services of the U.S.A. who has been assigned to a duty station in NE.	Not Required.	Not Required.	*Orders stating current Active Duty or home of record in NE or proof of NE state income taxes.*Spouse: Marriage Certificate or Verification of dependent status if not listed on orders.
H. Returning Nebraska High School Graduate/ Nebraska Dream Act.	A person who is a graduate of a Nebraska high school and who meets the requirements of Nebraska law found in Neb. Rev. Stat. §85-502(8)	Must provide proof of current established home in NE. (twelve Month wait requirement is waived)	Applicant: Three (3) supporting documents.*Official Nebraska high school transcript or copy of diploma or NE GED.	*Official Nebraska high school transcript or copy of diploma or NE GED.
I. Former University/State College Resident Student:	An individual who has been enrolled at one of the Univ. of NE or NE state colleges, as a resident for tuition purposes, and reenrolls within two years of the last date of enrollment.	Must provide proof of current established home in NE.	Applicant: Three (3) supporting documents.	*Statement from University or State College indicating resident classification
J. Native American	An individual not residing in NE who is a member of a Native American tribe that is indigenous to or has historically migrated to/from NE.	N/A	N/A	*Documentation attesting to affiliation with qualifying tribe.
K. Recruited or Transferred Employees:	Individuals (and their spouse and dependents) who, because of special talents & skills, were Recruited/Transferred for full-time employment by a business entity.	Must provide proof of current established home in NE.	Applicant & Parent/Spouse: Three (3) supporting documents provided by applicant.	*Letter from employer on company letterhead: Must include "Recruited" or "Transferred", date of employment, and permanent full-time status. *Spouse: Marriage Certificate or Verification of dependent status
L. Nebraska High School Graduate-Veteran:	A person who has served with the military who has been honorably discharged, is a graduate of a NE high school, and has established a home in NE with the intent to make NE a permanent residence.	Must provide proof of current established home in NE.	Applicant: Three (3) supporting documents.	*Official Nebraska high school transcript or copy of diploma.
M. Military Veteran or Dependent/Spouse:	Has been off active duty for three years or with intent to be a resident of NE. (does not apply to a veteran who qualified 38 U.S.C § 3317 (the Yellow Ribbon program)	Not required	Applicant: Voter's registration card and any one (1) of the (3) items: Nebraska driver's license, Nebraska ID card, or Nebraska vehicle registration (pink slip).	*DD 214 –Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty Military.*Spouse: Marriage Certificate or Verification of dependent status.