



Valdosta State University

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APPLICATION FOR OUT-OF-STATE TUITION DIFFERENTIAL WAIVER BORDER STATE RESIDENTS

Prior to submitting a **Border State Resident** out-of-state tuition waiver application, students are advised to review the University System of Georgia Border State Residents out-of-state tuition waiver policy found in Section 7.3.4.1 of the Board of Regents Policy Manual (www.usg.edu/policymanual). Please note that the Border State Residents out-of-state tuition waiver is available to qualifying **undergraduate students** only.

Section I – To be completed by the STUDENT

Name:		Student ID:	
Address:			
City:	State:	Zip:	
Email:		Phone:	
Term applying for waiver: <input type="checkbox"/> Fall <input type="checkbox"/> Spring <input type="checkbox"/> Summer Year: _____		Will you be attending as an Undergraduate student? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
This waiver application is based on your present and permanent home (domicile) in the following eligible states: (Alabama, Florida, South Carolina) bordering Georgia: State: _____			

Section II – STUDENT Oath and Affirmation

I understand that any material false statement made knowingly and willingly by me on this application, or any documents attached hereto may, in accordance with O.C.G.A. 16-10-71, which provides that upon conviction, a person who knowingly commits the offense of false swearing shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$1,000 or by imprisonment for not less than one nor more than five years, or both, subject me to prosecution in a court of law. Additionally, I further understand that any such false statement may subject me to immediate dismissal from the institution.

Further, I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, the information submitted on this application is true and complete.

Student Signature

Date

Section III –Documentation Requirements

All Students Must Provide The Following:

Independent Students: Students 24 years of age and older must provide documentation showing that they have established and maintained Domicile in the eligible state bordering Georgia for at least 12 consecutive months immediately preceding the first day of classes for the term the Border State Residents waiver is requested.

Dependent Students: Students who are under the age of 24 must provide documentation showing that their parent(s) or U.S. court-appointed legal guardian(s) has established and maintained domicile in the eligible state bordering Georgia for at least 12 consecutive months immediately preceding the first day of classes for the term the Border State Residents waiver is requested. Dependent students must also show that they graduated high school in the eligible border state or were claimed as a dependent on the income tax return filed for the most recent tax year by their qualifying parent or U.S. court-appointed legal guardian.

Examples of supporting documentation include:

- Copy of lease agreement or warranty deed
- Copy of driver’s license or state-issued ID
- Copy of vehicle registration
- Copy of state tax return filed for the most recent tax year
- Copy of federal tax return filed for the most recent tax year

LAWFUL PRESENCE IN THE UNITED STATES

In addition to the above waiver-specific documentation requirements, students must be verified to be lawfully present in the United States to be eligible for any out-of-state tuition waiver.

NOTE: Additional documentation may be requested to determine waiver eligibility.

Submit completed form and required documentation to:

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