

____ I will / have graduated from _____ home school in _____.
(Name of Home School) (City/State) (Year)

____ I will/have earned my GED in _____ from _____.
(Year) (City/State)

____ I have neither a GED nor a high school diploma.

COLLEGES, UNIVERSITIES, AND/OR TECHNICAL COLLEGES ATTENDED AFTER HIGH SCHOOL

(Do not include colleges where you took only continuing education or GED classes.)

Name: _____	City/State _____	Graduated?	Yes ____ No ____
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RESIDENCY:

In order to qualify for the in-state tuition rate, you must have established domicile in Georgia and resided in Georgia for 12 consecutive months immediately prior to the start date of the date of the term you intend to enroll. You must also be either a US Citizen or a permanent resident alien with current I-551 or I-94 federal immigration documents. Applications in process for such documents will not be considered. Non citizen aliens will be charged the foreign tuition rate if they fail to provide their original federal immigration documents prior to the first day of class of the term of admission. **Note: It is your responsibility to provide the proper documentation to prove your residency status. Please refer to the residency documentation list for what is required for the appropriate proof of status.**

Please check the category which most accurately describes your residency status (CHOOSE ONLY ONE: A, B, or C)

____ **A.** **GEORGIA RESIDENTS:** I am a **US Citizen or permanent resident alien** with current I-551 or appropriate I-94 documentation and **have lived in Georgia for the past 12 consecutive months**. Please indicate all situations that apply in your case and supply appropriate documentation to qualify for the in-state rate for tuition:

- ____ I have lived continuously in Georgia for ____ (years) and ____ (months) or since ____ (Month) ____ (Day) ____ (Year).
- ____ I am a Permanent Resident Alien or other legal alien granted indefinite stay by the U.S. Bureau of Citizenship and Immigration Services.
- ____ I (or my parent or spouse) am/is in the U.S. military and the home of record is Georgia.
- ____ I have a court appointed legal guardian who has maintained legal residence in Georgia for 12 months prior to the term for which I intend to enroll.
- ____ I am under 24, claimed as a dependent on my parent's taxes, and my parents have maintained legal residence in Georgia for the 12 months prior to the start of term for which I am applying. I also certify that I graduated from an eligible high school in the State of Georgia.
- ____ I have been a resident of the State of Alabama for the 12 consecutive months prior to start date of the term of admission to the college.
- ____ I have an A-1 Visa (Ambassador or consular official)

____ **B.** **RESIDENTS WITH LESS THAN 12 MONTHS GEORGIA RESIDENCY:** I am a **US Citizen or permanent resident alien** with current I-551 or appropriate I-94 documentation **but have NOT lived in Georgia for the past 12 consecutive months**. I understand that I will be charged the **out-of-state rate for tuition**. After 12 months of Georgia residency, I may apply for a change of residency status with the Registrar's Office.

- ____ I have lived continuously in Georgia for ____ (months) since ____ (Month) ____ (Day) ____ (Year).
- ____ I am a Permanent Resident Alien or other legal alien granted indefinite stay by the U.S. Bureau of Citizenship and Immigration Services.

____ **C.** **NON-ELIGIBLE NON CITIZENS:** I am **NOT a US Citizen**, and I am **NOT a permanent resident alien** with current I-551, I-551C or appropriate I-94 documentation. I understand that I will be charged the **foreign rate for tuition**. I will provide driver's license, tax documents, or other documents upon request to verify eligibility to enroll in a public technical college. Your residency status will remain foreign until you are able to provide proof of legal residency status. Please explain your current residency status and mention any US Immigration applications in process:

I certify that the foregoing information contained in this application is true and correct. I understand that any false or misrepresentation or omission of information will be sufficient cause for rejection of admission or expulsion from the college. I further understand that it may also cause me to be billed for out-of-state, nonresident fees.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT: _____ DATE _____

Please call 770 962-7580, extension 6612, if you have a disability that might require you to receive special assistance to complete the application, or to participate in your program of study. Hearing and speech impaired applicants are encouraged to use the Georgia Relay Center at 1-800-255-0056.

As set in its college catalog, Gwinnett Technical College does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, creed, national or ethnic origin, sex, religion, disability, age, political affiliation or belief, veteran status, or citizenship status (except those special circumstances permitted or mandated by law).

For compliance activities, contact John Schmeelk, Title IX and Equity Coordinator, Room 802(C) (770) 962-7580, extension 6324 or Debbie Gerardo, ADA/504 Specialist, Room 802, (770) 962-7580, extension 6612 at 5150 Sugarloaf Parkway, Lawrenceville, GA 30043-5702.

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