



East Georgia State College

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

Prior to submitting a **Border Residents** out-of-state tuition waiver application, students are advised to review the University System of Georgia Border Residents out-of-state tuition waiver policy found in Section 7.3.4.1 (revision 3-18-2015) of the Board of Regents Policy Manual (www.usg.edu/policymanual). Eligible bordering counties are based on the institution of attendance. County and institution eligibility can be found at http://www.usg.edu/student_affairs/documents/border_waivers.pdf.

This waiver is available only to EGSC-Augusta students domiciled in Aiken or Edgefield County, South Carolina and will not apply to the student's spouse or dependent children. When the waiver is issued for enrollment in a specific program, the waiver applies only to that program and any student who changes his/her program or elects to change to Swainsboro or Statesboro which is not on the border is no longer eligible for the waiver. Time spent on a Border waiver may not be used towards establishing Georgia residency for tuition payment purposes. Students must be enrolled in a program at the USG institution in order to receive the waiver.

Application priority deadline: Two weeks prior to start of the first day of classes to allow for processing time. If received past the deadline, it may be considered as time permits.

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:		_____	

This waiver application is based on your present and permanent home (domicile) in the following eligible state and county bordering Georgia:

Check the County: Aiken Edgefield State: _____

Will the above state have been your state of domicile for at least 12 consecutive months immediately preceding the first day of classes for the term the waiver is requested? Yes No

Have you ever lived outside of the above state above? Yes No

If Yes: The above has been your state of domicile since: _____ (mm/yyyy)

Briefly describe your reason for moving to the above state: _____

Do you hold a current driver's license/state-issued ID? Yes No State issued? _____

Do you own a motor vehicle? Yes No State registered? _____

Are you registered to vote? Yes No State registered? _____

Did you file a state income tax return for the most recent tax year? Yes No State filed? _____

Employment Information – Please list all employment for the past two years, including military service. Attach additional sheets if needed.

From	To	Employer	City	State	# of hours worked per week

Students under the age of 24 must provide the following:

Do you have a parent or U.S. court-appointed legal guardian who has established and maintained domicile in a bordering state for at least 12 consecutive months immediately preceding the first day of classes for the term the waiver is requested? Yes No

If Yes:

Name of the above individual: _____

State and county of domicile: _____

Relationship: Parent U.S. court-appointed legal guardian

Has that individual ever lived outside of the above state? Yes No

If Yes:

They have maintained domicile in the above state since: _____ (mm/yyyy)

Briefly describe their reason for moving to the above state: _____

Do they hold a current driver's license/state-issued ID? Yes No State issued? _____
Do they own a motor vehicle? Yes No State registered? _____
Are they registered to vote? Yes No State registered? _____
Did they file a state income tax return for the most recent tax year? Yes No

If Yes:

State filed? _____ Were you claimed as a dependent? Yes No

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 the 12 consecutive months immediately preceding the first day of classes for the term the Border County Residents waiver is requested and documentation of current domicile in an eligible bordering county in that state.

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 County Residents waiver is requested and documentation of current domicile in an eligible bordering county in that state.

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

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:

Office of the Registrar
East Georgia State College
131 College Circle, Swainsboro, GA 30401
Phone: 478-289-2014 ♦ Fax: 478-289-2353
Email: records@ega.edu