



STATEMENT OF LEGAL RESIDENCE

Complete this form if you are requesting a California residency reclassification. The burden of proof lies with the student to clearly demonstrate both physical presence in California and intent to establish California residence in accordance with Ed. Code 68040. Questions? Contact Admissions at (805) 546-3140.

WARNING: Providing false information about your citizenship, military status, and/or California residency could result in criminal charges for perjury and/or fraud, with the possibility of imprisonment if you are convicted.

STUDENT'S NAME: _____ CUESTA ID NUMBER: 9 _____ DOB _____
 ADDRESS: _____ CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP CODE _____
 STUDENT'S PHONE: (____) _____ STUDENT'S E-MAIL _____

If currently enrolled, check the term you started attending Cuesta: Spring Summer Fall Year: 20____
 What term are you requesting residency for? Spring Summer Fall Year: 20____
 I am 19 or older (or under 19 and married) and I am not claimed as dependent on my parent's most recent income tax returns. Skip Part 1 and answer Part 2 and 3.

Part 1: Check one of the following then complete Part 2 and Part 3 for your parent or guardian.

- I am 19 or older and claimed as dependent on my parent's last income tax returns filed in the state of _____.
- I am under 19 years of age and unmarried and live with a parent. Parent's name: _____
- I am under 19 years of age and unmarried and live with a guardian in California.
 Submit a copy of your court-order with this form or a written statement of guardianship.
 Name of Legal Guardian: _____ Phone: _____
- I am under 22 years of age and currently under court-ordered Foster Care in California.
 Submit a copy of your court-order with this form. Skip Part 2 and 3. Sign and date below.

Part 2: Indicate date of continuous presence by you (or parent or guardian) in the state of California except for absences, which can be explained without conflicting with your residency. Month: _____ Day: _____ Year: _____

Do you (or parent or guardian) intend to maintain California as your state of legal residence? Yes No
 Are you (or parent or guardian) a U.S. Citizen? Yes No If no, indicate you (or parent/guardian) citizenship status:
 Permanent Resident Temporary Resident Amnesty Refugee / Asylee Other Visa
 Alien ID number or Visa Type: _____ Issue Date: _____ Exp. Date: _____

Part 3: Complete below and provide documentation for at least three (3) of the following activities. Your documents must show that you have lived in California for over a year prior to start of the term you are requesting residency for.

ACCEPTABLE DOCUMENTATION	MONTH	YEAR
Ownership of residential property or continuous occupancy of rented or leased property in California. (Example: Rental or lease agreement.)		
Registering to vote, and voting in California. (Example: Voter's registration.)		
Carrying on of a business or employment in California (Example: Pay stub showing California address.)		
License from California for professional practice.		
Active resident membership in service or social clubs. (Example: California Lions, or Rotary club member.)		
Showing California as home address on federal income tax forms (Example: W-2, 540, 1040)		
Payment of California state income tax as a resident.		
Establishing and maintaining active California bank accounts. (Example: Bank Statements)		
Possessing California motor vehicle license plates. Payment of a vehicle license fee is not required of nonresident military personnel. (An exemption may be filed.)		
Possessing California driver's license or a California Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) ID card.		
DD 214, Leave and Earnings Statement (LES) while in the armed forces, or your military order.		
Being the petitioner for a divorce in California. (Example: Divorce petition.)		

I DECLARE UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY THAT THE ABOVE IS TRUE AND CORRECT.

STUDENT'S SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

You will receive a response to this request within 1-2 business days. Admissions will contact you by phone or letter if more information is needed to determine your residency. If you already registered, your nonresident fees will be reversed once your request is approved.

OFFICE USE ONLY	Date: _____ By: _____
Reclassification: <input type="checkbox"/> APPROVED <input type="checkbox"/> DENIED	Notes: _____