RESIDENCE DETERMINATION

Students shall be classified at the time of each application for admission as a resident or nonresident student.

A resident is any person who has been a bona fide resident of California for at least one year on the residence determination date. The residence determination date shall be the day immediately preceding the first day of a semester for which the student has applied to attend.

Residency classification shall be made for each student at the time that applications for admission are accepted. A student previously classified as a nonresident may be reclassified as of any residence determination date.

The burden is on the student to clearly demonstrate both physical presence in California and intent to establish California residence. Physical presence within the state by military personnel solely for educational purposes does not constitute establishing California residence regardless of the length of that presence.

The Superintendent/President shall enact procedures to assure that residence determinations are made in accordance with Education Code and Title 5 regulations.

See Administrative Procedure AP 5015

Reference: Educ. Code Sections 68040; 76140; Title 5, Sections 54000 et seq.
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