



# Residency Consideration

Submit completed form in-person to Enrollment Services (East or West Campus).

Please review deadline dates before submitting.

## Student Information:

Today's Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
First Middle Last

Date of Birth: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Student W#: \_\_\_\_\_ Student Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate SEMESTER and YEAR:  Spring \_\_\_\_\_  Summer \_\_\_\_\_  Fall \_\_\_\_\_

### Filing deadlines dates:

### Residency determination dates:

Spring 2017: 01/20/2017  
Summer 2017: 05/12/2017  
Fall 2017: 09/08/2017  
Spring 2018: 01/29/2018

01/08/2016  
04/30/2016  
08/27/2016  
01/07/2017

**Note to Student:** Modesto Junior College upholds California Education Code and California Code of Regulations, to be reclassified from a non-resident in a preceding semester. Establishing residence requires both physical presence in California for one year and one day prior to the beginning date of the semester for which you are applying and objective evidence of two to three forms of documentation that there is the intent to make California your residence, and be financial independent for other than a temporary purpose. The one year and one day residence period does not begin until you are present in California and have demonstrated clear physical intent to become a California resident. If extenuating circumstance existed and prohibited you from filing the petition before the beginning of the semester, you may fill out the form through the second week of the current semester to request a review of residency. However, you may be required to submit a written explanation, along with your supporting documentation and Residency Consideration form for approval.

**The burden of proof to clearly demonstrate both physical presence and the intent to establish residency in California and financial independence lies with the student. Failure to provide required residency information will result in determination of California non-resident. Additional documentation may be requested to assist a student's reclassification. Warning: falsifying information about citizenship, California residency, financial aid, and/ or military status could result in: (1) criminal charges for perjury and/or fraud (2) student disciplinary action; and/or (3) accumulated monetary charges.**

### **A Student must demonstrate and provide proof of residency by:**

1. Citizenship status
2. Physical presence in California
3. Intent to reside in California permanently
4. Financial independence

### **Part A: Legal Status (Title 5 54002 & 54045[c])**

Has your immigration status changed since you last applied to MJC? Students must obtain citizenship status for at least one year and a day prior to the opening day of the term for which you are petitioning. Documentation is required to be submitted to clarify student's status. To establish California residency, you MUST be a U.S. citizen, permanent resident, an applicant for permanent resident status, employment authorized, or possess a visa that does not preclude you from establishing domicile in the U.S.

### **Part B: Physical Presence and Intent to Reside in California (Title 5 54022 & 54024)**

Have you resided in California longer than one year and one day before the start of the semester and intend to make California your permanent residence? OR have you attended an out of state college or university? Establishing residence requires both physical presence and objective evidence that there is the intent to make California your residence for other than a temporary purpose. The intent to make California your residence for other than a temporary purpose may be demonstrated in many ways. Upon review of documents submitted, additional documentation may be requested to assist a student's reclassification.

### **Part C: Financial Independence (Ed. Code 68044 & Title 5 54032)**

You MUST provide proof of financial independence, ALONG WITH physical presence AND intent to make California your place of residence. If you are a dependent child and your parents are California residents who do not meet the physical presence are entitled to resident classification during the first year they are physically present in California; however, students must establish California residency thereafter.

### **Part D: Military Status (Ed. Code 58075.7)**

Are you an active Military Personnel, stationed in California or the spouse or dependent of such person? Were you discharged from the military in a state other than California? Please submit the following documentations: Military ID, Military Orders and DD214.

**Part A: Legal Status**

- U.S. Citizen: Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Place: \_\_\_\_\_
- Permanent Resident (I-551)  Employment Authorized (I-766)
- Visa  I-94

**Part B: Physical Presence and Intent**

Will you be 19 years old or older by the first day of the term?  Yes  No

\*\*If YES, please answer the questions below as they apply to you. If NO, answer questions as they pertain to your natural/adopted parent or court appointed legal guardian with whom currently reside with.\*\*

Full Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Current Physical Address \_\_\_\_\_

- 1. I was out of state from: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ 2. Was it a temporary absence?  Yes  No Reason: \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. I arrived in California on: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ 4. I am in California for education purposes only:  Yes  No
- 5. I own/rent a residence(s) in California:  Yes  No
- 6. I have a valid California driver's license or identification card:  Yes  No
- 7. I have registered to vote in California:  Yes  No
- 8. I have a current California license for professional practice:  Yes  No
- 9. I have a California motor vehicle registration:  Yes  No
- 10. I have petition for divorce in California:  Yes  No
- 11. I have an active California bank account:  Yes  No
- 12. I have been employed in California:  Yes  No
- 13. I have attended an out of state institution within the last two years:  Yes  No
- 14. I have filed California STATE income tax returns the last two years:  Yes  No

**Part C: Financial Independence**

Are you under 24 years of age at the start of the semester?  Yes  No

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| Have you or will you be claimed as an exemption for state and federal tax purpose by your parent(s):<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No In the current year?<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No In the last 3 years? | Have you or will you receive more than \$750.00 in financial assistance from your parent(s):<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No In the current year?<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No In the last 3 years? | Have you or will you live for more than six weeks in the home of your parent(s):<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No In the current year?<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No In the last 3 years? |
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**Part D: Military Status**

Are you an active member of the military stationed in California?  Yes  No If yes, date of duty in California began? \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ and home of record \_\_\_\_\_.

I am a dependent of an active member of the military stationed in California.  Yes  No If yes, date of duty in California began? \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ and home of record \_\_\_\_\_.

I have been discharged from active military duty within the last year. (Provide DD214)  Yes  No If yes, discharge date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ and home of record \_\_\_\_\_.

**Students Attestation:**

I declare under penalty of perjury that the information given on this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that falsification or failure to report any changes in residency may result in my dismissal from Modesto Junior College.

**Student Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*You will be notified within 7 to 10 days working days of the decision regarding your residency status either by your student email or phone. \*\*

If your request is denied and you believe you have been classified incorrectly, you may submit an appeal form to the Director of Admissions and Records. Appeals must be filled within 30 calendar days of being notified regarding your classification.

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| Received By: _____ Current Code: _____                | Processed By: _____ Approved: <input type="checkbox"/> Denied: <input type="checkbox"/>   |
| Registered: _____                                     | New Code: _____ Effective Date: _____   |
| No: <input type="checkbox"/> Registration date: _____ | Re-Bill: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Student Notified: <input type="checkbox"/> Posted: <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Comments: _____                                       | Comments: _____   |