

# ESTABLISHING GEORGIA RESIDENCY FORM 2020-2021



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To be eligible for state funds, residency must be verified. You must document established domicile in the State of Georgia. Enrolling at LU directly from high school requires at least one year of domicile and enrolling not directly from high school requires **at least 2 years** of domicile. Determining a student's residency status must be based on the existence of surrounding objective circumstances that indicate a student's intent to maintain a permanent residence, or domicile, in the State of Georgia.

- Required for GTEG: In order to be eligible for this grant, you must have full-time enrollment through the end of the add/drop period each quarter.
1. Are you enrolling at Life University directly from high school?  Yes  No
  2. Did you graduate from a Georgia high school?  Yes  No
    - If yes, do we have a copy of your high school transcript on file?  Yes  No
  3. Have you ever been or are now considered an eligible non-citizen?  Yes  No
    - If yes, the following document is required: A copy of your Permanent Resident Card or Certification of Naturalization.
  4. When did you become a legal resident of Georgia? \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_
    - If **dependent** student, when did **your parent(s)** become a legal resident? \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_
  5. What is your driver's license state and drivers license number?  
Drivers License State \_\_\_\_\_ Number \_\_\_\_\_

### Entering Life University directly from high school:

You must show established domicile in Georgia for at least one year prior to the first term of attendance at Life University.

### Residency documents must be dated based on the first quarter enrolled at Life University:

#### 2020 - 2021

- Summer 2020: 1/1/17 to 7/10/19
- Fall 2020: 4/1/17 to 10/2/19
- Winter 2021: 6/1/17 to 1/8/20
- Spring 2021: 10/1/17 to 4/1/20

#### Office Use Only

Please list the documents being submitted as proof of residency and DATE on document

Primary \_\_\_\_\_ Date on Document \_\_\_\_\_

Secondary \_\_\_\_\_ Date on Document \_\_\_\_\_

#### Intake and Processing – Please Initial and Date

Rec'd by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Processed By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Entering Life University not directly from high school:

You must show established domicile in Georgia for at least two years prior to the first term of attendance at Life University.

## Residency documents must be dated based on the first quarter enrolled at Life University:

### 2019-2020

- Summer 2019: 1/1/16 to 7/10/17
- Fall 2019: 4/1/16 to 10/2/17
- Winter 2020: 6/1/16 to 1/08/18
- Spring 2020: 10/1/16 to 4/1/18

### 2020-2021

- Summer 2020: 1/1/17 to 7/10/18
- Fall 2020 4/1/17 to 10/2/18
- Winter 2021 6/1/17 to 1/8/19
- Spring 2021 10/1/17 to 4/1/19

**Both** types of students must submit **two (2)** documents to prove Georgia residency. **At least one form must be a primary document.** The second can be either a primary or secondary document. You cannot submit two of the same type of document from the primary category. Below is a list of acceptable documents.

**Dependent students are required to submit parents' residency documentation.**

## PRIMARY DOCUMENTATION

- Georgia driver's license (issue date can be older than 3 years from the first day of the quarter as long as it has not expired)
- Georgia voter registration card
- Georgia vehicle registration
- Military records
- Georgia state tax return (W-2s or Federal tax returns are not acceptable)
- Property tax receipts

## SECONDARY DOCUMENTATION

- Utility bill (cell phone bill is not acceptable)
- Mortgage or lease agreement
- Bank statement
- Employment verification: submit a letter (on letterhead) from employer stating dates of employment (pay stubs are not acceptable)

**I certify that the information reported above or any documents provided in connection with this application are true to the best of my knowledge.**

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Student ID \_\_\_\_\_