



Florida Residency Affidavit

Student's Name _____ Student ID # _____

Permanent Address (include apt. no.) _____

High School _____ City _____ State _____ Date of Graduation _____

The Florida Legislature has established student aid programs for Florida residents who attend institutions in the state of Florida. For the purpose of determining eligibility for state financial assistance and tuition subsidy programs, a Florida "resident for tuition purposes or Florida financial aid programs" is a person who has, or a dependent whose parent or legal guardian has, **established and maintained legal residence in Florida for 12 consecutive months prior to the first day of classes for the term in which the award is given. Residence in Florida must be for the purpose of establishing a permanent home.** Students who are determined to be dependent on the 2021-2022 FAFSA are presumed to be legal residents of the same state as their parents. Please visit: <https://www.floridastudentfinancialaidsg.org/pdf/policymanual.pdf> for the Florida residency requirements and exceptions.

Effective Access to Student Education Grant (EASE)	Florida Student Assistance Grant (FSAG)	Florida Bright Futures Scholarship
<p>The EASE provides tuition assistance to full-time students who meet Florida State residency requirements. Funds for the support of the EASE are contingent each year upon the appropriations made available by the Florida Legislature.</p> <p>Fall Deadline: September 09 Spring Deadline: January 13</p>	<p>The Florida Student Assistance Grant (FSAG) Program is a need-based grant program available to degree-seeking, resident, undergraduate students who demonstrate substantial financial need. The student will demonstrate financial need by completing the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) in time to be processed error free by the College.</p>	<p>The Florida Bright Futures Scholarship Program is comprised of the following three awards. Please select the program you are eligible to receive (visit http://www.floridastudentfinancialaid.org/SSFAD/bf/bfmain.htm for more information).</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Florida Academic Scholars (FAS)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Florida Medallion Scholars (FMS)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Florida Gold Seal Vocational Scholars (GSV)</p>

For other Florida Programs, visit <http://www.floridastudentfinancialaid.org/SSFAD/home/uamain.htm>. If you qualify for Florida programs other than the FAS, FMS, or GSV, please list name of program: _____

Initial Eligibility Requirements to Receive funding

Please answer YES or NO to every question:

YES	NO	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Are you a U.S. Citizen?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Are you an eligible non-citizen? <i>Please attach a copy of your alien registration card or Visa.</i>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Are you in default on any educational loan?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Do you owe a repayment on a state or federal grant?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Have you previously earned a bachelor's degree?

Selective Service Status:
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, I am registered with Selective Service.
<input type="checkbox"/> No, I am not required to be registered.
If not, check all that applies:
<input type="checkbox"/> I am Female
<input type="checkbox"/> I am in the armed services on active Duty
<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____

Student Status: Check one **DEPENDENT**

- If you're **under 24**, you're dependent- dependent means any person, whether or not living with his or her parent, who is eligible to be claimed by his or her parent as a dependent under the federal income tax code.
- If you are a dependent student then your parent or legal guardian is the claimant.

 INDEPENDENT

- If you are **over 24**, you are independent.
- You may also be considered independent if you are **married**, you **have child or other dependents** as defined by the federal tax code, your **parents are deceased** and you are or were until age 18 a **ward of the court**, or you are considered independent for financial aid purposes. Documents of any of these situations is required.

**** Person claiming residency must complete the following section in full. ******Residency Claimant:**

Name _____ Relationship to student _____

Permanent Address (include apt. no.) _____

Phone # _____ Date claimant began establishing legal Florida residence and domicile _____

Please check the box next to the documents the Claimant will be submitting**You must provide two proofs from the following groups (Documentation **MUST BE** in **Residency Claimant's name**):**

- Proof One must be from Group 1
- Proof Two can be from Group 1 or Group 2
- Both proofs must be dated, issued, or filed showing 12 consecutive months prior to the term begin date at Beacon College.

GROUP 1	GROUP 2
<input type="checkbox"/> Florida Driver's License or State of Florida Identification Card	<input type="checkbox"/> A Florida professional or occupational license
<input type="checkbox"/> Florida voter's registration card	<input type="checkbox"/> Florida incorporation
<input type="checkbox"/> Proof of permanent full-time employment in Florida	<input type="checkbox"/> Documents evidencing family ties in Florida
<input type="checkbox"/> Proof of purchase of a permanent home in Florida that is occupied as the primary residence of the claimant	<input type="checkbox"/> Proof of membership in a Florida-based charitable or professional organization
<input type="checkbox"/> Students transcripts from a Florida high school for multiple years, if not already submitted to Beacon College, if earned within the last 12 months	<input type="checkbox"/> Utility bills and proof of 12 consecutive months of payments
<input type="checkbox"/> Benefit histories from Florida agencies or public assistance programs	<input type="checkbox"/> Lease agreement and proof of 12 consecutive months of payments
<input type="checkbox"/> Florida vehicle registration card	<input type="checkbox"/> State or court documents evidencing legal ties to Florida
<input type="checkbox"/> Proof of a homestead exemption in Florida	<input type="checkbox"/> Declaration of domicile in Florida

I do hereby swear or affirm that the above-named student meets all requirements for classification as a Florida resident for tuition or Florida Financial aid programs. I understand that a false statement in this affidavit will subject me to penalties for making a false statement pursuant to 837.06, Florida Statutes and to FBOE Rule 6C-7.005 F.A.C. Intentional falsification of information shall result in the denial of any pending application and revocation of any award currently held to the extent that no further payments shall be made.

Student _____

Date _____

Claimant Signature _____

Date _____

Don't forget to enclose copies of the appropriate documents listed above