



**INDEPENDENT RESIDENCY FORM**  
**Effingham/Chatham County GA**  
**Reciprocity**

The purpose of this form is to provide residency information that was not completed on the Application for Admission. If your residency classification has been determined as out-of-state due to residence in Georgia on all documentation you may be eligible for in-state out of area tuition based on 12 months residence in Effingham or Chatham county Georgia.

Complete the Independent Residency Reclassification Application or contact the Residency Coordinator at [residency@tcl.edu](mailto:residency@tcl.edu).

An "independent person" is defined as one (eighteen years of age or older) or an emancipated minor, who must provide more than half of his or her support, cannot be claimed as a dependent or exemption on the federal tax return of his or her parent, spouse, or guardian, and cannot claim the domicile of another individual as their own for the purposes of establishing intent to become an Effingham/Chatham county Georgia resident.

STUDENTS HAVE ONE ATTEMPT TO COMPLETE THIS FORM ENTIRELY. INCOMPLETE INFORMATION WILL BE ASSESSED AS OUT-OF-STATE.

**STUDENT/APPLICANT INFORMATION**

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Term applying for: \_\_\_\_\_

Student ID No: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth (mm/dd/yy): \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Do you reside in Effingham/Chatham County GA?  Yes  No If yes, date present stay began: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

What is your address? (Street, City, State, Zip Code): \_\_\_\_\_

With whom do you reside?  Self  Both Parents  Father  Mother  Spouse  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Who claims you for Federal income tax purposes?  Self  Both Parents  Father  Mother  Spouse  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Are you licensed to drive?  Yes  No If no, do you have a State Issued Identification Card?  Yes  No

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Issue Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  Renewed  Transferred from another state  First Issued

Do you have a vehicle registered in your name?  Yes  No

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Issue Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  Renewed  Transferred from another state  New Purchase

What is your employment status?  Full-Time  Part-Time  Unemployed  Retired  Disabled

Employer Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Hire: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

What is your citizenship status?  US Citizen  Permanent Resident  Other – Specify: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Provide copy of card) (Additional information may be needed)

**APPLICANT CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that all responses on this application are true and accurate. I understand that any misrepresentation of residency information may result in the payment of non-resident tuition, withdrawal from the college, or other disciplinary action.

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

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