### Administrative Regulation 2.2.2 Admission Information

#### C. Criteria for Determining Residency

1. **In-State Student Status**

   - Except as otherwise provided in this article, no person having a domicile elsewhere than in this state is eligible for classification as an in-state student for tuition purposes. Applicants for in-state tuition status and other public benefits must demonstrate lawful presence in the United States by presenting one of the documents listed in this regulation, under the section "Demonstrating Lawful Presence."

2. A person is not entitled to classification as an in-state student until the person is domiciled in this state for one year preceding the official starting day of the semester, except that a person whose domicile is in this state is entitled to classification as an in-state student if the person meets one of the following requirements:

   a. The person's parent's domicile is in this state and the parent is allowed to claim the person as an exemption for state and federal tax purposes.

   b. The person is an employee of an employer which transferred the person to this state for employment purposes or the person is the spouse of such an employee.

   c. The person is an employee of a school District in this state and is under contract to teach on a full-time basis, or is employed as a full-time non-certified classroom aide, at a school within that school District. For purposes of this paragraph, the person is eligible for classification as an in-state student only for courses necessary to complete the requirements for certification by the state board of education to teach in a school District in this state. No
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member of the person’s family is eligible for classification as an in-state student if the person is eligible for classification as an in-state student pursuant to this paragraph, unless the family member is otherwise eligible for classification as an in-state student pursuant to this section. ELIGIBILITY FOR IN-STATE TUITION IS SUBJECT TO VERIFICATION OF INTENT TO DOMICILE IN THIS STATE. DETERMINATION OF RESIDENCY IS MADE BY THE ADMISSIONS AND RECORDS OFFICE/OFFICE OF ENROLLMENT SERVICES.

d. The person’s spouse has established domicile in this state for at least one year and has demonstrated intent and financial independence and is entitled to claim the student as an exemption for state and federal tax purposes or the person’s spouse was temporarily out of state for educational purposes, but maintained a domicile in this state. If the person is a non-citizen, the person must be in an eligible visa status pursuant to federal law to classify as an in-state student for tuition purposes.

AMENDMENT TO BE REPEATED IN CORRESPONDING APPENDIX ITEM S-1 – IN-STATE STUDENT STATUS SECTION C

The rationale for change is to remove ambiguity in interpretation by college staff and to ensure that persons who receive in-state tuition are eligible for the discount through domicile verification.