

## **Residency Questionnaire**

The Residency Questionnaire is provided to assist you in determining if you may qualify for in-state tuition based on law established by the Ohio legislature. Official residency decisions are made by Undergraduate Admissions and the Graduate College only after the receipt of an official residency application and supporting documentation.

More information regarding the classifications and exceptions along with the required forms and procedures are available online: <a href="https://www.ohio.edu/admissions/residency">www.ohio.edu/admissions/residency</a>

1.	Are you a graduate of an Ohio high school?	<ul> <li>☐ Yes. You may qualify for reclassification under the C-8, "Forever Buckeye," provision.</li> <li>☐ No. Proceed to question 2.</li> </ul>
2.	Did you earn a General Education Diploma or certificate of high school equivalency from the State of Ohio?	<ul> <li>☐ Yes. You may qualify for reclassification under the C-9 rule.</li> <li>☐ No. Proceed to question 3.</li> </ul>
3.	Have you, your parent/legal guardian, or spouse been a resident of one of the following Kentucky counties (Boyd, Carter, Elliot, Fleming, Greenup, Lawrence, Lewis, Mason or Rowan) or anywhere is the state of West Virginia, consecutively for the past 12 months?	<ul> <li>Yes, Kentucky. You may qualify for Kentucky Tuition Reciprocity agreement (Athens and Southern campuses only).</li> <li>Yes, West Virginia. You may qualify for West Virginia Reciprocity agreement.</li> <li>No. Proceed to question 4.</li> </ul>
4.	On whom are you financially dependent? Who provides at least 51% of your financial support? (Please select only one.)	<ul> <li>□ Self. Proceed to question 5.</li> <li>□ Parent(s) or legal guardian. Go to question 6.</li> <li>□ Spouse. Proceed to question 6.</li> <li>□ Other. Proceed to question 6.</li> </ul>
5.	Are you currently on active duty or a veteran of the United States military?	<ul><li>☐ Yes, proceed to question 8.</li><li>☐ No. Proceed to question 16.</li></ul>
6.	Will you be domiciled in Ohio prior to the start of the semester?	<ul><li>☐ Yes. Proceed to question 7.</li><li>☐ No. Proceed to question 7.</li></ul>
7.	Is the person checked in question four on active duty or a veteran of the United States military?	<ul> <li>☐ Yes. Active to question 12.</li> <li>☐ Yes. Veteran to question 9.</li> <li>☐ No. Proceed to question 16.</li> </ul>
8.	Are you or the person you depend on an active duty military person?	<ul> <li>□ Active: You may qualify for the E2 exception if you are a legal resident of Ohio (but stationed elsewhere) or the E3 exception if you are stationed in Ohio or you may qualify for the C-6 rule.</li> <li>□ No. Proceed to question 11.</li> </ul>
9.	Is the veteran you are dependent on a resident of Ohio.	<ul><li>☐ Yes. You may qualify for the C-4 rule.</li><li>☐ No. Proceed to question 10.</li></ul>
10.	Are you utilizing transferred military benefits from the veteran on whom you are dependent?	<ul><li>☐ Yes. You may qualify under the C-6 rule.</li><li>☐ No. Proceed to question 11.</li></ul>

11.	Are you a qualified military service member or veteran using educational assistance under Chapter 31 (Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment) or Chapter 35 (Survivors' and Dependents' Education Assistance), who will be living in the state of Ohio before the first day of classes?	<ul> <li>Yes. You may qualify under the C-7 rule.</li> <li>No. You may qualify under the C-4 or C-5 rule</li> </ul>
12.	Is the person checked in Question four a member of the Ohio National guard?	<ul><li>☐ Yes. You may qualify for the E-8 Exception.</li><li>☐ No. Proceed to question 13.</li></ul>
13.	Is the person checked in Question four on active military duty both stationed and residing in Ohio?	<ul><li>☐ Yes. You may qualify for the E-3 exception.</li><li>☐ No. You may qualify for C-10 classification.</li></ul>
14.	Is the person checked in Question four a current Ohio resident serving in the military?	<ul><li>☐ Yes. You may qualify for the E-2 exception.</li><li>☐ No. Proceed to question 15.</li></ul>
15.	Is the person checked In Question four described by one of the following?: (a) a veteran who resided in Ohio on the first day of the term for which you are applying for instate residency and either served one or more years on active duty and was honorably discharged or received a medical discharge due to military related service or (b) the spouse or dependent of a deceased veteran or a or a veteran who has been declared missing in action or a prisoner of war?	☐ Yes. You may qualify for the C-4 rule. ☐ No. Based on the answers you provided above, you are not eligible for instate residency. You may be eligible if you are a part-time student under Residency Exception E-1, or wait 12 months and reapply
16.	Will you be a part-time or full-time student? (Part-time is defined as an undergraduate student taking less than 12 credit hours per term and for a graduate student taking less than 6 credit hours per term. Full-time is an undergraduate student taking at least 12 credit hours per term and a graduate student taking at least 8 credit hours per term.)	<ul> <li>□ Part-time. You may qualify for the E-1 exception.</li> <li>□ Full-time. Proceed to question 17.</li> <li>□ No. Proceed to question 23.</li> </ul>
17.	Have you lived in Ohio consecutively for the past 12 months?	<ul><li>☐ Yes. You may qualify for the C-2 rule.</li><li>☐ No. Proceed to question 18.</li></ul>
18.	you for tax purposes in the previous tax year (parent/legal guardian/spouse)?	<ul> <li>☐ Yes. Proceed to question 19.</li> <li>☐ No. Based on the answers you provided above, you are not eligible for instate residency. You may be eligible if you are a part-time student under Residency Exception E-1, or wait 12 months and reapply.</li> </ul>
19.	Has the person checked in Question four been living in Ohio consecutively for the past 12 months?	<ul><li>☐ Yes. You may qualify for the C-1 rule.</li><li>☐ No. Proceed to question 20.</li></ul>
20.	Did the person checked in Question four accept full-time, self-sustaining employment and establish domicile in the state of Ohio for reasons other than the benefit of favorable tuition rates before the first day of the term?	<ul><li>☐ Yes. You may qualify for the C-3 rule.</li><li>☐ No. Proceed to question 21.</li></ul>
21.	Is the person checked in Question four currently an Ohio resident who has been transferred by the employer beyond the territorial limits of the United States and has satisfied his/her Ohio tax obligation?	<ul><li>☐ Yes. You may qualify for the E-4 rule.</li><li>☐ No. Proceed to question 22.</li></ul>

22.	Is the person checked in Question four a migrant worker who has been employed in the state of Ohio at least four months during the three years preceding the proposed enrollment?	<ul><li>☐ Yes. You may qualify for the E-5 exception.</li><li>☐ No. Proceed to question 23.</li></ul>
23.	Is the person checked in Questions four a community service worker – an Ohio resident who took a position working for the Peace Corps, AmeriCorps or similar program as determined by the Ohio Board of Regents, or an elected or appointed public official who lives outside Ohio for a period of time not exceeding 24 consecutive months returns to Ohio?	<ul> <li>☐ Yes. You may qualify for the E-6 exception.</li> <li>☐ No. Proceed to question 24.</li> </ul>
24.	Is the person checked in Question four a person who has returned to Ohio, who has taken legal steps to end a marriage and reestablish financial dependence upon a parent or legal guardian who is an Ohio resident?	<ul> <li>☐ Yes. You may qualify for the E-7 exception.</li> <li>☐ No. Based on the answers you provided above, you are not eligible for instate residency.</li> <li>You may be eligible if you are a part-time student under Residency Exception E-1, or wait 12 months and reapply.</li> </ul>