



Great Basin College

Residency Audit Application Fall 2021

This application is for students who have been selected to verify their Nevada residency status.

Attention: Students who are U.S. military veterans or a spouse or dependent of a veteran, including those seeking coverage under **Section 702 of the U.S. Choice Act** and individuals using transferred benefits under the Post-9/11 Veterans Educational Assistance, please do not use this form; instead, please use the NSHE form linked here: [Veterans, Spouses and Dependents: Information Request Form for Determination of Tuition Charges](#)

Submission Information

Submit this form and the required documentation by the institutional deadline to:

IN PERSON or by MAIL to:

Great Basin College
Admissions & Records
1500 College Parkway
Elko, NV 89801

FAX to:

775-753-2311

EMAIL to:

jackson.collins@gbcnv.edu

Institutional Deadlines for Submission of the Residency Audit Application: September 27, 2021.

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| Last Name | | First Name | | MI |
| Date of Birth | NSHE ID# | Email Address | Phone Number | |
| Address | | | | |
| Street | | City | State | Zip Code |
| Year/Semester of Residency Audit | | | | |
| Year: _____ | Semester: | <input type="checkbox"/> Fall | <input type="checkbox"/> Spring | |
| I hereby certify that all statements are true and correct; and I fully understand the decision by an institution to grant resident student or nonresident student status for tuition purposes does not create a vested interest or right to rely on that decision if it was made in error by the institution or was obtained under false pretenses. | | | | |
| Signature | | | Date | |

Form Instructions

Two (2) options are available for students selected for the Residency Audit to establish residency under *Title 4, Chapter 15* of the Board of Regents Handbook:

Option 1 – New/Current Students: Exemption from tuition. If you qualify under Option 1, do not complete Option 2.

OR

Option 2 – New/Current Students. If you do not qualify under Option 1, you must complete Option 2.

Additional Information:

After you submit this form to your NSHE institution in the manner prescribed by the institution, the institution may contact you to request additional information to verify the information submitted.

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Option 1 Option 2 Approved Denied Notes: _____

OPTION 1: NEW/CURRENT STUDENTS – TUITION EXCEPTION

| If you qualify under one of these categories, check the box and submit the required documentation. Do NOT proceed to OPTION 2. | | | |
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| | Description | Required Documentation | Official Use Only |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Currently attending or a graduate of a Nevada high School | <input type="checkbox"/> If a graduate, an official Nevada high school transcript; or <input type="checkbox"/> If currently attending a Nevada high school, verification of enrollment from the high school | Yes No |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Currently attending or previously attended a Nevada System of Higher Education (NSHE) institution (i.e., UNLV, UNR, NSC, CSN, GBC, TMCC, WNC) as a Nevada resident for tuition purposes. | Documentation from NSHE institution indicating Nevada resident status | Yes No |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | NSHE Employees: A professional employee, classified employee, postdoctoral fellow, resident physician, or resident dentist currently employed at least half time, or the spouse or dependent child of such an employee. | Copy of current employee contract or letter/documentation from Human Resources. AND – if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> For spouse, copy of marriage license or Declaration of Domestic Partnership. <input type="checkbox"/> For dependent, copy of the NSHE employee's federal income tax return or federal tax transcript for the most recent tax year. | Yes No |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | A graduate student enrolled in the NSHE and employed by the System in support of its instructional or research programs | Documentation or confirmation from NSHE institution indicating status as a graduate student and NSHE employment in support of instructional or research programs | Yes No |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Graduate Fellow | Documentation or confirmation from NSHE institution indicating status as a "graduate fellow" | Yes No |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | A member of the Armed Forces of the United States, on active duty, stationed in Nevada as a result of a permanent change of duty station pursuant to military orders, or a person whose spouse, parent or legal guardian of such a person | Copy of military orders indicating Nevada as a permanent duty station AND – if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> For spouse, copy of Military ID, <u>or</u> marriage license, <u>or</u> Declaration of Domestic Partnership. <input type="checkbox"/> For dependent, copy of Military ID <u>or</u> the member's federal income tax return or federal tax transcript for the most recent tax year. | Yes No |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | A U.S. Marine stationed at Pickel Meadows, California as a result of a permanent change of duty station pursuant to military orders, or the spouse, parent or legal guardian of such a person | Copy of military orders indicating Pickel Meadows as a permanent duty station AND – if applicable: <input type="checkbox"/> For spouse, copy of Military ID, <u>or</u> marriage license, <u>or</u> Declaration of Domestic Partnership. <input type="checkbox"/> For dependent, copy of Military ID <u>or</u> the member's federal income tax return or federal tax transcript for the most recent tax year. | Yes No |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Member of a federally recognized Native American tribe, who does not otherwise qualify as a Nevada resident, and who currently resides on tribal lands located wholly or partially within the boundaries of the State of Nevada. | <input type="checkbox"/> Proof of tribal membership (i.e. tribal card or similar documentation); and <input type="checkbox"/> Proof of address on tribal lands | Yes No |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | U.S. military veterans, a spouse or dependent of a veteran, and those seeking coverage under Section 702 of the U.S. Choice Act, including individuals using transferred benefits under the Post-9/11 Veterans Educational Assistance | Do not use this form. Please use the NSHE form linked here or contact your institution for more information: Veterans, Spouses and Dependents: Information Request Form for Determination of Tuition Charges | |

If you checked one of the boxes under Option 1, STOP. If not, continue to Option 2.

OPTION 2: NEW/CURRENT STUDENTS WHO DO NOT QUALIFY FOR AN EXEMPTION UNDER OPTION 1

| OPTION 2 – EVIDENCE OF NEVADA RESIDENCY | | | |
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| | Description | Required Documentation | Official Use Only |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | A financially dependent* person whose spouse, family or legal guardian is a bona fide resident of the State of Nevada for at least 12 months immediately prior to the date of matriculation. *An institution may require a student to submit a birth certificate or proof of legal guardianship. | <input type="checkbox"/> To establish dependency: A copy of parent/legal guardian/spouse federal income tax return or federal tax transcript with a Nevada address** for the most recent tax year filed listing the student as a dependent or spouse. AND at least one of the following documents for the parent/legal guardian/spouse issued at least 12 months prior to the first day of instruction: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Evidence of Nevada as the spouse's, parents' or legal guardian's permanent, primary residence (i.e. home ownership, a lease agreement, rent receipts, utility bills) <input type="checkbox"/> Nevada driver's license <input type="checkbox"/> Nevada identification card <input type="checkbox"/> Nevada vehicle registration <input type="checkbox"/> Nevada voter registration **If the federal tax return/tax transcript does not have a Nevada address, additional documentation may be required. | Yes No |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | A financially dependent person whose spouse, family, or legal guardian has relocated to Nevada for the primary purpose of permanent full-time employment in Nevada or to establish a business in and living in Nevada. | <input type="checkbox"/> To establish dependency: A copy of parent/legal guardian/spouse federal income tax return or federal tax transcript for the most recent tax year filed listing the student as a dependent or spouse. AND at least one of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Documentation from employer on company letterhead indicating start date in Nevada and permanent, full time employment in Nevada; or <input type="checkbox"/> A copy of a Nevada business license and proof that the business is in operation. | Yes No |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | A financially independent person whose family resides outside the State of Nevada, if the person himself or herself is a bona fide resident of the State of Nevada for at least 12 months immediately prior to the date of matriculation. | Students under age 24 – to establish financial independence: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> If the student did not claim himself/herself on the student's tax return for the most recent tax year, a copy of parent/legal guardian federal income tax return or federal tax transcript for the most recent tax year that indicates the student was not claimed as a dependent. ALL Students: At least ONE of the following documents for the student issued at least 12 months prior to the first day of instruction: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Evidence of physical, continuous presence in Nevada for 12 months (i.e. home ownership, a lease agreement, rent receipts, utility bills) <input type="checkbox"/> A copy of the student's federal tax return or federal tax transcript for the most recent tax year indicating a Nevada address <input type="checkbox"/> Nevada driver's license <input type="checkbox"/> Nevada identification card <input type="checkbox"/> Nevada vehicle registration <input type="checkbox"/> Nevada voter registration | Yes No |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | A financially independent person who has relocated to Nevada for the primary purpose of permanent full-time employment in Nevada or to establish a business in and living in Nevada. | ONE of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Documentation from employer on company letterhead indicating start date in Nevada and permanent, full time employment in Nevada; or <input type="checkbox"/> A copy of a Nevada business license and proof that the business is in operation. | Yes No |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Licensed educational personnel employed full-time by a public school district in Nevada, or the spouse or dependent child of such an employee. | Copy of current employment contract. AND – if applicable: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> For spouse, copy of marriage license or Declaration of Domestic Partnership. <input type="checkbox"/> For dependent, copy of federal income tax return or federal tax transcript for the most recent tax year. | Yes No |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | A teacher who is currently employed full-time by a private elementary, secondary or postsecondary educational institution or the spouse or dependent child of such an employee. | Copy of current employment contract. AND – if applicable: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> For spouse, copy of marriage license or Declaration of Domestic Partnership. <input type="checkbox"/> For dependent, copy of federal income tax return or federal tax transcript for the most recent tax year. | Yes No |