

## **ELIGIBILITY FOR REGISTRATION**

Public schools are required to provide a free education to all persons over age 5 and under age 20 who are **domiciled** in the district. **Domiciled** means that the student is living with a parent or guardian whose permanent home is located within the boundaries of the district.

- A home is permanent when the person intends to return to it when absent and has no present plan to move from it, even though he/she has existence of homes or residences elsewhere.
- Residency requires bodily presence as an occupant in a given district.

If, at any time, you or your child changes domicile or residence, you must report this information immediately to the school building secretary.

It is the policy of the Board that should the district discover that a child is not a legal resident of the district and is illegally attending the Princeton Public Schools, the district will assess the parents the full cost of the tuition for such attendance. Any additional costs for special education services will be added to the regular education costs.

Parent/Guardian of: \_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

*By my signature, I am indicating that I have read the information above, understand it, and affirm that my child(ren) and I are legal residents of and are domiciled in the Princeton Public School District or the Cranbury School District (grades 9-12 only).*

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO THE SCHOOL SECRETARY.  
THIS COPY IS TO BE MAINTAINED IN THE STUDENT'S CUMULATIVE FOLDER.**

## PROOF OF RESIDENCY DOCUMENTS REQUIRED

The parent/guardian of any registering student must provide residency documentation as follows:

TYPE OF RESIDENCY	PRIMARY (one of the following)		SECONDARY (two of the following)
Own	Tax Bill (confirm "dwelling" indicated on bill, not just land)	Closing Statement <b>OR</b> Agreement of Sale (confirm "dwelling" or "house")	<u>Documents with address accepted:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Property Tax bill</li> <li>• Any utility bill</li> <li>• Any Insurance Documents</li> <li>• Pay Stub</li> <li>• Car Registration</li> </ul>
Rent	Official Lease with expiration date*  University Housing Letter**  Seminary Housing Letter**	Notarized Affidavit of Residence (renting with no Lease)  (Requires in-person registration)	Secondary documents can be provided by a renter and/or landlord
Other	Notarized Affidavit of Residence* (living with family/friend or homeless)		Person providing Affidavit must provide documents listed above

\* = Update annually

\*\* = Other proofs not required