

## **CITRUS COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT STUDENT SERVICES**

### **AP 5020                    NONRESIDENT TUITION**

**References:** Education Code Sections 68050, 68051, 68130, 68130.5 and 76140 et seq.; 8 United States Code Section 1101; Title 5 Section 54045.5

Nonresident students shall be charged nonresident tuition for all units enrolled, unless specifically exempted.

Not later than March 1 of each year, the Vice President of Finance and Administrative Services shall bring to the Board of Trustees for approval, an action to establish nonresident tuition and shall provide nonresident students with notice of nonresident tuition fee changes during the spring term before the fall term in which the change will take effect. The fee shall be calculated in accordance with guidelines contained in applicable state regulations and/or the California Community College Budget and Accounting Manual.

The District is authorized to implement a capital outlay fee to be charged to nonresident students. This fee shall not exceed the amount expended by the District for capital outlay in the preceding year divided by the total Full-Time Equivalent Student (FTES) in the preceding year. The fee will be reviewed annually.

Students who would otherwise be charged the capital outlay fee shall be exempt if they demonstrate that they are a victim of persecution or discrimination in the country of which they are a citizen and resident, or if they demonstrate economic hardship.

Students shall be deemed victims of persecution or discrimination if they present evidence that they are citizens and residents of a foreign country and that they have been admitted to the United States under federal regulations permitting such persons to remain in the United States. Students shall be deemed to have demonstrated economic hardship if they present evidence that they are citizens and residents of a foreign country and that they are receiving Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Program, Supplemental Income/State Supplementary benefits, or general assistance.

Nonresident tuition exemption shall be granted to:

- Any students, other than non-immigrant persons as defined by 8 United States Code Section 1101(a)(15), who meet the following requirements:
  - either high school attendance in California for three or more years OR attainment of credits earned in California from a California high school equivalent to three or more years of full-time high school coursework and a total of three or more years of attendance in California elementary schools, California secondary schools, or combination of those schools;
  - graduation from a California high school or attainment of the equivalent thereof;

- registration or enrollment in a course offered for any term commencing on or after January 1, 2002;
  - completion of a questionnaire form prescribed by the State Chancellor's Office verifying eligibility for this nonresident tuition exemption; and
  - in the case of a student without lawful immigration status, the filing of an affidavit that the student has filed an application to legalize his/her immigration status, or will file an application as soon as he/she is eligible to do so.
- Any nonimmigrant person granted "T" or "U" visa status title as defined by 8 United States Code Section 1101(a)(15)(T)(i) or (ii), or section 1101(a)(15)(U)(i) or (ii), respectively, who meet the following requirements:
  - high school attendance in California for three or more years;
  - graduation from a California high school or attainment of the equivalent thereof;
  - registration or enrollment in a course offered for any term or commencing on or after January 1, 2002; and
  - completion of a questionnaire form prescribed by the State Chancellor's Office verifying eligibility for this nonresident tuition exemption.
- Certain military personnel and their dependents in accordance with AP 5013 Students in the Military.
- Students who demonstrate financial need, have a parent who has been deported or was permitted to depart voluntarily, moved abroad from California as a result of that deportation or voluntary departure, and attended a public or private secondary school in the state for three or more years. Upon enrollment, students who qualify for this exemption must be in their first academic year as a matriculated student in the California public higher education system, live in California, and file an affidavit with the District stating that they intend to establish residency in California as soon as possible.
- A special part-time student, other than a nonimmigrant person as defined by 8 United States Code Section 1101(15)(a).

Students who are exempted from the nonresident tuition fee are exempted from the capital outlay fee.

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