

DOMICILE

VCCS Policy 6.1 (<https://go.boarddocs.com/va/vccs/Board.nsf/goto/?open&id=9QZ8JC71B5BB>)

Domicile Appeal Process

To learn more about establishing domicile in Virginia, visit BRCC's website at <https://www.brcc.edu/tuition-financial-aid/tuition/residency/>. Additional information can also be found on The State Council of Higher Education for Virginia (SCHEV) website at <https://www.schev.edu/financial-aid/in-state-residency> (<https://www.schev.edu/financial-aid/in-state-residency/>).

Military Exceptions to Domicile

Title 38 United States Code Section 3679(c)

The following individuals shall be charged the in-state rate, or otherwise considered a resident, for tuition purposes:

- A veteran using educational assistance under either Chapter 30 (Montgomery G.I. Bill® –Active Duty Program) or Chapter 33 (Post-9/11 G.I. Bill), of Title 38, United States Code, who lives in the Commonwealth of Virginia while attending a school located in the Commonwealth of Virginia (regardless of their formal state of residence).

- Anyone using transferred Post-9/11 GI Bill benefits who lives in the state where the IHL is located, and the transferor is a member of the uniformed service serving on active duty.

- A spouse or child using benefits under the Marine Gunnery Sergeant John David Fry Scholarship (38 U.S.C. § 3311(b)(9) who lives in the Commonwealth of Virginia while attending a school located in the Commonwealth of Virginia (regardless of their formal state of residence).

- A spouse or child using benefits under Survivors' and Dependents' Education Assistance(Chapter 35) living in the Commonwealth of Virginia while attending a school located in the Commonwealth of Virginia (regardless of their formal state of residence).

- An individual using educational assistance under chapter 31, Veteran Readiness and Employment (VR&E) who lives in the Commonwealth of Virginia while attending a school located in the Commonwealth of Virginia (regardless of their formal state of residence)effective for courses, semesters, or terms beginning after March 1, 2019

- Anyone described above remains continuously enrolled (other than during regularly scheduled breaks between courses, semesters, or terms) at the same institution. Therefore, the described person must be enrolled in the institution and use educational benefits under Chapters 30, 31, 33 or 35 of Title 38, United States Code.

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