

Beecher Community Unit School District 200U

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PROOF OF RESIDENCY

PROOF OF RESIDENCY IS REQUIRED FOR ALL STUDENTS ATTENDING BEECHER PUBLIC SCHOOLS

All families with students new to the district, (kindergarteners & new residents) who have not been enrolled in the district must call or visit the District Office **before** registering.

All families with returning students must provide **ONE PROOF OF RESIDENCY** (utility bill) which must be dated within 30 days of registration. Document submitted must contain the proper name and physical address/service location (PO Box unacceptable). Acceptable documents may include one of the following [current] utility bills:

gas, electric, water, telephone, cable (if combined with phone/internet), garbage

All families with returning students who rent or reside with someone in the District, must provide a signed and notarized **AFFIDAVIT OF RESIDENCY** which must be dated within 30 days of registration and must provide **ONE PROOF OF RESIDENCY** (dated within 30 days of registration).

Documents submitted must contain the proper name and physical address/service location (PO Box unacceptable). Acceptable documents may include one of the following:

Current Utility Bill (gas, electric, water, telephone, cable (if combined with phone/internet), garbage)

Renter's Insurance

Payroll Stub/Unemployment Statement

US Postal Change of Address Letter

Note: The notarized **AFFIDAVIT OF RESIDENCY** for returning students must be submitted at the time of registration.

NOTICE

Only pupils who are eligible by statute may enroll tuition-free in the schools of the District. A person who knowingly or willfully presents to any representative of the District any false information regarding the residency of a pupil for the purpose of enabling that pupil to attend any school of the District without payment of a non-resident tuition charge shall be guilty of a Class C misdemeanor. 105 ILCS 5/10-20.12b.

A person found violating this statute will be liable for out-of-district tuition charges for each student whose residency was falsely misrepresented, currently \$10,000 per student, per year.