

BP 5020 NON RESIDENT TUITION

References:

Education Code Sections 68050, 68051, 68130, 68130.5 and 76141
Title 5, Section 54045.5

Non resident students shall be charged non resident tuition for all units enrolled, unless specifically required otherwise by law.

Not later than February 1 of each year, the Chancellor shall bring to the Board of Trustees for approval an action to establish non resident tuition for the following fiscal year. The fee shall be calculated in accordance with guidelines contained in applicable state regulations and/or the California Community College Attendance Accounting Manual.

The Chancellor shall establish procedures regarding collection, waiver, and refunds of non resident tuition.

The Chancellor is authorized to implement an additional per unit fee to be charged only to persons who are both citizens and residents of foreign countries. This fee will not exceed the amount expended by the District for capital outlay in the preceding year divided by the total FTES in the preceding fiscal year.

Exemptions

Citizens and Residents of Foreign Countries

Pursuant to the Education Code, students who are citizens and residents of foreign countries, who would otherwise be charged this fee, shall be exempt from paying non-resident tuition, if they meet the criteria stated in Administrative Procedure 5020.

Title 5

Any student, other than a student who is a nonimmigrant alien under 8 U.S.C. 1101(a)(15), shall be exempt from paying non-resident tuition if he or she meets the criteria stated in Administrative Procedure 5020.

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References:

Education Code Sections, 68130.5 and 76140 et seq.;
Title 5 Section 54045.5

Tuition fees for Non-resident students are established by the Board of Trustees, according to Education Code, in January of each year, to be effective the following fall semester. These fees are based on the statewide average and are subject to change each year.

F-1 Visa students are required to pay an additional per unit capital outlay surcharge in an amount not to exceed that expended for capital outlay in the preceding year, divided by the total full-time equivalent students. All F-1 Visa students also pay a processing fee.

All non-resident tuition and capital outlay surcharge fees can be paid by personal check, cashier's check, money order, cash, credit/debit card. Under certain circumstances, tuition may be refunded.

All refunds are handled through the Office of Admissions and Records and are processed in accordance with set guidelines.

Information on current non-resident tuition fees, the per unit capital outlay surcharge, or the tuition refund process can be found in the Catalog, the Schedule of Classes and on the District website at <http://www.rcc.edu/students/apply/nonresident.cfm>.

Pursuant to Education Code, the District may exempt, on an individual basis, Non-Resident Students from paying all or parts of non-resident tuition if the nonresident is both a citizen and resident of a foreign country and if they have demonstrated a financial need for the exemption. Up to ten percent (10%) of the nonresident foreign students in the District may be so exempted. In addition, any students, other than nonimmigrant aliens under 8 U.S.C 1101(a)(15), who meet the requirements outlined in Administrative Procedure 5015, Residence Determination, are exempt from paying non-resident tuition.

Individuals who believe they are eligible for an exemption should contact the College Chief Student Services Officer.

Office of Primary Responsibility: Admissions and Records and College/District
Chief Student Services Officer

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