

**Application for Kansas Resident Classification for
Indigenous American Students**
(per Section 118(e) of 2025 Senate Bill 125)

The Kansas Legislature enacted a provision to allow particular students enrolling at a public institution of higher education in Kansas to have residency status for the purpose of paying tuition. This provision is in place from July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2026 with anticipated annual renewal through the Legislature.

Students **who are enrolled as a member of any of the following Nations** are eligible, regardless of the location of their residence.

- ☐ The Kickapoo Tribe of Indians of the Kickapoo Reservation in Kansas;
- ☐ The Prairie Band Potawatomi Nation;
- ☐ The Iowa Tribe of Kansas;
- ☐ The Sac and Fox Nation of Missouri in Kansas and Nebraska, OR

Students of the **Indigenous Nations with historical connections to Kansas territories** are also eligible. Please see the eligible list linked at wichita.edu/residency.

The next semester you will be attending Wichita State University: _____

Student's Last Name, First, Middle initial

myWSU ID

Phone: _____

email: _____

ATTESTATIONS:

I request Wichita State University deem me to be a resident of Kansas for the purpose of tuition and fees as an Indigenous American student who has attached **proof of Tribe Membership** or a **Certificate of Indian Blood card** to one of the Indigenous Nations above or one of the nations with historical connections to Kansas.

- I understand that this residency provision is in place from July 1, 2025, through June 30, 2026 and if I maintain continuous enrollment (except summer terms & breaks), the resident tuition rate will continue to apply.
- I understand that falsified information can result in financial obligation (nonresident tuition) to dismissal from the University.

Date: _____

Signature of Student: _____

Submit document to:

Office of the Registrar, Wichita State University, 102 Jardine Hall, 1845 Fairmount, Wichita, KS 67260-0058
(316) 978-3672 Fax: (316) 978-7999 residency@wichita.edu

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