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## Proof of Residency Requirements

In order for a student to attend District 73, an adult parent/guardian of the registering child is required to provide one piece of documentation related to each of the three categories listed below:

### **Category I** - Photo Identification

### **Category II** - One document required; showing parent/legal guardian's name and address.

- Current monthly mortgage statement
- Current signed and dated lease agreement
- Most recent property tax bill
- Closing documents of recent purchase
- [Notarized Residency Attestation Form](#) - when a parent/guardian is not the owner or leaseholder of the property in which the student resides. Form is to be completed by the owner or leaseholder of the property.

### **Category III** - One document required; showing parent/legal guardian's name and address.

- Current utility bill (within the last billing cycle, 30 days) - electric, gas, water and/or waste
- Current homeowner or renter insurance policy statement
- Vehicle registration

State Law (105 ILCS 5/10-20.12b, 105 ILCS 5/14-1.11a) requires that students attending District 73 be bona fide residents of the District. Generally, to be a bona fide resident, a student must live with a parent or guardian who resides within the District. **Any person who knowingly enrolls or attempts to enroll in the schools of a school district on a tuition free basis a pupil known by that person to be a nonresident of the District or any person who knowingly or willfully presents to any school district any false information regarding the residency of a pupil for the purpose of enabling that pupil to attend any school in that district without the payment of a nonresident tuition charge shall be guilty of a Class C misdemeanor. Anyone who knowingly or willfully provides false information shall be referred for criminal prosecution.**

**IMPORTANT: District 73 may require any student to prove residency at any time.**