



Hart County *Charter System*

NOTORIZED STATEMENT FOR PROOF OF RESIDENCY For *Property Owner*

To Whom It May Concern:

My name is _____ and I am the primary owner/lease of property located at _____ in Hart County, Georgia. I testify that the following persons are currently residing on my property:

I anticipate that the above listed persons will reside with me for at least

- One month
- One to six months
- Six months to a year
- More than a year

I have provided one of the following to school officials as my proof of residence:

- Property tax bill
- Lease agreement
- Utility bill (GA Power, EMC) within 30 days

Property/Lease Holder to above address

Date

State of Georgia: County of _____

I, _____ a Notary Public for said county and state, do hereby certify that _____ personally appeared before me this day and acknowledged the due executing of the foregoing instrument.

Witness my hand and official seal, this the _____ day of _____, 2_____.

My Commission Expires _____

Signature of Notary Public

The school system has a notary at the Board of Education office and some schools, for which there is no charge for their service. However you can use any Notary Public of your choice.

PROOF OF RESIDENCE

Parents must provide a sworn statement as part of the enrollment process establishing their residence. A student's residence is defined as being the primary home where his or her parents live or the primary home of any other person who has been awarded legal custody or control of such student. This would include natural or adopted parents, legal guardians or other persons awarded custody or guardianship by a court, foster parents appointed by a state agency, and a sponsor for any approved international exchange program. Parents are responsible for notifying the school of any change in residence within 30 days of the change.

The following are acceptable proofs of primary homes of residence:

- Current (no more than 60 days) utility bills showing the same address (**not** a cell phone or satellite bill)
 - Georgia Power
 - Hart EMC
 - Hart Communications, land phone
- Property tax bill
- Deed or Lease agreement
- Construction contract or Non-contingent sales contract

When parents and student are residing in the home of other individuals:

- Notarized statement or affidavit signed by the individual with whom the parent and student reside,
- Along with proof of residence (see above) for the other individual

When a parent claims to live in multiple residences within Hart County, the student shall attend school in the attendance district of the primary home of the family. Factors to be considered in making this determination under these circumstances include, but are not limited to,

- Whether the residence is owned or leased,
- Location for which homestead exemption is claimed,
- Family's occupancy pattern at the various properties,
- Efficacy of a facility for family occupancy, and
- Rationale for living at multiple locations.

Proof of identity of the property owner must accompany the affidavit. A copy of the driver's license will suffice.