Residency Status

To be considered Texas residents, students must clearly establish residence in Texas for the twelve months preceding their enrollment. The student is responsible for registering under the proper residence classification and for providing documentation as required. If there is any question about the right to classification as a resident of Texas, it is the student’s obligation, prior to the time of enrollment, to raise the question for official determination by the administrative staff of Frank Phillips College. Students classified as Texas residents must affirm the correctness of that classification as part of the admission procedure. If classification should change, it is the responsibility of the student to notify the Director of Enrollment Management. Failure to notify the institution constitutes a violation of the oath of residency and will result in disciplinary action.

All students must pay tuition according to their resident classification as follows:

**A resident of the Borger Junior College District** is a student who resides within the Borger Junior College District and is not classified as a Non-Resident of Texas as explained in this section.

**A resident of Ochiltree County** is a student who resides within Ochiltree County and is not classified as a Non-Resident of Texas as explained in this section.

**A Non-resident (of a Taxing District)** is a student that neither resides within the Borger Junior College District or Ochiltree County nor is classified as a Non-resident of Texas.

**A Non-resident of Texas** is a student younger than 18 years of age who does not live with his or her family and whose family resides in another state or whose family has not resided in Texas for the 12 months preceding the date of registration or a student of 18 years of age or over who resides out of state or who has not been a resident of the state 12 months after his 18th birthday or for 12 months immediately preceding the date of registration.