



Somerset Public Schools

All Students Achieving Excellence

CERTIFICATE OF RESIDENCY

It shall be the policy of the Somerset School Committee that:

“ . . . all children who register and attend Somerset Public Schools at the expense of the citizens of Somerset be legal residents whose actual principal domicile is in Somerset. This policy shall provide equal opportunity to each child regardless of race, color, creed, national origin, sex or handicap.”

- I understand that _____ must be a resident of the Town of Somerset.
(name of student)
- I certify that _____ is residing with me at the following address:
(name of student)

- I certify that I am a legal resident of Somerset, and I have submitted the required documentation from the appropriate categories below:

1 Proof from Category A	2 Proofs from Category B	1 Proof from Category C
<p>For Homeowners</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Copy of Deed and/or a record of the most recent mortgage payment • Property tax bill and the most recent payment • Copy of settlement statement and a record of the most recent payment <p>For Renters</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Copy of current lease and a signed Landord Living Agreement • Signed Landlord Living Agreement and a record of the most recent rent payment 	<p>For Homeowners and Renters</p> <p>A utility bill dated within the past 45 days or a statement of service showing the service address and connection date from the following list:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Electric bill <input type="checkbox"/> Gas bill <input type="checkbox"/> Home telephone bill (landline phones only; cell phone bills are not allowed) <input type="checkbox"/> Home/renters insurance bill 	<p>For Homeowners and Renters</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Valid government-issued photo identification that shows the current address (driver’s license, passport, etc.) • Payroll stub dated within the past 45 days that shows the current address • Bank Statement dated within the past 45 days that shows the current address

- I am am not (circle one) _____’s legal guardian.
(name of student)

If guardianship exists, please attach legal documentation.

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5. I certify that this living situation is not an arrangement of convenience for the sole purpose of having the student residing with me to attend Somerset Public Schools.

List the reason (s) for the current living situation. (If this living situation is a result a marital action for separation/divorce, attach documentation evidencing the custody arrangement)

(use separate paper if necessary)

I understand that enrolling the child named above in the Somerset Public Schools is contingent upon the conditions of the Residency Policy, which I have read. I also understand that violation of this policy may result in termination of the child's enrollment and that I may be liable for this child's tuition reimbursement.

I hereby certify under the pains and penalties of perjury the information provided above is accurate and true.

(Signature of Guardian, Grandparent, Foster Parent, other relative or other Somerset resident) (Date)

(Signature of Parent) (Date)

(1 copy to School/Principal, 1 copy to Central Office/Superintendent)