

## RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS

You must be a resident of Framingham in order to attend the Framingham Public Schools. Before a student is registered for Framingham Public Schools and can begin school, his/her parent or legal guardian must provide proof of primary residence. Temporary residence in the Town of Framingham for the sole purpose of attending the Framingham Public Schools will not be considered residency. Because residency can, and does, change for students and their families during the course of the academic year and a student's educational life, the Framingham Public Schools may continue to verify residency after the commencement of classes.

## What documents are required to verify residency?

One document from each column below must be submitted.

Proof of Residency	Proof of Occupancy	Proof of Identification
One of the following required:	One of the following required: (must be dated within the past 30 days)	One valid photo identification from the following list required:
<ul> <li>recent mortgage payment</li> <li>property tax bill</li> <li>current lease</li> <li>HUD lease or other public housing lease (Section 8)</li> <li>HUD settlement statement (closing statement)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>cable/satellite TV bill</li> <li>electric bill</li> <li>gas bill</li> <li>water bill</li> <li>home/renter's insurance</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>driver's License</li> <li>state ID card</li> <li>passport</li> <li>military ID</li> <li>other government-issued photo ID</li> </ul>

## What if I live with a friend or relative?

The parent/guardian and owner/renter must complete the <u>Residency Affidavit</u> and both signatures must be notarized. A notary is available in our office and requires the person to be present. The person with whom you are living with must submit a Proof of Residency, Proof of Occupancy and photo identification.

## What if my family does not have a permanent residence?

The proof of residency policy does not apply to homeless students and families covered under the McKinney-Vento Act. Contact our office for assistance with registering your child. If you are staying in a shelter, bring a letter from the shelter staff stating that you are living there. The McKinney-Vento Liaison for the Framingham Public Schools will work with you.