

Thomas Jefferson High School for Science and Technology Admissions

Proof of Residency

For proof of residency, you must paper clip the following **three** required proof-of-residency documents to your application:

- Copy of one of the following: current lease, current deed, or current mortgage statement, AND
- Copy of one of the following: current gas, electric, water, or land-line telephone bill, AND
- Copy of one of the following: Virginia driver's license; Commonwealth of Virginia identification card; current payroll stub; or current bank statement.

You may redact (black out) any confidential information, such as account numbers, balance information, etc. Applications will not be processed if proof of residency is incomplete.

FCPS Regulation 2202.5 provides that: "The burden of establishing and/or providing proof of the student's residence is the responsibility of the parent or guardian. Bona fide residence is one's actual residence maintained in good faith, and does not include superficial residence established for the purpose of free school attendance." Additional residency documentation, therefore, may be requested at any time.

The residency requirement is a continuous one. If you live in a participating school division at the time of application but you move during the school year to a school division that does not participate in TJHSST, you are no longer eligible to be considered for admission to TJHSST. Your application will be withdrawn.

