



UTAH VALLEY UNIVERSITY

OFFICE OF ADMISSIONS

Utah Valley University Residency Office has established the following modifications due to COVID- 19

Spring 2021 UVU Residency Applicants

- Be a U.S. citizen or have permanent resident, asylum, or refugee status granted in the U.S.
- Have a Utah driver's license, vehicle registration and voter registration
- Verification of financial independence showing that you are not claimed as a tax dependent on the most recent federal tax return (Form 1040) of any person who is a not a resident of Utah, and under the age of 25 and not married.
- Proof of physical presence in Utah for the most recent 12 continuous months. Cannot be out of the state of Utah for more than a total of 30 days during this 12- month period. An exception will be made for time spent out of state from March 13, 2020 - August 24, 2020 and November 23, 2020 - January 11, 2021 due to COVID-19. Days spent out of state during these time periods will not count towards the 30 day out of state allowance.

Examples of acceptable documents for physical presence include:

- An academic transcript verifying you were enrolled in on-campus classes at a Utah college or university.
- Copies of letter from a Utah employer (letter must be on company letterhead, dated, include from and to dates of employment and be signed by someone authorized to verify your employment)
- Copies of bank statements, one per month, showing transactions in Utah at least twice a week.

Students must establish these ties as part of the reclassification process. For the spring semester 2021, these ties should be submitted to the residency office as soon as possible and no later than *Friday, January 22nd*.

If there are additional circumstances preventing fulfillment of spring residency requirements, these applications and circumstances will be evaluated on a case by case basis.

If there are changes to class delivery modalities for spring 2021, residency granted decisions will be honored and additional policies for spring residency applications may be determined.

Summer 2021 and Fall 2021 residency applications may have some requirements affected by COVID19. These updates will be posted as more information becomes available.