

**UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, MERCED**  
**AB 540 NONRESIDENT SUPPLEMENTAL TUITION EXEMPTION**

For Eligible California High School Graduates

**APPLICATION AND AFFIDAVIT**

Complete and sign this Application and Affidavit to request exemption from the Nonresident Supplemental Tuition differential charged to nonresident students. Once you are determined to be eligible for the exemption, you will continue to receive the exemption as long as you fulfill the requirements listed below or until the University no longer offers this exemption. Applying for the exemption does not in any way alter your responsibility to pay by the campus deadline any nonresident tuition and associated fees that may be due before your eligibility is determined.

**APPLICATION**

I, the undersigned, am applying for a University of California Nonresident Tuition Exemption for Eligible California High School Graduates and declare that ALL of the following apply to me (**check only one box for each number 1-3**):

1.  **YES**    **NO**    I have attended high school in California for three or more years **-OR-** I have attained the equivalent of three or more years of full-time high school course work in fewer than three years **AND** I have attended a combination of elementary, middle and/or high schools in California for a total of three or more years **AND**
2.  **YES**    **NO**    I have graduated from a California high school or have attained the equivalent thereof, such as High School Equivalency Certificate issued by the California State GED Office or Certificate of Proficiency, resulting from the California High School Proficiency Examination **AND**
3.  **YES**    **NO**    I am **NOT** a non-immigrant alien. [Non-immigrants, as defined by federal law, have been admitted to the United States temporarily and may have been granted one of the following visas: A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, N, O, P, Q, R, S, T, TN, TD, U, V, TROV, and NATO].

**CALIFORNIA SCHOOL ATTENDANCE INFORMATION** [Provide information on all school(s) you attended in grades K – 12]

Name Of School	City	State	From (MM/YYYY)	To (MM/YYYY)

**AFFIDAVIT**

By signing this document, below, I hereby state that, if I am a non-citizen without lawful immigration status, I have filed an application to legalize my immigration status or will file an application as soon as I am eligible to do so.

**TRANSFER AND GRADUATE/PROFESSIONAL STUDENTS** must submit, as part of this Application and Affidavit, their official high school transcript(s) validating three-year high school attendance in California and graduation from a California high school. (All other applicants need not provide such evidence unless specifically instructed by the University to do so.)

**DECLARATION OF TRUE AND ACCURATE INFORMATION**

I, the undersigned, declare under penalty of perjury that the information I have provided on this form is true and accurate and will be used to determine my eligibility for the tuition exemption. I understand that if any information is found to be false, I will be liable for payment of all nonresident charges from which I was exempted and may be subject to disciplinary action by the University.

Last Name	First Name	Email Address
Mailing Address (street, city, state, zip)		
Signature	Date	UCM-Student ID # (100XXXXXX)

Complete and submit to: Office of the Registrar, 5200 N. Lake Road, Merced, CA 95343 or via Email: slr@ucmerced.edu