

MORRIS COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL--DISTRICT 101
CITY OF MORRIS
COUNTY OF GRUNDY
STATE OF ILLINOIS
AFFIDAVIT OF RESIDENCE

I, _____, having first been sworn upon my
(Please print name.)
oath, depose and say as follows:

1. That I am the person who has legal custody of (list names and ages of children)

_____ for the following reason (check one):

- _____ I am a natural or adoptive parent with whom the pupil resides.
_____ I have been granted custody by court order of the pupil who resides with me.
_____ I am exercising statutory short-term guardianship of the pupil who resides with me, and I will obtain a court order granting permanent guardianship within 60 days of the pupil's enrollment.
* _____ I am an adult caretaker relative who is receiving aid under the Illinois Public Aid Code for the pupil who resides with me.
* _____ I am an adult who has assumed legal responsibility for the pupil, exercises custody of the pupil, and provides the pupil with a regular fixed night-time abode.

* If you checked one of these two items, please **provide us with a Power of Attorney** naming you as the adult caretaker for the above mentioned child(ren). A Power of Attorney document is obtained through a lawyer and needs to be signed by the legal guardian(s).

2. That the child(ren)'s residence is with me at _____
(full street address), City of Morris, Grundy County, Illinois which is within the territorial boundaries of Morris Community High School, District No. 101.
3. That the child(ren)'s residence with School District No. 101 has been established for reasons other than to have access to the educational program of School District No. 101.
(Strike this sentence if the person with legal custody is a natural or adoptive parent living in the District.)
4. I agree that should any statement herein be found to be false, and the residence of the student(s) under my care, control and support be other than that represented I will, as required by law, pay School District 101 the most recent tuition figure available for such time as the student(s) under my care was illegally enrolled. In addition, because the current District 101 policy is not to accept students on a tuition basis, the subject student(s) must be removed from enrollment in District 101 promptly upon discovery that the student(s) is not legally a resident in the District.

SIGNATURE _____ **DATE** _____

The following information is used in completing reports requested by the State of Illinois. Please check one of the following.

- White (Not of Hispanic origin)
- Hispanic
- Black (Not of Hispanic origin)

- American Indian or Native born Alaskan
- Asian or Pacific Islander
- Multi-Racial

Student Language Survey:

1. Can you speak fluently a language other than English? Yes No
If yes, what language?
2. Which language do you use most often when you speak to your friends?
 English Other (Specify)
3. Which language do you use most often when you speak to your parents?
 English Other (Specify)
4. Does anyone in your home speak fluently a language other than English?
 Yes No

PROOF OF RESIDENCY AND CUSTODY

Category 1 (all documents required)

- Student's birth certificate
- Legal custody papers if the student does not live with both birth parents. If living with a birth parent who does not have legal custody, you must provide a notarized letter from the other parent granting permission for your student to live with you and attend MCHS as well as a copy of the legal custody papers.
- Parent identification (driver's license or state I.D.)

Category 2 (one document required)

- Mortgage papers
- Real estate tax bill
- Real estate sales agreement
- Lease

Category 3 (two documents required showing proper address)

- Driver's license with new address
- Voter registration
- Gas or electric bill
- Checking account or bank statement
- Home/apartment insurance papers
- Credit card bills
- Public aid card
- Furniture transport documents or forwarded mail

- Does the student eat his/her meals regularly at the said residence? Yes No
- Does the student sleep regularly at said residence? Yes No
- Does the student spend his/her weekends regularly at said residence? Yes No
- Does the student spend his/her summers regularly at said residence? Yes No

Signature _____ Date _____

Note: Illinois law provides that, except in certain limited circumstances, any person who knowingly enrolls or attempts to enroll in the schools of the school district on a tuition-free basis a pupil known by that person to be a nonresident of the district shall be guilty of a Class C misdemeanor. Illinois law also provides that a person who knowingly or willfully presents to any school district any false information regarding the residency of a pupil for the purposes of enabling that pupil to attend any school in that district without the payment of a nonresident tuition charge shall be guilty of a Class C misdemeanor (105 ILCS 5/10-20.12b).

SCHOOL DOCUMENTS REQUIRED PRIOR TO ENROLLING

These documents may be faxed to the High School Office at (815) 941-5405

Current high school students (To be obtained from your prior high school)

- Unofficial high school transcript
- Illinois State Board of Education Student Transfer Form (if you are transferring from an Illinois public school)

Eighth grade students enrolling at the beginning of their freshman year

- Copy of grade school diploma. It is also very helpful to have report cards and recent assessment testing scores. When forms have been completed and all documents have been acquired, please drop them off in the High School Office. Any questions, please call (815) 942-1294.