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Forbush High School Senior Info Night October 16, 2023

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FHS Student Services Remind

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Upcoming Dates

October 16th - 20th: CFNC College Application Week

October 24th @ 10:15AM: Senior Class Meeting with Jostens

November 3rd: Cap & Gown Photos, Jostens orders due

November 21st: Field Trip to UNC Charlotte

May 29th: Graduation at Wait Chapel, WFU

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UPDATED FALL 2023

College Application Week Participating Schools

Many North Carolina schools are waiving their application fees from Oct. 16-20—IF you apply through [CFNC.org](https://www.cfnc.org)! Start on [CFNC.org](https://www.cfnc.org)'s Application Hub. Other schools may be accepting special fee waivers, too, through ACT, SAT or NACAC.

Visit [CFNC.org/apply-to-college/nc-countdown-to-college/](https://www.cfnc.org/apply-to-college/nc-countdown-to-college/) for more information.

Barton College	Meredith College
Belmont Abbey College	Methodist University
Brevard College	Montreat College
Cabarrus College of Health Sciences*	North Carolina A&T State University*
Campbell University	North Carolina Central University*
Catawba College	North Carolina Wesleyan University
Chowan University	Pfeiffer University
Davidson College*	Queens University of Charlotte
East Carolina University	Saint Augustine's University
Elizabeth City State University	Salem College
Elon University*	Shaw University*
Fayetteville State University	St. Andrews University
Gardner-Webb University	UNC Asheville
Greensboro College	UNC Pembroke
Guilford College	UNC School of the Arts*
Johnson and Wales University - Charlotte	University of Mount Olive
Johnson C. Smith University	Warren Wilson College
Lees-McRae College	Western Carolina University
Lenoir-Rhyne University	William Peace University
Livingstone College	Wingate University
Louisburg College	Winston-Salem State University
Mars Hill University	And all 58 community colleges

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UPCOMING EARLY ACTION (NON-BINDING) DEADLINES



OCTOBER 15TH



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Mrs. Donna Reavis

Career Development/Special Populations Coordinator
Yadkin County Schools

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 @YCCTE



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Workforce Development Specialist
Surry-Yadkin Works

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Spring CTE Internship

Internship Information

- 6.5 hours per week (120 total for semester)
- Related coursework highly recommended
- Normally 1 class period - can be opposite of SCC class days
- Weekly journals
- Additional assignments
- Exit presentation
 - Paid or unpaid
 - Honors credit awarded



Great opportunity to explore a career!
How do you know what you want to do if you haven't spent time in the career?

-
1. Complete Internship Application
 2. 2 Teacher Recommendation Forms

Forms can be picked up in Mrs. Reavis' room 230B or in the Student Services Office. Return no later than Nov. 8th

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- RDS is an application that determines in-state residency.
- Once complete, you will receive a Residency Certification Number (**RCN**).
- With in-state status, students qualify for in-state tuition at NC colleges and can be eligible for NC grants.

 ncresidency.org



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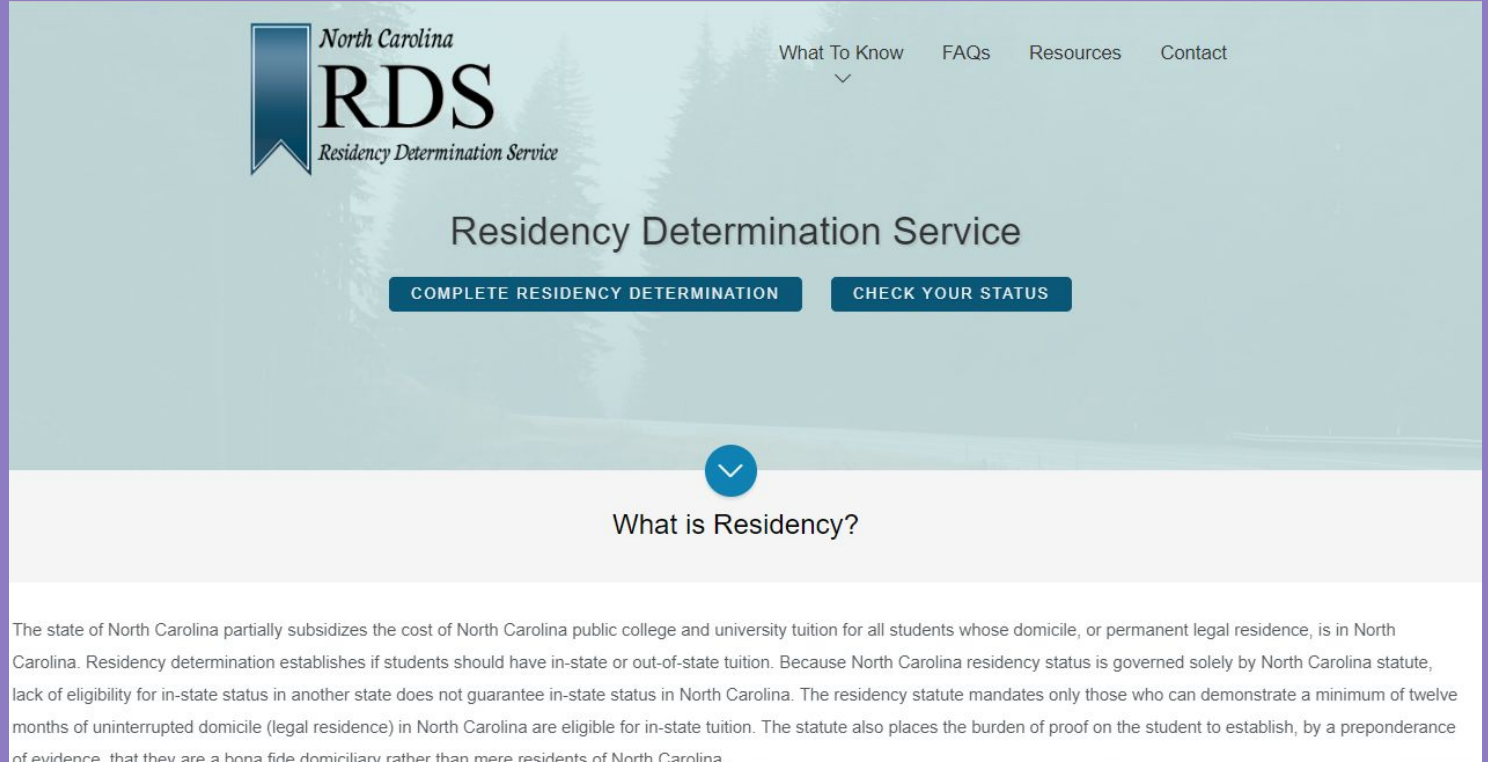
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Residency Determination Service (RDS)



The screenshot shows the homepage of the North Carolina Residency Determination Service (RDS). The page features a light green background with a blurred image of a forest. At the top left is the RDS logo, which includes a blue ribbon icon and the text "North Carolina RDS Residency Determination Service". To the right of the logo is a navigation menu with links for "What To Know", "FAQs", "Resources", and "Contact". Below the navigation menu is a large heading "Residency Determination Service" followed by two prominent buttons: "COMPLETE RESIDENCY DETERMINATION" and "CHECK YOUR STATUS". At the bottom of the page, there is a blue circular icon with a white downward arrow, and below it, the text "What is Residency?".

North Carolina
RDS
Residency Determination Service

What To Know FAQs Resources Contact

Residency Determination Service

[COMPLETE RESIDENCY DETERMINATION](#) [CHECK YOUR STATUS](#)

What is Residency?

The state of North Carolina partially subsidizes the cost of North Carolina public college and university tuition for all students whose domicile, or permanent legal residence, is in North Carolina. Residency determination establishes if students should have in-state or out-of-state tuition. Because North Carolina residency status is governed solely by North Carolina statute, lack of eligibility for in-state status in another state does not guarantee in-state status in North Carolina. The residency statute mandates only those who can demonstrate a minimum of twelve months of uninterrupted domicile (legal residence) in North Carolina are eligible for in-state tuition. The statute also places the burden of proof on the student to establish, by a preponderance of evidence, that they are a bona fide domiciliary rather than mere residents of North Carolina.

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
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 LOGIN

 RETURN TO RDS

 RETURN TO CFNC



Sign In to RDS

Use your existing CFNC username and password to sign in to RDS.

[FORGOT USERNAME / PASSWORD?](#)

LOGIN 

First Time Here?

In order for a student to receive the benefits of in-state tuition and state financial aid, a residency determination is required from RDS. **By creating a new account, you are creating a CFNC.org account.** There is no separate account creation for RDS. Should you come back to RDS, simply use your CFNC account to login.

When you create your account, you can:

- Request your residency determination or review status any time
- Find tools and resources appropriate to your grade or stage of life
- Store your work, applications, account and other information to pick up or review any time
- Keep a lifelong portfolio to help with future career transitions; and
- Get suggestions based on previous web activity

Creating an account is easy. **Get Started by Clicking Below**

 CREATE ACCOUNT

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The screenshot shows the CFNC.org website interface. At the top, the logo 'CFNC.org' is displayed with the tagline 'Helping you plan, apply, and pay for college'. The 'College Foundation of North Carolina' logo is in the top right corner, along with the phone number '866-866-CFNC(2362)'. Navigation links include 'Sign in | Create My CFNC Account en Español', 'About CFNC | Contact Us | Resources/Videos | Need Help? | Search', and a main menu with 'My CFNC', 'Plan', 'Apply', 'Pay', and 'Save (NC 529)'. The 'Apply' menu is expanded to show 'To College', 'For Financial Aid', and 'Residency Determination', with the latter highlighted by a red box and a red arrow. Below the navigation, there are buttons for 'Sign In' and 'Create Account'. A large banner features the text 'It is never too early or too late to plan your future, no matter what your age.' and a photo of students, with a red arrow pointing to the 'Residency Determination' link. A 'Fast Access' sidebar lists 'Apply To College', 'Make A Payment', 'Add To Your NC 529 Plan', and 'Residency Determination', with the last item highlighted by a red box and a red arrow. The 'Hot Topics' section includes 'NC Countdown to College Month is October!', 'SAT/ACT Test Prep Help', and 'September is College Savings Month'. A 'CFNC Events' section offers registration for webinars and seminars. A 'Be In The Know' section is also present. On the right, a user selection menu lists 'Student', 'Parent', 'Adult Learner', 'Military / Military Dependent', 'Education Professional', and 'Account Holder'. At the bottom right, a promotional banner for 'FAFSA + RDS = A PERFECT PAIR FOR FINANCIAL AID.' includes a 'Learn More >' link.

CFNC.org Helping you plan, apply, and pay for college

College Foundation of North Carolina

866-866-CFNC(2362)

Sign in | Create My CFNC Account en Español

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- Add To Your NC 529 Plan
- Residency Determination

Hot Topics

NC Countdown to College Month is October! Prepare by completing the FAFSA and Residency Determination Service (RDS). Apply to NC colleges and universities and send your official high school transcripts, too!

SAT/ACT Test Prep Help SAT or ACT coming up? Practice your test-taking skills with our free Test Prep.

September is College Savings Month College years are closer than you think. College Savings Month is a good time to open or add to a NC 529 Account!

CFNC Events Register for Webinars, Seminars and Other Training Opportunities

Be In The Know

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The image shows two screenshots of a website. The left screenshot is the CFNC.org homepage, featuring a navigation bar with 'My CFNC', 'Plan', 'Apply', 'Pay', and 'Save (NC 529)'. A central banner reads 'Choose a role to get started on CFNC.org' with a 'Sign In' button. Below the banner are sections for 'Fast Access', 'CFNC Events', and 'Go to the Know'. The right screenshot is the RDS (Residency Determination Service) page, titled 'North Carolina RDS Residency Determination Service'. It includes a 'What To Know' dropdown menu and two main buttons: 'COMPLETE RESIDENCY DETERMINATION' and 'CHECK YOUR STATUS'. At the bottom, there is a 'What is Residency?' link with a downward arrow icon. Two white arrows point from the RDS page back to the CFNC.org page.

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- If you are unsure of your CFNC log-in, check with Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. Helton, or Mrs. Reavis before making a new account.



Having multiple CFNC accounts can cause issues with RDS, your RCN number, college applications, and sending transcripts.

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Items needed:

1. Parent/Guardian Name, Social Security Number, Date of Birth
2. Student's Social Security Number
3. Does Parent have registered vehicles in North Carolina?
4. Parent/Guardian Driver's License Number, Issue Date, Expiration
5. Did Parent file a NC Tax Return for 2021 or 2022? Year?
6. Is Parent registered to vote? What county?
7. Has Parent worked in NC more than 12 months? Employer?

If both parents/guardians are living together in same household, you will need this information for both parents.



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- RDS depends on the Social Security Number (SSN) or other ID number to check NC State agencies' data to help prove your claim of NC Residency.
- If your parent/legal guardian chooses not to enter an identifying number, the RDS Online Interview determines you to be a Non-Resident / Out-of-State. This information is required for students under the age of 24.

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- Students that are undocumented are not eligible for NC residency for tuition purposes
- Students that are undocumented can still fill out RDS, will receive an RCN, be determined as out-of-state, and can complete college admission applications (using the RCN).
- Students that are US citizens with parents that are not US citizens can request an Appeal. The Appeal must be filed within 10 days.

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Watch out for these mistakes!

-  Creating a NEW account in RDS if you already have one
-  Moving too fast; skipping/not answering or guessing at answers; being inaccurate
-  Incorrect identifiers - Name, DOB, SSN
-  Entering Name, DOB, SSN differently than on the college application

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Reminders:

- ✓ Use your CFNC login.
- ✓ Your RCN remains the same indefinitely.
- ✓ You must maintain legal residence in NC for 12 months before claiming residency.
- ✓ RDS takes on average 10 minutes.
- ✓ Be accurate.
- ✓ Once started, RDS must be completed in 25 days.
- ✓ No guessing.
- ✓ If additional documents are needed, submit these documents within 25 days.

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1. CFNC



All NC community colleges, NC colleges, and NC universities

2. Common App



Appalachian State, Barton College, Catawba, Davidson, Duke, East Carolina, Elon, Gardner-Webb, Guilford, High Point, Johnson & Wales, Meredith, NC A&T SU, NCSU, Queens, Salem College, St. Andrews, UNC Asheville, UNC Chapel Hill, UNC Charlotte, UNC Greensboro, UNC Wilmington, Wake Forest University, Warren Wilson

3. College websites

Applications

- ❑ High School Transcripts
- ❑ Dual Enrollment Transcripts
- ❑ SAT/ACT scores (if needed)
- ❑ Application fee (\$45.00 - \$105.00)
- ❑ Essays
- ❑ Letters of Recommendation
- ❑ Interview/Audition

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HS Transcripts:

- Request through CFNC or application sites
- If you need a transcript mailed,
 - Contact Mrs. Britta Crissman, Data Manager
 - Allow up to 2 weeks to process

SCC Transcripts:

- Website: studentclearinghouse.org
- Fee: \$5.50

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Common App transcripts:

- List Mrs. Helton (jennifer.helton@yadkin.k12.nc.us) as the school counselor
- All up to 2 weeks to process

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Other Reminders

Email etiquette:

- ✓ Have a clear subject line
- ✓ Use correct grammar
- ✓ Include your full name
- ✓ Be courteous

Subject: College Visit next Thursday

Dear Mrs. Helton,

I am going on a college visit to Appalachian State University next Thursday. Do you know if I will be counted absent?

Thank you,
John Doe

Email Etiquette

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i need my transcript sent to app!!!!



Is this event required and whats it about



I emailed you at 10:30 last night and haven't heard anything what is going on?!?!

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- If a student currently has an IEP or 504 plan, reach out to the appropriate Student Services Office at the university to continue accommodations.
- Students must initiate this process.

Financial Aid

Mrs. Elizabeth White

Director of Financial Aid and Veteran Affairs

Surry Community College

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The image is a screenshot of a web browser displaying the Forbush High website. The browser's address bar shows the URL `fhs.yadkin.k12.nc.us`. The website has a dark red header with the text "District Home" on the left and "Schools" with a search bar and social media icons on the right. The main content area features a large photograph of a man in a striped polo shirt and two students in a workshop, with the man pointing at a piece of wood. The school's logo, a stylized blue and white "F" with a bird-like shape, is on the left. The text "FORBUSH HIGH" is prominently displayed in the center. Below the school name is a navigation menu with the following items: "Our School", "Students", "Parents and Community", "Academics", "Extracurricular Activities", and "Staff". The "Academics" menu is open, showing a list of links: "Academic Departments", "YCS Curriculum Guide", "Media Center", and "Student Services". A red arrow points from the "Academics" menu item to the "Student Services" link. At the bottom of the page is a blue footer bar containing several white icons: a calendar with the number "26", a stack of books, three people silhouettes, a location pin, a camera, a play button, and a fork and knife.

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The screenshot shows the Forbush High School website. At the top, there is a navigation bar with 'District Home', 'Schools', a search bar, and social media icons. Below this is a blue header with the school's logo and the name 'FORBUSH HIGH'. A secondary navigation bar lists 'Our School', 'Students', 'Parents and Community', 'Academics', 'Extracurricular Activities', and 'Staff'. The main content area is titled 'Student Services' and includes a welcome message, a notice about a new counselor, and a list of the counseling team. On the right side, a dark red navigation menu is open, listing 'Student Services', 'Class Change Request', 'College & Career Services', 'Scholarship Information', 'Senior Info', and 'Staff'. A red arrow points to the 'Scholarship Information' link. The footer contains contact information for Forbush High, the YCS logo, and a language selection dropdown.

District Home Schools Search this site

FORBUSH HIGH

Our School Students Parents and Community Academics Extracurricular Activities Staff

Student Services

Welcome to Student Services!

Forbush High School is excited to welcome Mrs. Allison Mathews to our counselor team.

This year our counseling team includes:

Mrs. Jennifer Helton - serving students with last names A-J
Mrs. Lindsey Kennedy - serving students with college planning and Surry Community College courses
Mrs. Allison Mathews - serving students with last names K-Z

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Forbush High
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East Bend, NC 27018
Phone: (336) 551-1140
Fax: (336) 961-2575

Principal: Denny Key
Select Language

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FORBUSH HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP LIST

Welcome to the FHS Scholarship Website! Keep in mind that this is our list, but there are many other scholarships out there, so please explore different places for scholarship opportunities.

This website is organized by the month each scholarship is due, so please make sure you check ahead so you are ready for each new month.

Please let a counselor know if you need any help with these scholarships.



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Yadkin Guarantee

- Must graduate from a Yadkin County HS with an unweighted GPA above a 2.3
- Must maintain a 2.0 GPA
- Must submit the FAFSA
- Covers 100% of tuition for classes at the Yadkin Center
- Covers 100% of tuition for two additional classes
- Covers 50% of tuition on classes in Dobson
- Provides \$750 book stipend



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ycscollegecorner.weebly.com

YCS College & Career Corner Stay connected! [f](#) [t](#)

YCS YADKIN COUNTY SCHOOLS

Surry CC Reminders for Fall 2023

1. There will be a New Student Orientation on **Monday, August 14th (10:30AM for SHS, 1PM for FHS)** at the Yadkin Center (B Building, Room 138). Any students taking SCC classes for the first time are encouraged to attend and should bring their Chromebook.
2. Surry CC does **NOT** follow the same schedule as YCS. Classes for both SCC and YCS begin on **Thursday, August 17th**, but the calendars may differ throughout the semester.
4. During the winter months, there is the possibility of inclement weather. YCS students who are taking college classes at SCC should follow the Yadkin County Schools' **inclement weather policy**. If Yadkin County Schools are closed but SCC is open, students are not required to attend their SCC classes. Students should contact their instructors to let them know that they will not be in class. Students are responsible for all make-up work. **Weather does not affect online classes.**
5. Once SCC classes begin, students can not make changes to their schedule without penalty. After the 10-day withdrawal period, students will receive a 'WF' on their high school transcript.

Questions? [@LindseyBKennedy](#) lindsey.kennedy@yadkin.k12.nc.us

Questions? Contact Mrs. Kennedy

Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. King, and Mrs. Reavis are here to help you plan for life after high school! Visit us for any of the following reasons:

- to receive assistance for applying to college

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