



**2025-2026**

**Massachusetts Categorical Tuition Credit application**

*Documentation has been submitted to the Bursar Office regarding your eligibility for a Massachusetts Categorical Tuition Credit. Please submit this fully completed and signed application to the Bursar Office to certify your tuition credit eligibility.*

Student's Last Name		First Name	Middle Initial	Student UMS ID#
Street Address		City	State	Zip Code
				Phone Number

- Please check the box below for the Massachusetts Categorical tuition credit that you wish to be considered for:**
  - ☐ Veteran Tuition Credit
  - ☐ Native American Tuition Credit
  - ☐ Senior Citizen Tuition Credit
  - ☐ Member of the Armed Forces Tuition Credit
  - ☐ Client of the Massachusetts Rehabilitation Tuition Credit
  - ☐ Client of the Commission for the Blind Tuition Credit
- Have you been a lawful Massachusetts resident for at least one year prior to the start of the semester for which you are seeking Massachusetts Categorical tuition credit eligibility?**
  - ☐ YES      ☐ NO
- Are you a United States Citizen or eligible non-citizen?** *Please refer to the reverse side of this application for information regarding the determination of your citizenship status.*
  - ☐ YES      ☐ NO

4. Are you in compliance with Selective Service Registration Laws? *Almost all **male** U.S. citizens and **male** immigrants living in the U.S., who are 18 through 25 years old, are required to register with Selective Service. Please visit the Selective Service website at [www.sss.gov](http://www.sss.gov) for information on who must register under the 'Registration info' link. If you are female, please check the appropriate box below.*

☐ YES      ☐ NO      ☐ I am female

By signing this application, I certify that all my answers are true and complete and that I am not in default of any Federal student loans or owe a refund for any previously received Financial aid and I am not in default of any Massachusetts State student loans or owe a refund to any Massachusetts State financial aid programs. I agree to submit any and all required documentation to the Bursar Office so that my eligibility for the Massachusetts Categorical tuition credit may be determined. I also acknowledge and agree to complete the 2025-2026 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) IF I will be applying for need-based financial aid during the 2025-2026 academic year.

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Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Answer 'YES' to being a U.S. Citizen or eligible non-citizen if you are one of the following:

- U.S. Citizen or U.S. National
- U.S. Permanent resident with a Permanent Resident Card (I-551)
- Conditional permanent resident with a Conditional Green Card (I-551C)
- The holder of an Arrival-Departure Record (I-94) from the Department of Homeland Security showing any one of the following designations: "Refugee", "Asylum Granted", "Parolee" (I-94 confirms that you were paroled for a minimum of one year and status has not expired), T-Visa holder (T-1, T-2, T-3 etc.), or "Cuban-Haitian Entrant".
- The holder of a valid certification or eligibility letter from the Department of Health and Human Services showing a designation of "Victim of human trafficking".

Answer 'NO' to the U.S. Citizen or eligible non-citizen question if you are in the U.S. on:

- A F1 or F2 student visa, or
- A J1 or J2 exchange visitor visa, or
- A G series visa (pertaining to international organizations), or
- Other categories not included in the section above which details U.S. Citizen or eligible non-citizen