For students living in surrounding counties, it’s more affordable than ever to attend UTC. We now offer a 50 percent discount on a recently reduced out of state tuition amount to qualifying students living in Jackson, Dade, Walker, Catoosa, Whitfield, Murray and Fannin Counties.

To receive the regional tuition discount, students must be U.S. citizens or U.S. permanent residents, live in one of the seven counties and be admitted to UTC as an undergraduate student in good academic standing.

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Any questions? Email us at residency@utc.edu for more information.
Regional Tuition Credit FAQs

Who is eligible?
U.S. citizens or U.S. permanent residents from Catoosa, Dade, Fannin, Murray, Walker, and Whitfield counties in Georgia and Jackson county in Alabama who have been admitted to UTC as an undergraduate student in good academic standing are eligible for the credit.

What do these students actually pay?
Students pay the total in-state rate then receive a 50 percent discount on the reduced, border state tuition rate. View the Regional Tuition Rate fee schedule at utc.edu/bursar for more details.

Is there an age limit?
No, the discount rate is available to anyone who resides in one of the seven counties.

Can part time students get the discount rate?
Yes, as long as they are in good academic standing.

Can graduate students get it?
Yes, graduate classes are currently included. Please visit www.utc.edu/graduate-school for the most current information.

What if a student’s parents live in Georgia but the student lives in Tennessee?
The student can get the reduced rate if the parents claim the student on their income taxes. Parents would need to submit documents proving residency in 1 of the seven counties for any student under the age of 24.

What if a student goes on academic probation?
A student may be eligible to continue to attend UTC at the regular out-of-state rate. If the student returns to good standing, he or she can again qualify for the regional tuition discount the next semester by reapplying for the credit.

What is the difference between the waiver for out-of-state students who are full-time employees working in Tennessee (Paragraph Three*) and the Regional Tuition Rate Program?
Students under Paragraph Three* are charged the in-state tuition rate but are limited to part-time hours (maximum 11 hours each semester). The regional rate is granted to full- and part-time students and they pay the full in-state rate plus 50 percent of out-of-state fees.


UTC is a comprehensive, community-engaged campus of the UT System. UTC is an EEO/AA/Title VI & IX/Section 504/ADA/ADEA institution. E0402220002-010-22

Students must first be enrolled at the university. You can apply for admission online at utc.edu/apply.

After enrolling at UTC, students must complete the online Regional Tuition form and submit a copy of their driver’s license. Log in with their UTCID and password at utc.edu/regional-tuition-form.