

## **Enrollment FAQ**

### **Why am I required to complete a Tuberculosis screening?**

The college is required by law to institute tuberculosis screening. All first time students enrolled and entering classroom settings will complete tuberculosis screening questionnaire prior to enrollment and/or starting classes. (Exempt students will include those participating in continuing education programs, seminars, inmates at Correctional Facilities and Fort Riley students enrolled in Military focused college programs.) Finalization of initial classes will be placed on "hold" until requirements of screening questionnaire have been completed. Students determined as "high risk" for tuberculosis as defined by Kansas Department of Health and Environment guidelines will be required to complete a [Tuberculosis Risk Assessment and Evaluation](#).

### **Do I have to include my social security number within the application?**

In order to protect your privacy, Social Security Number is not required to complete the application for admission. Your SSN is used as a matching identifier to avoid student duplication and match with submitted Federal Financial Aid. If you choose to not enter your SSN on this form and prefer to give your SSN to an Admissions Representative, please contact the Barton Admissions Office (620) 792-9286 or (800) 722-6842.

### **What qualifies me to be considered as a Kansas resident?**

For the purpose of being assessed college tuition, Kansas residents are persons, who, if adults, have resided, or if minors (under 18) whose parents have resided in Kansas for six months immediately preceding the first day of classes. Certain undocumented immigrants and others may be eligible for resident tuition. This applies to any student who: 1. Has attended an accredited Kansas high school for three or more years and 2. Either graduated from an accredited Kansas high school or has earned a GED issued in Kansas and 3. a. in the case of a person without lawful immigration status; has signed and filed an affidavit with the institution stating that the person or

the person's parents have filed an application to legalize such person's immigration status, or will file such an application as soon as such person is eligible to do so or b. in the case of a person with a legal nonpermanent immigration status, has filed with the postsecondary education institution an affidavit stating that such person has filed an application to begin the process for U.S. citizenship or will file such application as soon as such person is eligible to do so. Students who meet eligibility requirements should request an affidavit from the Admissions Office or the Office of Enrollment Services.