

LOS GATOS UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT SENIOR CITIZEN EXEMPTION INFORMATION SHEET

1. What is the parcel tax?

Each parcel owner within the Los Gatos Union School District is assessed \$290 per parcel a year to protect outstanding core programs in reading, writing, math, and science; retain highly qualified teachers; keep classroom technology, science resources, books and instructional materials updated; maintain art and music programs.

2. What exemptions are available?

The following exemptions will be granted upon application:

- Senior Citizen Exemption
- Contiguous Parcel Exemption
- Supplemental Security Income for a disability exemption

3. How do I qualify for the senior citizen exemption?

You qualify for an exemption if:

You are 65 years of age or older on or before June 30, 2019, and you are the owner of a parcel within the Los Gatos Union School District, and that parcel is your principal residence. You must own and live in your home as of July 1 of the year the tax is due.

4. How do I apply for an exemption?*

Submit a completed [Senior Citizen Exemption Application](#) along with valid proof of age and residency documentation. Exemptions can be filed in person, email, or by mail.

A. Provide one of the following as proof of birthdate:

- Driver's License
- Birth Certificate
- Passport
- Medicare Card

B. Provide one of the following as verification of residency:

- Driver's License
- Utility Bill
- Social Security Check
- Tax Bill

Exemptions can be filed in person, e-mail, or by mail. Please submit the completed application form and proof of birthdate and residency to:

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FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CALL (408) 335-2025.

***Exemption requests must be verified annually.**