#### 500.14 Tuition Waivers: Employees

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Refer to Policy 500.14 for tuition waiver eligibility criteria relating to employees and their spouse/children; the following outlines the process for claiming this benefit.

## **Process for Current Employee**

A. After registering for class(es), the employee must:

- 1. Complete an Employee Tuition Waiver Request. NOTE: This is not needed if it's an IECC course required for employment or onboarding.
  - Provide information pertaining to the course(s) for which a tuition waiver is requested by attaching the student's schedule of classes.
  - If the employee is requesting a tuition and fees waiver for purpose of professional development, the employee must explain the benefit of the class for the employee and the District.
- 2. Secure supervisor's approval/signature on the request form.
- B. Upon receipt of a request form from employee, the supervisor shall:
  - 1. Confirm eligibility of employee, spouse, or child per Policy 500.14.
  - 2. Confirm the course is beneficial to the employee and IECC if the waiver is being requested for professional development.
  - 3. Contact the employee or Human Resources if any questions or concerns.
  - 4. Sign/date the form indicating approval of waiver.
  - 5. Send a copy to Human Resources.
  - 6. Forward original to the Business Office at the campus of attendance.
- C. Upon receipt of a request form copy, Human Resources will:
  - 1. Verify eligibility of employee, spouse, or child per Policy 500.14.
  - 2. Notify supervisor and/or Business Officer at campus of any concerns.
  - 3. Retain copy in the employee's personnel file.
- D. Upon receipt of a request form, the Business Officer (or designee) will:
  - 1. Calculate the waived charges (including tuition and <u>all fees</u> when the course is for an employee's professional development).
  - 2. Contact the supervisor or Human Resources if any questions or concerns.
  - 3. Sign/date the form indicating approval of waiver.
  - 4. Enter waiver information into Banner.
  - 5. Retain the Employee Tuition Waiver Request.

## Process When Course is an IECC Course Required for Employment or Onboarding

- A. The employee should not complete an Employee Tuition Waiver Request form.
- B. By 10-day, the Director of CETL (for CETL courses) or supervisor (other than CETL courses) will complete the Tuition Waiver/Course Completion Notification form to advise the Business Office of the applicable course(s) and the list of employees who took the course(s).
- C. Upon receipt of the Notification form, the Business Officer (or designee) will:
  - 1. Calculate the waived charges, including tuition and fees.
  - 2. Contact the form originator or HR if any questions or concerns.
  - 3. Sign/Date the form indicating approval of waiver.
  - 4. Enter waiver information into Banner.
  - 5. Retain the Course Tuition Waiver Notification form.

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## Process for Spouse/Children of Deceased Employee

In the case of the death of a full-time active employee, the Executive Director of Human Resources (or designee) will:

- A. Provide their spouse/child(ren) with eligibility information pertaining to the availability of an employee tuition waiver.
- B. Advise spouse/child(ren) to contact Human Resources to utilize the waiver.
- C. Assist with completion of the Employee Tuition Waiver Request form and serve as the approval source.
- D. Forward original to the Business Officer at the campus of attendance to be processed in the same manner described above.
- E. Retain copy in employee's personnel file.





# Employee Tuition Waiver Request

Per policy and procedure 500.14, employees must complete this form to claim a tuition waiver for IECC courses.

| Employee: Complete this section, attach class schedule, and submit to your supervisor for processing.   |     |  |  |  |
|---|-----|--|--|--|
| I am an employee at: FCC LTC OCC WVC DO B&I Date of Request:  |     |  |  |  |
| Employee Name: ID #:  |     |  |  |  |
| This waiver is for: Myself  |     |  |  |  |
| SpouseChild > Name:   |     |  |  |  |
| Student ID # or date of birth:  |     |  |  |  |
| This waiver is for Term: Spring Summer Year: at: (colleged)   | ge) |  |  |  |
| <b>Employee: Complete for Professional Development Course Waiver Only.</b><br>Provide an explanation as to how this course will benefit you and IECC: |     |  |  |  |

Supervisor: Confirm eligibility, sign, send HR a copy, forward approved requests to Business Office of enrolled college. If this is a part-time employee, determine eligibility based on:

Faculty – Credit hours teaching in term designated above (must be 3 semester or more): \_\_\_\_\_

Non-faculty – Hours working (per week) in term designated above (must be 10 hours or more): \_\_\_\_\_

I have confirmed eligibility of waiver for employee/spouse/child. I approve the waiver for employee's Professional Development:

Supervisor's Signature

Date

| College Business Office Use Only   |                 |                            |   |  |
|--|-----------------|----------------------------|---|--|
| Tuition Rate: \$   | X Credit Hours: | = Total Tuition Waived: \$ | - |  |
| IF course has been approved for Professional Development, include fees:<br>Universal Fees Waived: \$ |                 |                            |   |  |
|  |                 | Course Fees Waived: \$     |   |  |
|  |                 | Total Amount Waived: \$    | _ |  |
| Business Officer's Signature   |                 | Date                       |   |  |
| Entered in Banner by:  |                 | Date:                      |   |  |