



State of WA Tuition Waiver for Child or Spouse of Totally Disabled or POW/MIA or Deceased Eligible Veterans or National Guard Members

The legislature established this waiver to honor active and reserve veterans, National Guard members and their dependents. This is a mandatory tuition waiver for the child or spouse of totally disabled or POW/MIA or deceased eligible veterans or National Guard Members. Colleges shall waive all tuition (operating and building fees) and services and activities for:

- Child or spouse of an eligible veteran or National Guard member who became totally disabled while engaged in active federal military or naval service, and have no earned income. **"Totally Disabled"** means a person who has been determined to be 100% disabled by the Federal Department of Veteran Affairs.
- Child or spouse of an eligible veteran or National Guard member who is determined/declared to be a **Prisoner of War or Missing in Action**.
- Child or spouse of an eligible veteran or National Guard member who lost his or her life.

Conditions for applying for this waiver include:

- The child or spouse must a Washington domiciliary.
- Child must be between the age of 17 and 26. A child's marital status does not affect eligibility.
- Surviving child or spouse have 10 years from the date of the death, total disability, or federal determination of POW or MIA status of the eligible veteran or National Guard member to receive the waiver.
- Surviving spouses are ineligible for the waiver upon remarriage.
- Continued participation in the waiver program is subject to the college's Academic Standards policy.

Name		ctcLink ID Number	
Birthdate		Phone Number	
Street Address			
City and Zip Code			
Email Address			
<input type="checkbox"/>	Child of Totally Disabled, POW, MIA, or Deceased Eligible Veteran/National Guard Member		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Spouse of Totally Disabled, POW, MIA, or Deceased Eligible Veteran/National Guard Member		
Child or Spouse of Totally Disabled, POW, MIA, or Deceased Eligible Veteran/National Guard Member must submit the following 3 – 4 items. Please mark the documents you are submitting & attach to this form.			
<input type="checkbox"/>	DD-214 (Member 4 Copy) for parent or spouse	<input type="checkbox"/>	Birth Certificate or Marriage Certificate
<input type="checkbox"/>	Proof of Washington residency for both eligible veteran/National Guard member and student. Declaration of living in Washington for 12 months continuously prior to the start of first quarter.		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Documentation by the Federal Department of Veteran Affairs for Totally Disabled.		
<i>I certify or declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of Washington state that the foregoing is true and correct.</i>			
Student Signature		Date	

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