



**APPLICATION FOR TUITION WAIVER
FOR CHILDREN OR SPOUSE
OF DISABLED/DECEASED/MIA/POW
VETERANS
(UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS)**

Eligibility: You are eligible to receive a waiver of tuition and fees if your parent or spouse was an eligible veteran* who 1) became totally disabled (a person has been determined to be one hundred percent disabled by the Federal Department of Veterans Affairs); or 2) lost his or her life while engaged in active federal military or naval service; or 3) has been determined by the federal government to be a prisoner of war or missing in action.

Conditions: The waiver is awarded only to undergraduate students pursuing their first bachelor’s degree. To continue using the waiver, the student must comply with Financial Aid’s Satisfactory Academic Progress Requirements. Total credits earned using the waiver may not exceed 200 credits. Both the beneficiary and the sponsor must be Washington residents. Children of the sponsor must be between the age of seventeen and twenty-six to be eligible for this waiver. A child’s marital status does not affect eligibility. A surviving spouse must be a Washington resident. To receive this waiver, a surviving spouse has ten years from the date of death, total disability, or federal determination of POW or MIA status of the eligible veteran. Upon remarriage, the surviving spouse is ineligible for the waiver of tuition and fees.

Procedures: Complete the application section below and attach: 1) a copy of your parent’s or spouse’s DD-214 or other supporting documentation showing their qualifying service and proof of death, disability, MIA status, or POW status; 2) a copy of your birth certificate or marriage certificate; 3) proof of your Washington domiciliary; and 4) proof of your eligible sponsor’s Washington domiciliary. Use the below table as a checklist, but do not write in it. **If you have previously received this waiver from a Washington State institution of higher education since July 15, 2007**, you must also complete the Supplementary Form and submit it along with all other required documents listed above.

If eligible for this waiver your \$250 confirmation fee may be waived or if fee is already paid, it may be reimbursed. Please contact the Veterans Services Office at 360-650-3324 to learn more about the waiver and confirmation fee.

*An *eligible veteran* is one who served in active federal service, under either Title 10 or Title 32 of the United States Code, in war or conflict fought on foreign soil or in international waters or in another location in support of those serving on foreign soil or in international waters, and if discharged from service, has received an honorable discharge.

APPLICATION SECTION

I wish to use the waiver starting _____ (term), _____ (year)
 Name _____ WWU Student Id _____
 Email _____ Daytime Phone _____

I certify that I meet the eligibility requirements and understand the conditions listed above.

 Signature Date

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Chapter 35 eligibility verified		Birth or Marriage Certificate	
DD-214 (member copy #4) (or other supporting documents)		WA domiciliary of student	
Proof of Death/Disability		WA domiciliary of veteran (parent/spouse)	
Supplementary Transfer Student Form		Waiver Approved/Denied	

