



**Tuition Waiver: Child or Spouse of Disabled/Deceased Law Enforcement Officer or Firefighter**

**ELIGIBILITY:** Students receive a waiver of all tuition and fees if a parent or spouse was an eligible Law Enforcement Officer or Firefighter who, in the line of duty while employed by a public law enforcement agency or full-time or volunteer fire department:

1. Became totally disabled as defined in RCW 28B.15.385; or
2. Lost his or her life

**CONDITIONS:** To qualify for this waiver:

1. The child (biological, adopted, or stepchild) must be a Washington Domiciliary within 10 years of high school graduation. Marital status does not affect eligibility.
2. The surviving spouse must be a Washington Domiciliary. Upon remarriage, the surviving spouse is ineligible for the waiver.
3. Students must not be enrolled in fee-based courses or programs.

**PROCEDURES:** Complete the application below and attach documentation showing:

1. Proof of qualifying service (such documentation from the Department of Retirement Systems),
2. Proof of death or disability while in the line of duty,
3. Copy of a birth certificate or marriage certificate, and
4. Proof of student Washington Domiciliary (such as driver’s license and lease/mortgage statement).

**Please Complete the Following and Return with Supporting Documentation to Enrollment Services (West 201)**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ SID: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

OFFICE USE ONLY			
Department of Retirement Systems		WA Domiciliary of student	
Proof of Death/Disability		Other Supporting Documents	
Birth or Marriage Certificate		<b>FPS adjusted</b>	