

HOUSTON COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM EXEMPTIONS/WAIVERS

WAIVER	TARGET POPULATION	FEES WAIVED	STATUTE & TYPE
W001	Hazlewood-Veterans who were Texans when they entered the service: served at least 180 days of active military duty (excluding training) ; Tuition of \$450/hr. for Aviation program courses is not covered by this exemption as it is extra-ordinary cost under Section 54.203 p. (g) of the Education Code.	Tuition & Fees	Sec 54.203 State Mandatory
W003	Highest Graduate-Valedictorians of each accredited Texas High School	Tuition *	Sec 54.201 State Optional
W004	American Hemisphere-Students from other nations of the western hemisphere (other than Cuba)	Tuition	Sec 54.207 State Optional
W005	Deaf or Blind students	Tuition & Fees	Sec 54.205 State Mandatory
W006	Children of Disabled Fireman / Peace Officers	Tuition & Fees	Sec 54.204 State Mandatory
W007	Employee Exemption - Full time employees, spouse and children, partime instructors, counselors and librarians actively employed	General Fees for Semester Hour; 50% not to exceed \$100 for specified continuing ed courses	HCCS
W009	Fireman Exemption- Persons employed as fire fighters enrolled in courses offered as a part of a Fire Science curriculum	Tuition & Lab Fees	Sec 54.208 State Mandatory
W010	Children of POW's/MIA's - <u>Student must be 21 or younger or 25 or younger and receiving most of his/her support from a parent.</u>	Tuition & Fees	Sec 54.209 State Mandatory
W012	Nonresidency Military Personnel-Military personnel stationed in Texas, their spouse and children	Tuition Out of State and General fee Out of State	Sec. 54.058 State Mandatory
W013	Employees of State University-Person employed at least half time as a professor, their spouse and children	Tuition Out of State and General fee Out of State	Sec 54.059 State Mandatory
W016	Teaching or Research Assistant-Teaching or Research Assistants, spouse and children	Tuition Out of State and General fee Out of State	Sec 54.063 State Mandatory
W018	Nonresident Competitive Scholarship- Nonresident or foreign students receiving competitive scholarships	Tuition Out of State and General fee Out of State	Sec 54.064 State Optional

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W019	Senior Citizens-55 years and older	\$10 per semester hr., \$10 per CEU course & 10 per non-credit course	HCCS State Optional
W020	Dept. of Corrections-Persons incarcerated in the Harris County Jail	Tuition & Fees	HCCS Training Agreement
W045	Dual Credit and Middle College Students, Private School and Home School Students, who are taking college level courses while still in high school.	Tuition & Fees (excluding Out-of-District Tuition)	HCCS Sec 130.008 State Optional
W054	Concurrent Enrollment-Students enrolled concurrently in more than one public institution of higher education	Minimum Tuition	Sec 54.062 State Mandatory
W065	Eco Development-Students whose families transferred to Texas as a part of the state's plan for economic development	Tuition Out of State and General fee Out of State	Sec 54.052 (h) State Mandatory
W066	Foster Care Children-Students in Foster or Other Residential Care	Tuition & Fees	Sec 54.211 State Mandatory
W069	Reciprocal Exchange Program- Students from Mexico or Canada participating in an exchange program	Tuition Out of State and General fee Out of State	Sec 54.060 State Optional
W070	Family Unity Program- Eligible non-citizens who pay resident tuition through INS	Tuition Out of State and General fee Out of State	State Optional
W075	Undocumented Students - Undocumented Students who satisfy HCCS admission and residency requirements	Tuition Out of State and General fee Out of State	HCCS
W076	Surviving Spouse and Dependent Children of Certain Deceased Public Servants killed in the line of duty	Tuition & Fees	Sec 615.003 State Mandatory
W079	Beneficiaries of Prepaid Tuition Contract established by the Prepaid Higher Education Board in the office of the Comptroller (TX Tomorrow Fund).	Tuition Out of State and General fee Out of State	Sec 54.621 State Mandatory
* Waive tuition only (excluding Out of district tuition)			