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GENERAL POLICY

In an effort to ensure access to the two-year college mission, meet workforce needs in our state, and achieve a diverse student population reflective of the people of Louisiana, LCTCS colleges are authorized to reduce the cost of attendance through the awarding of institutional aid. Institutional aid includes, but is not limited to, waivers, exemptions, discounts, and scholarships. Such practices should be judicious and strategic.

Guidelines

Senior Citizen Waiver:

In the spirit of the 2011 Louisiana Laws Revised Statute 17:1807, the Chancellor has approved the awarding of waivers for senior citizens even without funding from the legislature.

Students who are 55 years of age or older (proof of date of birth is required) and are a resident of Louisiana are not charged tuition and fees for up to three credit hours per semester.

Students are not allowed to audit a course or take non-credit courses and receive the waiver.

Course/Lab fees will not be waived under this policy nor will individuals enrolled under this waiver be granted reductions in cost of materials, books or supplies.

Waivers/Scholarships will be reduced at the same rate listed in the RPCC Catalog's Refund Policy when student resigns/withdraws from the college.

In order to receive this waiver, students must apply in the Business Office each semester and provide a valid Louisiana Driver's License or State of Louisiana Identification Card.