

6104.1 ELIGIBILITY

As authorized in RCW 28B.15.540, Community College District 18 may waive, in whole or in part, the tuition and services and activities fees for students who are Washington residents and who are sixty years of age or older. Community College District 18 will waive all tuition except \$10.00 (non-refundable) per course to a maximum of two courses per quarter and will waive all services and activities fees.

6104.2 SPECIAL PROVISIONS

When granting waivers as authorized by this section, Community College District 18 shall be subject to the following regulations:

- A. Senior citizens who desire to enroll under the provisions of this section shall not be required to pass any financial need or means test as the basis for receiving such waivers.
- B. Such waivers shall not be applied to more than two courses per individual per quarter; however, qualified senior citizens may enroll in additional courses upon payment of the required tuition and fees normally charged to other students so enrolled.
- C. Such waivers shall be granted only on a "space available" basis after opportunity has been given for other students to register for courses offered by the college district.
- D. No new or additional courses or course sections shall be created for the purpose of accommodating enrollments of students enrolled on the basis of waivers under this section.
- E. Waivers under this section shall not be granted to individuals who plan to use credits thus earned to improve their status for credentialing or salary schedule purposes; provided that it shall be the responsibility of the student to inform the college of the intended use of credits earned through enrollment under this fee waiver authorization.
- F. Enrollment information and statistical data relating to enrollment made under this section must be maintained separately and must be discreetly identified and distinguished from enrollments reported to the State Board for Community College Education for all fiscal purposes.
- G. Computations of enrollment levels, student-faculty ratios, or other similar enrollment-related statistics must exclude student credit hours generated by enrollments for which waivers have been granted under this section.
- H. Individuals enrolled under this section must be afforded equal opportunity to utilize advisory and counseling services offered by the college.
- I. All existing course prerequisites must apply to students enrolled under this section.