

# VALENCIA COLLEGE

## SENIOR CITIZEN TUITION WAIVER / CERTIFICATION FORM

The state of Florida allows public universities to waive tuition for persons 60 years of age or older who are residents of the state of Florida and who attend credit level or developmental education classes (F.S.1009.26 4). Valencia College extends this same opportunity to those who meet the criteria described in statute and who wish to take college level or developmental courses at the college. This privilege is granted on a space-available basis only and does not include continuing education courses. Moreover, persons using this waiver may only audit their courses and may not be awarded grades or academic credit.

Please note: the admissions application fee, lab fees and other special fees such as music practice fees and distance learning fees are not waived.

Students who wish to take advantage of the senior waiver must agree to the following:

1. Registration is on a space-available basis only, **not before** the 'Senior Citizen and State Employee Registration Begins' date. This date varies for each part of term and is the first day you are permitted to register using the waiver as noted on the Important Dates & Deadlines calendar on Valencia College's website (<https://catalog.valenciacollege.edu/importantdatesdeadlines/>).
2. Senior Citizens registering under this provision are governed by the same rules and regulations as all other students and may take advantage of the same services and activities provided for all students.
3. You must audit the class; you will not eligible for a grade or college credit. If you desire to earn college credit, you will be charged tuition.
4. Because all courses must be taken as an audit, Financial Aid is not available.
5. This waiver may be used for no more than 6 credit hours and does not cover distance learning or lab course fees.

APPLICABLE TERM:

YEAR :

Course Reference Number (CRN) <i>Example: 20541</i>	Credit Hours <i>Example: 3</i>	Course Prefix and Number <i>Example: ENC-1101</i>

**PLEASE NOTE:** Registration shall be on a space-available basis only, no earlier than the first day of Senior Citizen and State Employee Registration for the part of term of the class(es) chosen. This is typically no more than a week before the class starts (please refer to the Important dates and deadlines calendar link underlined under 1. above). If you register early in order to assure a seat in the course, you will be charged full course fees with no rights to a waiver or refund unless you drop the course by the appropriate drop/refund deadline or if the course is canceled. Additionally, if you get permission to override into a course that is full, you will be charged for the course.

After you complete your course registration(s) online, you must submit this form in person to the Business Office (East, West, or Osceola campuses only) -or- email it along with a copy of your driver's license or state ID to: [accountsreceivable@valenciacollege.edu](mailto:accountsreceivable@valenciacollege.edu). Staff will then assist you with making payment for any remaining course fees and changing your course status to audit. If you do not agree to change to audit status, your tuition will not be waived.

By signing this form, you certify that you are 60 years of age or older, have already been classified as a Florida resident for tuition purposes (have met all requirements & deadlines) and will be auditing the above listed class(es). In addition, you have read and agree to all conditions stated above and are applying to have your tuition waived for these courses (less course fees not covered by waiver).

Student Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_

Valencia ID: V \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Office Verification Use Only:</b> Date Processed _____ Processed by _____ Florida Resident for Tuition Purposes _____ 60 years of age or older _____ Date Registered _____
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