

## Tuition Waiver for Public School Teachers

Pursuant to Section 1009.26(10), Florida Statutes, Florida colleges may waive tuition and associated matriculation fees for classroom teachers enrolled in courses approved by the Department of Education for up to six (6) college credit hours per term. Section 1012.01(2)(a), Florida Statutes, defines a classroom teacher as one who must be employed on a full-time basis by a school district and must meet the academic requirements established by the state university or college.

### The teacher must:

1. Complete an application or reapplication to Polk State College online at [www.polk.edu](http://www.polk.edu)
2. Indicate on the application that you are a non-degree seeking student.
3. Complete and submit this form to the Admission and Registrar's Office.
4. Provide a letter on district or school letterhead stating that the teacher is a full-time classroom teacher and indicate the years of employment.

I am requesting a waiver for :    \_\_\_ Fall    \_\_\_ Spring    \_\_\_ Summer; in Academic Year \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Courses: List the course number, title and the number of credit hours		
	Course ID	Please list up to 4 courses, 2 preferred, 2 alternate
Preferred		
Preferred		
Alternate		
Alternate		

*Note: Classes cannot be during regular PCSB school hours.*

I, the undersigned, acknowledge the following:

- My waiver of tuition and fees will apply to no more than six credit hours per term.
- I must register for classes during the drop/add period of the term with **no** registration activity on that course for that term prior to the drop/add period. (If you register and then drop the course prior to the drop/add period, the course is disqualified for the term.)
- The late fee for the course is waived.
- All other charges/fees are my responsibility.
- My ability to secure the courses I request depends on space availability.
- None of the classes I am requesting meet during regular PCSB school hours
- The courses I am requesting qualify based on the approved list.

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Teacher's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

### Course Prefix Listing Approved for the Teacher Waiver

Category	Discipline Title	Prefix	Prefix Title
Mathematics	Mathematics	MAA	Mathematics - Analysis
Mathematics	Mathematics	MAC	Mathematics - Calculus and Precalculus
Mathematics	Mathematics	MAD	Mathematics - Discrete
Mathematics	Mathematics	MAP	Mathematics Applied
Mathematics	Mathematics	MAS	Mathematics - Algebraic Structures
Mathematics	Mathematics	MAT	Mathematics
Mathematics	Mathematics	MGF	Mathematics - General and Finite
Mathematics	Mathematics	MHF	Mathematics - History and Foundations
Mathematics	Mathematics	MTB	Mathematics - Technical and Business
Mathematics	Mathematics	MTG	Mathematics - Topology and Geometry
Mathematics	Quantitative Methods In Business	QMB	Quantitative Methods In Business
Mathematics	Statistics	STA	Statistics
Science	Biochemistry	BCH	Biochemistry (Biophysics)
Science	Biological Science	BOT	Botany
Science	Biological Science	BSC	Biological Sciences
Science	Biological Science	MCB	Microbiology
Science	Biological Science	PCB	Process Biology (Cell/Molecular/Ecology/Genetics/Physiology)
Science	Biological Science	ZOO	Zoology
Science	Chemistry	CHM	Chemistry
Science	Chemistry	CHS	Chemistry - Specialized
Science	Environmental Studies	EVR	Environmental Studies
Science	Environmental Studies	EVS	Environmental Science
Science	Geology	ESC	Earth Science
Science	Geology	GLY	Geology
Science	Interdisciplinary Science/Natural Science	GFD	Geophysical Fluid Dynamics
Science	Interdisciplinary Science/Natural Science	ISC	Interdisciplinary Sciences
Science	Interdisciplinary Science/Natural Science	MOB	Molecular Biophysics
Science	Meteorology	MET	Meteorology
Science	Oceanography/Ocean Engineering	EOC	Ocean Engineering
Science	Oceanography/Ocean Engineering	OCB	Biological Oceanography
Science	Oceanography/Ocean Engineering	OCC	Chemical Oceanography
Science	Oceanography/Ocean Engineering	OCE	General Oceanography
Science	Oceanography/Ocean Engineering	OCG	Geological Oceanography
Science	Oceanography/Ocean Engineering	OCP	Physical Oceanography
Science	Physics	AST	Astronomy
Science	Physics	PHY	Physics
Science	Physics	PHZ	Physics (Continued)
Science	Physics	PSC	Physical Sciences
Special Education	Education: Exceptional Child	EBD	Education: Emotional/Behavioral Disorders
Special Education	Education: Exceptional Child	EEX	Education: Exceptional Child - Core Competencies
Special Education	Education: Exceptional Child	EGI	Education: Gifted
Special Education	Education: Exceptional Child	EHD	Education: Hard of Hearing & Deaf
Special Education	Education: Exceptional Child	ELD	Education: Specific Learning Disabilities
Special Education	Education: Exceptional Child	EMR	Education: Mental Retardation
Special Education	Education: Exceptional Child	EPD	Education: Physical & Multiple Disabilities
Special Education	Education: Exceptional Child	EVI	Education: Visually Impaired-Blind