

Regents Out of State Tuition Waiver

Graduate College Awards

The Graduate College is authorized by the Board of Regents to offer a limited number (20) of out-of-state tuition waivers to students that are classified as non-residents by the State of Georgia. The awards are based on the applicant's academic record and the recommendation of their program. The waiver renews on a semester basis contingent upon recipients earning at least a 3.5 graduate GPA. These awards waive only the non-resident portion of the student's tuition. Students interested in this award should complete the application form and submit it to the Graduate Dean by the posted deadline.

- Students receiving the Graduate out-of-state waiver may not receive any other tuition waivers from Kennesaw State University.
- Students receiving the Graduate out-of-state waiver must enroll in at least 6 hours. Failure to do so may result in forfeiting the award.
- Recipients must maintain at least a 3.5 graduate GPA to receive the tuition waiver. For new students that do not yet have a KSU graduate GPA, the final GPA from the bachelor's degree will be used to determine eligibility.
- Applicants for the waiver must be accepted by a KSU Graduate program prior to applying for the waiver.
- Students may not receive waiver hours that total more than the stated length of their program.
- Students may not receive this waiver for more than one graduate degree program at KSU.
- Students in an Executive or Premier priced program are not eligible for this waiver.

Application deadlines:

- **July 1 for Fall Semester**
- **November 1 for Spring Semester**
- **April 1 for Summer semester**

CRITERIA AND PROCESS:

To Be Eligible:

At least 3.5 GPA; Recommendation of graduate program director; Acceptance into a Graduate Program

Process:

Requests will not be reviewed until the stated deadline. If there are more requests than waivers available, applications may be ranked by GPA and/or other academic indicators that may be present (test scores, personal statements, etc).

Awards to be announced no later than 20 business days after deadline.

Request for Graduate Out-of-State Tuition Waiver

Name _____ KSU ID _____

Email _____ Telephone _____

Citizenship:

- US Citizen
- Permanent Resident (Green Card)
- Non-Resident Alien – Visa Type _____

Country of Citizenship _____

Semester you are applying for: _____

How many semesters to you anticipate needing the waiver: _____

Which Graduate program have you been accepted into: _____

As the Graduate Program Director for this student's program, I support their request for this waiver.

Graduate Program Director Name: _____ Date: _____

Graduate Program Director Signature: _____

By signing below I certify that the above information is correct and that I will not be receiving any other tuition waivers from Kennesaw State University.

Applicant Name: _____ Date: _____

Applicant Signature: _____

Completed form to be submitted to The Graduate College Office – KH 3422 or email to npalamio@kennesaw.edu

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Rcvd Date: GPA: Other Notes:

Approved: Date: