

CALVET

COLLEGE FEE WAIVER

Plan A:

You may be eligible if you're:

1. A Child (Unmarried)

- Your parent is a veteran who is 100% disabled due to service, or
- Died from a service-connected cause.
- Must be 14 to 27 years old (or up to 30 if you're also a veteran).
- The disability or death must have occurred before your 21st birthday.

2. A Spouse or Registered Domestic Partner (RDP)

- Your spouse is a wartime veteran rated as totally disabled due to service, or
- You are the unmarried surviving spouse or RDP of a wartime veteran who died from a service-connected cause.
- No age limits.

3. A Dependent

- Your veteran parent is missing in action, captured, or detained by a foreign power.

Other Rules:

- The veteran must have served at least one day during wartime or received a campaign/expeditionary medal.
- No income limits apply.
- You cannot get both Plan A and VA Chapter 35 benefits at the same time—you must choose one.

Required documents:

Submit the following documents to
VETERANS@FULLERTON.EDU

Plan B:

A child may qualify if their parent is a veteran who:

- Has a service-connected disability,
- Had one at the time of death, or
- Died from service-related causes.

Requirements:

- The child's total income (including parental support) must be below a set limit.
- Income is based on the previous year's earnings.
[If no income, applicant must submit a "Verification of Non-filing" letter from the IRS with application.]
- No wartime service or age limits are required.

**CHILDREN ARE THE ONLY DEPENDENTS ELIGIBLE
UNDER THIS PLAN**

CAN BE COMBINED WITH VA CH. 35 BENEFIT

CalVet Fee Waiver applications must be submitted to your local Veteran Service Office (VSO) **or** by logging into the [Cal Vet website](#).

General list of application documents (varies per applicant):

1. Application
2. The veteran's DD-214
3. Applicant's birth certificate
4. Service-connected disability statement (one you sent us)
5. 'Non-filing' letter from IRS *(if applicable)*

CalVet Fee Waiver does not pay campus based fees and any other associated fees outside tuition.
Student is responsible for any fees outside tuition.

Plan C:

1. Dependents of California National Guard members are eligible if the member:

- Was killed while on active state duty,
- Died from a service-related disability, or
- Is permanently disabled due to state service.

2. Surviving spouses or registered domestic partners (RDPs) who have not remarried are also eligible.

Important:

"Active service to the state" means the Guard member was activated under Section 146 of the Military and Veterans Code (not Section 143). You must provide a copy of those specific orders to prove eligibility.

Plan D:

- Medal of Honor recipients and their children under age 27 may be eligible.
- Only for undergraduate studies.
- There are income and age limits.
- You can receive VA Chapter 35 benefits at the same time.

IMPORTANT:

- Undergrad: CalVet Fee Waiver only covers Fall/Spring semesters
- Grad: CalVet Fee Waiver only covers Fall/Spring semesters

Note: Certain programs available only for graduate students may include coverage for summer semesters.

**** Contact us to verify ****

- CalVet Fee Waiver only covers 'state' supported programs.
- Student must reapply every academic year.

If you have any questions, please contact veterans@fullerton.edu

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