GEORGIA SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY
APPLICATION FOR OUT-OF-STATE TUITION DIFFERENTIAL WAIVER
GA NATIONAL GUARD AND U.S. MILITARY RESERVISTS
AND THEIR SPOUSES AND DEPENDENT CHILDREN

Prior to submitting a Georgia National Guard and U.S. Military Reservists out-of-state tuition waiver application, students are advised to review the University System of Georgia’s Georgia National Guard and U.S. Military Reservists out-of-state tuition waiver policy found in Section 7.3.4.1 of the Board of Regents Policy Manual (www.usg.edu/policymanual).

Section I – To be completed by the STUDENT

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Term applying for waiver:  

- [ ] Fall  
- [ ] Spring  
- [ ] Summer  
Year: ____________

Waiver application is based on:

- [ ] Self  
- [ ] Parent (students under the age of 24 only)  
- [ ] U.S. court-appointed legal guardian (students under the age of 24 only)  
- [ ] Spouse

Name of parent, U.S. court-appointed legal guardian or spouse upon whom the waiver is requested:

__________________________________________________________________________

Is the service member currently stationed in or assigned to Georgia?  

- [ ] Yes  
- [ ] No

Section II – STUDENT Oath and Affirmation

I understand that any material false statement made knowingly and willingly by me on this application, or any documents attached hereto may, in accordance with O.C.G.A. 16-10-71, which provides that upon conviction, a person who knowingly commits the offense of false swearing shall be punished by a fine of not more than $1,000 or by imprisonment for not less than one nor more than five years, or both, subject me to prosecution in a court of law. Additionally, I further understand that any such false statement may subject me to immediate dismissal from the institution.

Further, I certify that, to the best of my knowledge, the information submitted on this application is true and complete.

_________________________  
Student Signature  

_________________________  
Date
ALL STUDENTS MUST SUBMIT ONE OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS AS PROOF OF STATUS IN THE GA NATIONAL GUARD OR U.S. MILITARY RESERVES AND ASSIGNMENT TO GEORGIA:

- Letter or preprinted form from Commanding Officer or other appropriate official verifying service in the Georgia National Guard or the U.S. Military Reserves.
- Presentation of military ID card (must be presented in person – no copies may be accepted)
- Copy of orders
- Copy of Enlisted Record Brief (ERB)

LAWFUL PRESENCE IN THE UNITED STATES

In addition to the above waiver-specific documentation requirements, students must be verified to be lawfully present in the United States to be eligible for any out-of-state tuition waiver.

NOTE: Additional documentation may be requested to determine waiver eligibility.

IN ADDITION, STUDENTS APPLYING BASED ON A PARENT, U.S. COURT-APPOINTED LEGAL GUARDIAN OR SPOUSE MUST SUBMIT THE DOCUMENTATION LISTED UNDER A, B, OR C BELOW, AS APPROPRIATE:

A. APPLYING BASED ON A PARENT (Students under the age of 24 only)
- Copy of the birth certificate for the student listing the service member as a parent;
- Copy of the DD1172 (DEERS form) for the service member listing the student as a dependent;
- Copy of the federal income tax return filed by the service member for the most recent tax year and listing the student as a dependent child; or
- Presentation of the dependent military ID for the student (must be presented in person – no copies may be accepted).

B. APPLYING BASED ON A U.S. COURT-APPOINTED LEGAL GUARDIAN (Students under the age of 24 only)
- Copy of U.S. court documentation listing the service member as the guardian of the student;
- Copy of DD1172 (DEERS form) for the service member listing the student as a dependent;
- Copy of federal income tax return filed by the service member for the most recent tax year and listing the student as a dependent child; or
- Presentation of the dependent military ID for the student (must be presented in person – no copies may be accepted).

C. APPLYING BASED ON A SPOUSE
- Copy of the marriage certificate for the service member and the student; or
- Copy of a jointly filed federal income tax return filed by the service member for the most recent tax year listing the student as a spouse. Or, copy of a jointly filed federal income tax return filed by the student for the most recent tax year listing the service member as a spouse.

Submit completed form and required documentation to:

**NEW Undergraduate students:**

- Kevin Chambers
- Georgia Southern University
- Office of Admissions
- P.O. Box 8024
- Statesboro, GA 30460
- Phone: 912-478-0811
- Fax: 912-478-1156
- Email: kchambers@georgiasouthern.edu

**NEW Graduate students:**

- Naronda Wright
- Georgia Southern University
- Office of Graduate Admissions
- P.O. Box 8113
- Statesboro, GA 30460
- Phone: 912-478-5384
- Fax: 912-478-0740
- Email: narondawright@georgiasouthern.edu

Currently enrolled undergraduate and graduate students who have completed one or more semesters at Georgia Southern University can submit this completed form and copies of the required documentation to:

- Kyndra Thompson
- Georgia Southern University
- Office of the Registrar
- P.O. Box 8092
- Statesboro, GA 30460
- Phone: 912-478-8043
- Fax: 912-478-1130
- Email: kyndrathompson@georgiasouthern.edu

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