



## RHODE ISLAND COLLEGE SENIOR CITIZENS WAIVER SPRING 2024

Rhode Island residents that are at least 60 years of age may be eligible for a waiver of tuition for courses taken at Rhode Island College.

**Students must submit the following:**

- 1) RI Public Higher Education Senior Citizen MEANS Test
- 2) Signed copy of 2022 federal form 1040
- 3) Copy of RI Drivers License or RI State ID
- 4) Payment of required fees not covered by the waiver

**REGISTRATION DATE FOR SPRING 2024 IS: FRIDAY, JANUARY 12, 2024**

*\*\*Registration prior to this date will not be eligible for the tuition waiver. Waiver approval is based on space availability. Certain classes are not eligible for the tuition waiver (i.e. student teaching, practicum, applied music, clinical nursing & independent study).*

**NOTE:** Tuition waiver requests will not be processed if forms are incomplete, documentation is missing, or if payment for required fees is not presented. Waivers cannot be used for non-credit courses, program fees, or audit fees. Required documentation should be received by the Bursar's Office no later than January 19, 2024.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:** Waiver recipients enrolled in a degree program (*matriculated students*) **are required** to apply for Financial Aid by filing the 2023 – 2024 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). Please apply online at [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov). The FAFSA, and any verification documentation requested by the Financial Aid Office, at Rhode Island College, will be used to determine Financial Aid eligibility. Any scholarship or grant aid awarded will be applied toward your tuition in lieu of your waiver, and the amount of your waiver will be reduced accordingly. Waiver applications will be returned or denied if the FAFSA is not completed.

**Completed waiver applications and payment can be submitted to:**

Rhode Island College, Bursars Office  
600 Mount Pleasant Avenue, Building 4  
Providence, RI 02908



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RI PUBLIC HIGER EDUCATION  
SENIOR CITIZENS MEANS TEST

**ATTACH SIGNED COPY OF FEDERAL INCOME TAX RETURN**

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

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

RIC ID Number \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

**Send Completed Form To:**

Rhode Island College  
Bursars Office, Bldg 4  
600 Mount Pleasant Ave  
Providence, RI 02908

**OR:** Bursar@ric.edu

- 1) Are you're a resident of RI & at least 60 years of age? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No (**NOT ELIGIBLE**)
- 2) Did you file a 2022 tax return? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No (**NOT ELIGIBLE**)
- 3) Total income from form 1040 line 9: \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) Total number of dependents: \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. From form 1040, add 1 if single or add 2 if married filing jointly
- 5) Enter the amount from the table below which corresponds to number 4 from above: \_\_\_\_\_

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| 1) \$43,740 | 5) \$105,160 |
| 2) \$59,160 | 6) \$120,840 |
| 3) \$74,580 | 7) \$136,260 |
| 4) \$90,000 | 8) \$151,680 |

For family units with more than eight members, add \$15,420 for each additional family member.

**If the amount in Item 5 is more than the amount in Item 3, you qualify for the waiver.**

I declare that the above information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**For Office Use Only:**

Reviewed by \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Applied for Financial Aid: \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Matriculating Student: \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

**Waiver Approval:** \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

**NOTES:**