



Name: Senior Citizen Tuition Policy  
Category: Student Policies  
Subject: Senior Citizen course registration  
Owner: Student Affairs  
Related Procedures: Tuition and Fees  
Related Forms: N/A

### **I. SCOPE**

The proposed change updates the College’s Senior Citizen Tuition Policy to better describe the Senior Citizen Tuition registration period.

### **II. POLICY STATEMENT**

Delaware Technical and Community College intends to foster a culture in which all students, regardless of age, feel safe, supported, and fully involved by allowing Delaware residents 60 years of age or older and allows them to enroll tuition free in many College course. In all cases, the goal is to balance the needs of students seeking a DTCC degree and those more seasoned students seeking continuing learning opportunities.

### **III. POLICY**

Residents of the State of Delaware who are 60 years old or older may enroll tuition free in many credit courses. Workforce Development and Community Education and Program/Major courses in the College's competitive admissions programs are excluded. Persons eligible for this privilege are not required to pay tuition and registration, late registration, and student services fees. They shall pay the cost of all books, supplies, and other fees. This privilege is granted on a space-available basis. Due to limited space availability, the senior citizen registration period for tuition-free courses begins one week before the 15-week session begins for fall and spring semesters and one week before the 12-week session begins for summer semester. Registrations submitted prior to the opening of the senior citizen registration period will not be eligible for a tuition waiver. Students are not eligible for the senior citizen tuition waiver for any courses for which they were registered prior to the start of the senior citizen registration period.

### **IV. EFFECTIVE DATE(S)**

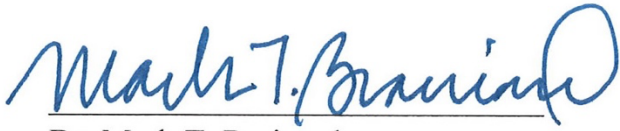
This policy will be effective August 1, 2023.

### **V. FREQUENCY OF REVIEW AND UPDATE**

This policy will be reviewed and updated bi-annually, if necessary.

**VI. SIGNATURE AND DATE OF APPROVAL**

Approved by the President on the date below:



Dr. Mark T. Brainard  
President

8/1/2023  
Date