

**ENROLLMENT SERVICES**Mail: PO Box 8106, San Luis Obispo, CA 93403-8106
Email: admit@cuesta.edu**Nonresident Tuition Exemption Affidavit
for Veterans and Dependents**

Effective for academic terms beginning after July 1, 2019, a student enrolled at Cuesta College who meets the following requirements are exempt from paying nonresident tuition:

- The student resides in California.
- The student meets the definition of “covered individual” in Section 3679(c)(2).
- The student is eligible for education benefits:
 - **Chapter 30:** Federal Montgomery GI Bill–Active Duty program
 - **Chapter 31:** Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment program
 - **Chapter 33:** Post-9/11 GI Bill program

After the expiration of the three-year period following discharge, a student who qualifies for an exemption from paying nonresident tuition will maintain “covered individual” status as long as the student remains continuously enrolled at Cuesta College, even if the student enrolls in multiple programs. “Continuously enrolled” means enrolled for at least the fall and spring semesters of an academic year and excludes summer session.

Affidavit for Eligible Veterans & Dependents**Eligible Veteran Information:**Last Name: _____
First Name: _____
Phone: _____**Cuesta Student ID Number of Veteran (if applicable):**9 _____
Email: _____**To Do Checklist:**

- ✓ **Attach a copy of DD214 and/or Certification of Eligibility (COE/TOE).**
- ✓ **Update California address in myCuesta portal, Student Self Service, Personal Information.**

Please check the following that applies to you below.

- A veteran who was discharged or released from a period of not fewer than 90 days of service in the active military, naval, air, or space service less than three years before the date of enrollment in the course(s) concerned.
- Member of the uniformed services who requests to transfer entitlement to educational assistance to an eligible spouse or child or combination. The transferor must make the required designation before the child attains the age of 23.

Name of eligible dependent: _____ Cuesta ID Number: _____
Relationship: Spouse Child Stepchild under VA definitionName of eligible dependent: _____ Cuesta ID Number: _____
Relationship: Spouse Child Stepchild under VA definition**I DECLARE UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY THAT THE ABOVE IS TRUE AND CORRECT.****I UNDERSTAND THAT IF ANY OF THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS UNTRUE, I WILL BE LIABLE FOR PAYMENT OF ALL NONRESIDENT CHARGES FROM WHICH I WAS EXEMPTED AND MAY BE SUBJECT TO DISCIPLINARY ACTION BY THE COLLEGE.****Signature of Veteran:** _____ **Date:** _____**Signature of Veteran’s Dependent:** _____ **Date:** _____**OFFICE USE ONLY**

Eligibility Verification:

- DD214 Certificate of Release of Discharge from Active Duty
Date of Discharge: _____
- COE (Certification of Eligibility) for Chapter 30, 31, or 33
- California Address (SPAIDEN)

Processed by: _____ Date: _____

Status Updated: **SFAREGS** Residency Code = **V**
Term: Spring Summer Fall Year: _____Student Notification: In-person US Mail Email

Definition of “Covered Individual”

A covered individual defined under Section 3679 of title 38, United States Code is defined as:

(A) A veteran who was discharged or released from a period of not fewer than 90 days of service in the active military, naval, air, or space service less than three years before the date of enrollment in the course concerned.

(B) An individual who is entitled to assistance under—

(i) section 3311(b)(8)

Section 3311(b)(8)

(A) commencing on or after September 11, 2001, serves an aggregate of at least 90 days, but less than 6 months, on active duty in the Armed Forces (excluding service on active duty in entry level and skill training); and

(B) after completion of service described in subparagraph (A)--

(i) continues on active duty for an aggregate of less than 6 months; or

(ii) before completion of service on active duty of an aggregate of 6 months, is discharged or released from active duty as described in subsection (c).

(ii) section 3319 by virtue of the individual's relationship to—

(I) a veteran described in (A); or

(II) a member of the uniformed services who is serving on active duty.

Section 3319

Eligible individuals: An individual referred to in subsection (a) is any member of the uniformed services who, at the time of the approval of the individual's request to transfer entitlement to educational assistance under this section, has completed at least--

(1) six years of service in the Armed Forces and enters into an agreement to serve at least four more years as a member of the uniformed services; or

(2) the years of service as determined in regulations pursuant to subsection (j).

Eligible dependents: An individual approved to transfer an entitlement to educational assistance under this section may transfer the individual's entitlement as follows:

(1) To the individual's spouse.

(2) To one or more of the individual's children.

(3) To a combination of the individuals referred to in paragraphs (1) and (2).

Limitation on months of transfer: The total number of months of entitlement transferred by a individual under this section may not exceed 36 months. The Secretary of Defense may prescribe regulations that would limit the months of entitlement that may be transferred under this section to no less than 18 months.

Designation of transferee: An individual transferring an entitlement to educational assistance under this section shall--

(1) designate the dependent or dependents to whom such entitlement is being transferred;

(2) designate the number of months of such entitlement to be transferred to each such dependent; and

(3) specify the period for which the transfer shall be effective for each dependent designated under paragraph (1).

(C) An individual who is entitled to rehabilitation under section 3102(a) of this title.

Section 3102(a)

The person is:

i. a veteran who has a service-connected disability rated at 20 percent or more which was incurred or aggravated in service on or after September 16, 1940; or

ii. hospitalized or receiving outpatient medical care, services, or treatment for a service-connected disability pending discharge from the active military, naval, air, or space service, and the Secretary determines that—

iii. the hospital (or other medical facility) providing the hospitalization, care, services, or treatment is doing so under contract or agreement with the Secretary concerned, or is under the jurisdiction of the Secretary of Veterans Affairs or the Secretary concerned; and

iv. the person is suffering from a disability which will likely be compensable at a rate of 20 percent or more under chapter 11 of this title