



Fairmont State University Board of Governors

Policy FA-06 (Formerly Policy #31)

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**TITLE: REDUCED TUITION AND FEES FOR
WV RESIDENTS SIXTY YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER**

SECTION 1: PURPOSE AND SCOPE

- 1.1 This BOG Policy establishes and defines a reduced tuition and fee program for residents of West Virginia who are sixty (60) years of age or older to take college courses, with the option of taking courses on a credit basis or no-credit basis.
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SECTION 2: ELIGIBILITY AND PARTICIPATION

- 2.1 Residents of West Virginia who are at least sixty (60) years of age may attend class for credit or no credit if space is available. No grade or credit will be given for participants who elect the no-credit option.
 - 2.2 Eligibility will be determined based on appropriate documents reflecting age and residency.
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SECTION 3: ADMISSION AND REGISTRATION

- 3.1 Participants will be admitted according to the admissions procedures outlined in the Fairmont State University academic catalog.
 - 3.2 Registration priority is based on credit hours earned, and in-progress hours are not counted. Eligible students may register on or after the date corresponding to their earned credit hours.
 - 3.3. Appropriate dates and times will be published on the Registrar Calendar for each term.
 - 3.4 Participants may register for either on- or off-campus courses.
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SECTION 4: FEE ASSESSMENT

- 4.1 Eligible participants must choose one of the following options for enrolling at Fairmont



State University at the time of registration:

- 4.1.1 **No Credit Option.** Eligible participants will be assessed fifty dollars (\$50) per course plus applicable fees. Technology, laboratory, parking, and other special fees will be charged at the regular student rate.
- 4.1.2 **Credit Option.** Participants electing to earn college credit will be granted a waiver of fifty percent (50%) of the normal tuition and fees for courses. Technology, laboratory, parking, and other special fees will be charged at the regular student rate.

SECTION 5: AUTHORITY

- 5.1 W.Va. Code §§ 18B-1-6 and 18B-10-7a