

Santa Fe College Rules Manual

Title:	Fee Deferments

Rule 7.12

General Authority: FS 1001.64 Law Implemented: FS 1009.27; 6A-14.054, FAC

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Purpose: To list the categories and restrictions to fee deferments.

## <u>Veterans</u>

An eligible veteran or other person who presents a certificate of eligibility to receive educational benefits from the Veterans Administration, or applies for such certification through the College, shall be granted, at his/her request, one 60-day deferment for payment of registration fees; however, no deferment shall be granted to persons who have received advanced or prepaid educational benefits.

Such deferment shall be limited to the first term of enrollment in any school year, or the first term of enrollment following a break in receipt of benefits from the Veterans Administration. The Board may, at its discretion, grant additional deferments.

The period of deferment shall not exceed the number of days of the term for which the eligible person is registered; but, if the term is for less than 60 days, the deferment shall be limited to ten days less than the number of days of the term.

Each person who receives a deferment shall first execute, as principle, a promissory note made payable to the College for the amount of deferred fees, and conditioned for payment upon expiration of the period of deferment. Such notes are exempt from documentary stamp requirements.

## Students Sponsored by Organization

Charges for tuition, fees, books, and supplies may be deferred and held in accounts receivable for students for which the College has received written authorization for payment from a business, industry, governmental unit, non-profit organization, or civic organization provided that the Bursar, as the Board's designee, has approved such organization for underwriting such an obligation.

Fees may be deferred from the last date of any registration period up to 60 days, or 10 days less than the number of days in any academic term which is less than 60 days in length.

## **Financial Aid**

Payment of registration and tuition fees may be deferred for any student who has qualified for financial assistance from federal or state sponsored financial aid programs when the College Financial Aid Office has evidence that the financial aid funds have been delayed in being made available to a student through circumstances beyond the control of that student.

The College shall not permit the deferment period to continue more than 60 days or the end of the term to which the deferment applies, whichever occurs first.

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