

RADFORD UNIVERSITY
REQUEST FOR REDUCED TUITION RATE FOR VIRGINIA EDUCATORS

Full-time Virginia educators (K-12) can qualify to pay a reduced tuition rate for Radford University courses offered on and off campus. Educators (teachers, administrators, counselors, and librarians) can be enrolled for a graduate degree, additional endorsements, or for re-licensure. Radford University has implemented this policy as recognition of the importance for Virginia educators to enhance their professional knowledge and skills.

For information on the current reduced rate contact the College of Graduate Studies and Research. Reduced Tuition Rate for Virginia Educator's is set by the Board of Visitors each May to be effective the following fall semester.

The following eligibility guidelines apply:

1. A baccalaureate degree is required for Kindergarten through grade 12 public and private school teachers, counselors, administrators, and librarians. Admission to the Radford University Graduate College as a matriculated or non-degree student is required.
2. Eligible personnel must be **full-time contractual employees** of a public school division or private school within the Commonwealth of Virginia.
3. Individuals on official leave from their assignments are eligible for reduced tuition.
4. There is no restriction on the number of hours that can be taken.
5. Courses for which educators' request reduced tuition must be for professional development, not for planned career changes outside of education.

* INSTRUCTIONS: A Request for Reduced Tuition Rate for Virginia Educators needs to be submitted once per academic year and is effective for both the academic year and the following summer sessions. You must submit a completed Virginia Educator's Reduced Tuition Form with required signatures to the Graduate College. **PLEASE NOTE:** Forms received without appropriate signatures will not be accepted or processed. The Graduate College staff will verify your eligibility and notify the Student Accounts Office and the Registrar's Office. If you do not qualify for the reduced rate, you will be responsible for any outstanding amount.

If you have any questions about the processing of your request for reduced tuition, please contact the Radford University Graduate College. This form may be submitted to the mailing address or the fax number below. **Last date for approval of request is ten (10) days following census date for appropriate term.**

College of Graduate Studies and Research
Radford University
P.O. Box 6928
Radford, VA 24142
Phone: (540) 831-5431
FAX: (540) 831-6061
Website: <http://www.radford.edu/gradcollege>

**EDUCATOR'S REQUEST FORM FOR REDUCED TUITION RATE
KINDERGARTEN THROUGH GRADE 12 (K-12)**

(Print or type all information)

Name: _____ Day Telephone: _____

Radford University Student ID Number: _____

Academic Year rate requested for: _____ - _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

List School Division in which currently employed: _____

List your school building address: _____

List your school building phone number: _____

List your current position title: _____

List your teaching grade and licensure level: _____

I hereby certify that the information provided on this request form is true and complete without evasion or misrepresentation. I understand that if it is found to be otherwise, it is sufficient cause for the denial of the request for reduced tuition.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____

Current employer's verification:

I hereby certify that the above named is employed/or on official leave in the Commonwealth of Virginia:

Signature of the Principal or Staff Development Coordinator

Date _____

Printed Name _____

Title _____

Phone Number _____

Graduate College Approval: _____ Date: _____

(See eligibility requirements and instructions for processing)

Return to: College of Graduate Studies and Research, P.O. Box 6928, Radford University, Radford, VA 24142, fax to 540 831-6061.