CALIFORNIA COLLEGE FEE WAIVER (CFW)

Required documents:

- **Birth Certificate** - It must show the student and veteran’s name. If the veteran and dependents last names are different, please provide additional documentation (I.E. Marriage Certificate or name change documents)

- **Tax Information** - **Student-SIGNED** copy of their federal income tax form 1040. If a child did not file a return, they must submit a statement from the IRS or the Franchise Tax Board which must verify the amount of Adjusted Gross Income or the fact that a return was not filed.

- **Benefit Summary & Service Verification Letter** (Issued by the VA: 1-800-827-1000 or VA.gov) - For the purpose of Plan A, letter must have been generated within the last 12 months. Plan details are listed on page 2 of the DVS-40 Form.

- **Current year application form (DVS-40)** - Available at www.calvet.ca.gov. To avoid delays in processing, please type or write in block letters to ensure your information is legible.

- **DD 214** - Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty (Member 2 or 4) Required for Plan A, Requested for Plan B.

**NOTE:**

1 – Students must meet the **California residency** requirements as determined by the college they will attend.

2 – Students must meet the requirements of **at least one of the CFW program plans** listed on page 2 of the DVS-40 Form. College Fee Waiver Program plan details can also be found at www.cacvso.org.

3 – Income Limits: Academic Year 2023-24 (National Poverty Level of $15,225)

Academic Year 2024-25 (**State Poverty Level of $21,561**)

**To submit applications:**

**EMAIL:** sdcvso.hhsa@sdcounty.ca.gov (Subject: CFW (Last Name, First Name)

**IN PERSON** (Monday-Friday 8AM to 5PM):

- 5055 Ruffin Rd, San Diego CA 92123
- 401 Mile of Cars Way, National City, CA 91950
- 649 W Mission Avenue, Escondido, CA 92025
- 3708 Ocean Ranch, Oceanside, CA 92056

**FAX:** (858) 573-7381

**MAIL:** Office of Military and Veteran’s Affairs, 5055 Ruffin Rd, San Diego CA 92123.

Please apply as early as possible. **Expect delays in processing near college registration and enrollment times.**