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## Background

In 2021, the Florida Legislature amended Section 1009.26, Florida Statutes, to create the Programs of Strategic Emphasis Waiver. This waiver was first available to resident undergraduate students enrolled in the 2021-2022 academic year who completed at least 60 semester credit hours towards a baccalaureate degree within two academic



## Implementation

Institutions shall award the Programs of Strategic Emphasis waiver according to the following guidance.

1. Applicable fees: The waiver applies to tuition and the following fees specified in Board Regulation 7.001 Tuition and Associated Fees and in Board Regulation 7.003 Fees, Fines, and Penalties.
  - a. Student Financial Aid Fee
  - b. Capital Improvement Fee
  - c. Health Fee
  - d. Athletic Fee
  - e. Activity and Service Fee
  - f. Technology Fee
  - g. Other fees approved by the Board of Governors pursuant to Regulation 7.003(26)
  - h. Tuition Differential
  - i. Transportation fees
  - j. Distance ) M

division courses.

8. Changes to academic programs: Institutions may not be allowed to request or process the following changes