STEP 2: Additional Requirements

- 1. A copy of the veteran's DD214 listing the Purple Heart Award or a copy of the Purple Heart Award Certificate must be attached when submitting the fee waiver form ;
- 2. Your institution must have a FAFSA on file for the academic year for which the fee waiver is desired . If you have filed a FAFSA and your current institution has not received your data , you may need to make a correction to add that institution to your FAFSA. Check with your institution's Financial Aid Office to confirm or for assistance.
- 3. Your institution must have valid documentation on file regarding eligibility status for VA Education or Veterans Readiness & Employment benefits (e.g. VA certificate of eligibility; eBenefits Statement; VR&E authorization; or Enrollment Manager). Check with your institution's School Certifying Official to confirm or for assistance.
- 4. For a child of a veteran awarded the Purple Heart, provide evidence of the following:
 - a. Proof of parent-child relationship (e.g. birth certificate, court documents, VA benefit eligibility);
 - Is a graduate of a Nevada high school (institution will verify and request documentation only if necessary); and
 - c. The veteran awarded the Purple Heart is a bona fide resident of Nevada pursuant to the Handbook (Title 4, Chapter 15) or was a bona fide resident a the time of veteran's death (institution will request appropriate documentation).

Institution Designated Office:

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