CRITERIA FOR APPLICATION

1. Applicant must be enrolled or accepted as a classified student into a UH Hilo degree or certificate program. Priority is given to students pursuing their first baccalaureate degree.

2. Applicant must have completed a minimum of 24 graded credits at UH Hilo at the time of application. Course credits for which students elect the CR/NC option do not count in the total number of credits.

3. Applicant must have a minimum of 3.5 cumulative grade point average (GPA) at UH Hilo. (Transfer courses are not included in your GPA calculation.)

FACTORS TO BE CONSIDERED IN REVIEW OF APPLICATION

- Academic achievement
- Personal statement
- Honors, awards and scholarships received

LENGTH AND AMOUNT OF AWARD

The award will consist of a waiver of the full-time resident tuition for the regular semester and shall not be applicable to any additional tuition charges or to any other activity or instructional fee. For out-of-state students, the value of the tuition waiver is that of the resident tuition fee.

In the case of students receiving other forms of financial aid, the total value of this award and all other financial aid may not exceed the student's computed financial need as determined by the Financial Aid Office.

A CAS tuition waiver typically is granted for a period of one regular academic year (Fall and Spring semesters). Eligible students who applied for, but did not receive, an award in the Fall semester will be considered for Spring semester award if any become available. Students who are then awarded a waiver for the Spring semester will be notified by the CAS Dean's Office at the beginning of the Spring semester.

Continuation of the tuition waiver from the Fall through the Spring semester is contingent upon completion, of at least 12 graded credit hours each semester with a minimum cumulative and current semester GPA of 3.5. Course credits for which students elect the CR/NC option do not count in the total number of credits (unless a course is required for the major and offered only on a CR/NC basis). A 3.5 semester and cumulative GPA must be maintained between award date and the semester to which the award is applied.

The tuition waiver may be awarded for a maximum of four (4) years or eight (8) semesters. Students must reapply for the tuition waiver each academic year.

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CAS Tuition Waiver Application
FALL 2005 - SPRING 2006

Directions: Print or type your application. Submit application and supporting documents to:
UH-Hilo CAS Dean's Office, 200 W. Kawili Street, Hilo, HI 96720-4091

Deadline: Wednesday, March 16, 2005; 4:00 p.m.

Name _______________________________________________________________________

Student I.D. No. __________________ Telephone number _______________________

Current mailing address _____________________________________________________
Street or P.O. Box ______ Apt. No. ________

City ____________________________________ State ______ Zip Code ______

E-mail address: _____________________________________________________________

Major ____________________________________________ Number of UH Hilo credits completed ______

CUMULATIVE GPA _____ Expected semester of graduation ________________

Submit with your application:

1. Personal Statement: See reverse side of this application.

2. A summary of honors, awards, and scholarships received: See reverse side of this application.

I certify that the information provided above is true and, to the best of my knowledge, complete. I also give permission to the CAS Tuition Waiver Committee to review any educational records, including transcripts. I may have on file with the Office of Student Services.

Applicant's Signature __________________________________ Date ____________
1. Personal Statement

Type a brief essay (in the space provided below) explaining how you have made, or have the potential to make, outstanding contributions to the success of development of programs important to the college, campus and/or the community.

2. Summary of Honors, Awards and Scholarships received.