**Section 116.170 Reimbursement of Tuition and Application Fees**

a) The Department shall reimburse the educational institution for all tuition and mandatory fees for a period equivalent to four years of enrollment, including summer terms.

b) "Tuition" is the charge for instruction assessed by an institution.

c) "Mandatory fees" are the charges assessed by an institution that are required to deliver educational services to students for each term, regardless if a student is attending either on-campus or through distance education. Application, graduation, laboratory, breakage, add/drop fees, as well as program administrative fees for out-of-state or foreign study, are specifically excluded.

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