

11. Emeritus Status (as amended 11/4/05 by the Faculty Senate)

Upon retirement, a faculty member who has served with distinction and with at least ten (10) years of service at Christopher Newport University (or seven years at Christopher Newport University if the faculty member has at least 20 years of teaching/research service to academe or professional service and has attained the academic rank of professor) may be awarded the rank of Professor Emeritus upon nomination and supporting statement of the faculty member's department and dean, the recommendation of the Faculty Senate, the recommendation of the Provost and the President, and the approval of the Board of Visitors. Emeritus faculty enjoy many of the rights and privileges of full-time, salaried Instructional faculty. ~~including bookstore discounts, and tuition waiver. Emeriti are also entitled to complimentary "faculty/staff" parking decals.~~ **Emeritus faculty will be issued a special CNU *emeritus* identification card that will enable them to access certain services available to full-time salaried faculty. These include faculty library privileges, access to the Freeman Center and Trieshmann Fitness Center, a cost-free CNU email account, a one-course-per-semester tuition waiver, and standard faculty discounts at the bookstore, Ferguson Center for the Arts, and athletic events. The *emeritus* identification card will also entitle *emeritus* faculty to unlimited tuition-free course audits and to a cost-free parking decal for on-campus parking.** Deans and departments are strongly encouraged to provide office space within the Departments for emeritus faculty.