

**2.14.2.7 Educational Leave (Community College Employees Hired Prior to January 14, 1998)**

To pursue an advanced degree, faculty members may request half-time or more leave, with proportional reduction in salary. If such educational leave for faculty development is recommended by the president/ceo of the applicable college and approved by the Chancellor, the faculty members shall be entitled to normal faculty benefits and privileges during the period of temporary change in status. Although a period of educational leave shall not be credited toward eligibility for sabbatical leave, it shall not be considered as an interruption of continuous service. Also, for non-tenured faculty members, such a period of educational leave shall not be counted as probationary period service.

**2.14.2.8 Scholarly Fellowship Leave (Community College Employees Hired Prior to January 14, 1998)**

To accept a scholarly fellowship which allows a faculty member to pursue a program of research, and which the funding agency will not process through the Kentucky Community and Technical College System, a faculty member may request leave with partial pay. If such leave is recommended by the president/ceo of the applicable college and approved by the Chancellor, the faculty member shall be entitled to normal faculty benefits and privileges during the period of temporary change in status. Time spent on scholarly fellowship leave shall count as probationary period service unless the Chancellor in granting the leave and the individual accepting it agree to the contrary.

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