



## EMERITUS FACULTY APPOINTMENTS

- A. Full-time faculty members who are retired from Riverland Community College may be awarded the rank of Emeritus Faculty. Retired faculty members become eligible for nomination for emeritus status the academic year following their official date of retirement. The normal criteria for appointment to the emeritus faculty are 20 years of (1) full-time and (2) meritorious service as a member of the teaching faculty (includes counselors and librarians and may be fulfilled by noncontiguous periods of employment at Riverland Community College or any of its predecessors). The Emeritus title is recommended by committee action to the president; the president may name more than one Emeritus faculty member in any given year.

Emeritus status will provide the following benefits:

1. The individual's name will be listed in the college catalog and commencement program.
  2. The individual will receive complimentary class audit privileges, including all fees associated with auditing the class. However, the costs of books and other instructional materials are the emeritus faculty member's responsibility.
  3. The individual will be issued emeritus identification cards and parking permits.
  4. The individual will have the same usage of library and computer labs as regular faculty.
  5. The individual will receive college publications, theater mailings, etc.
  6. The individual will be invited to participate in the Awards, Recognition and Retirement banquet and commencement exercises and is encouraged to participate in other academic and social functions hosted by the college.
  7. The individual will receive a life-long season membership to Riverland Community College Theatre and athletic events.
  8. The individual will have access to an Emeritus office, including local phone and computer privileges.
- B. Nominations will be solicited from the college during the month of March. The Emeritus rank will be bestowed during the Awards, Recognition and Retirement banquet, and recipient(s) will be acknowledged during the commencement exercises.

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