Worldwide Veteran Student Services

STUDENT VETERAN HANDBOOK

Embry-Riddle Online & Worldwide Campus

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This handbook was published in May, 2018 by the ERAU Worldwide Veteran Student Services Office (further indicated as Worldwide VA) and was correct at that time. Future federal or state legislation that may alter program requirements and/or university policy will not, therefore, be reflected. Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University adheres to the principle of equal education and employment opportunity without regard to race, handicap, sex, age, color, creed, or national origin. This policy extends to all programs and activities involving or supported by the university.
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University's Worldwide Campus has over 130 locations and assists over 7,500 students using GI Bill®. Worldwide VA submits enrollment certifications for all campus locations including Embry-Riddle Online and overseas locations in Europe, Asia and the Middle East. The VA relies heavily on these enrollment certifications to administer VA Education Programs (GI Bill®).

The purpose of this handbook is to provide general information on VA education benefits as they pertain to Embry-Riddle Worldwide students. For more specific information students should contact Worldwide VA or the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs directly.

APPLICATION FOR VETERANS EDUCATION BENEFITS

VA applications are designed to obtain the data necessary to determine eligibility for educational assistance benefits for particular educational objectives. The application and required forms vary according to the type of benefits and to the circumstances. Refer to the matrix on pages 11-13 to determine which forms apply. Students should apply on VA Vets.gov: https://www.vets.gov/

VA forms will be transmitted to the VA Regional Processing Office (*RPO) which has jurisdiction of the Campus the student will be attending. For this reason, it is important to provide the correct address of the campus the student will attend to minimize VA processing delays. The student should print a copy of the application for their records. Once the form is submitted to the VA, the student will receive an automatic email indicating they have received the application. A complete list of Worldwide Campus locations with addresses can be found at: http://www.worldwide.erau.edu/locations

For students attending Embry-Riddle Online or the Worldwide European Campuses only, indicate 1 Aerospace Boulevard, Daytona Beach, FL, 32114, for the address of the school. If this address is provided, when in fact the student is attending another campus, Benefits may be delayed while the VA transfers the student's records to the correct Regional Processing Office (RPO).

*For a listing of Regional Processing Offices (RPO’s), please see page 10.

CERTIFICATE OF ELIGIBILITY (COE)

Once the VA has received the application and all necessary supporting documents, the claim will be processed and a file number established (usually the Social Security number). Chapter 33 (Post 9/11) Certificate of Eligibility (COE) letters will provide the eligibility percentage. When the application has been approved, the VA will mail a copy of the COE to the address the student provided on the application. The student will need to provide a copy of the COE to Worldwide VA.

Student's wishing to use Chapter 33 (Post 9/11) as a payment method, must provide a COE in advance. If you are less than 100% eligible, you will have to establish a payment method for the portion the VA will not pay.

All students should scan and email a copy of the COE to wwva@erau.edu.

ENROLLMENT CERTIFICATION

Students must notify their campus advisor when they wish to use benefits for a specific term. The campus will then notify Worldwide VA and an enrollment certification will then be sent to VA.

All enrollment certifications for all campuses are submitted by Worldwide VA.
The ERAU School Certifying Officials (SCO) use a system called VA-ONCE to report all pertinent information concerning enrollment to the VA. Once an enrollment has been certified to the VA in VA-ONCE, the VA will send a confirmation email to the student. It takes approximately six to eight weeks for the VA to process initial enrollment claims and approximately 30 days to process continuing claims.

STUDENT VERIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

Chapters 1606 & 30 Only

Students receiving Chapter 30 (Montgomery G.I. Bill - MGIB) or Chapter 1606 (Educational Assistance for the Selected Reserve) education benefits must verify their enrollment monthly through the VA’s Web Automated Verification of Enrollment system (WAVE) website, in order to initiate payment.

Benefits are paid after each month of school is completed. Verification should be submitted for each month the student is enrolled, on the last day of the month. The student can verify the enrollment by either calling the VA toll free number 1-877-823-2378, or, by using the VA WAVE website link: https://www.gibill.va.gov/wave/index.do. Both of these services are available 7 days a week, 24 hours a day.

Students must be currently enrolled in some form of approved educational program and have a current or active benefit award in the VA system. If these conditions are not met, there will be no period of enrollment to verify in the WAVE system.

CHAPTER 33 (POST 9/11)

The Chapter 33 (Post 9/11) Certificate of Eligibility (COE) letter must be submitted by the student to Worldwide VA.

The COE is a guarantee of the method of payment, which defers the portion of tuition expected to be paid by the VA.

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<th>Number of Months of Qualifying Service After 09/10/2001, for Purposes Other Than Training</th>
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(1) Includes entry level and skill training.
(2) Excludes entry level and skill training.

Monthly Housing Allowance: A monthly housing allowance (BAH) is payable to veterans, and some dependents, that are enrolled at a rate of pursuit greater than ½ time. Generally, a graduate student must be enrolled in 3 credits and an undergraduate student must be enrolled in 6 credits to be eligible.

The VA has two different rates:

- Online Only Rate - Pays a maximum monthly benefit of $½ the national average.
- On Campus Rate - At least 1 course in residence attended at a campus - Pays a maximum monthly benefit equal to the BAH Rate for an E-5 with dependents for the zip code of the location where the in person course is taken. Courses must meet the VA's contact hour and meeting frequency requirements to earn the On Campus Rate.
Other BAH Information:

- Service members serving on active duty and their spouses do not qualify for the BAH stipend until after the service member separates from active service.
- The maximum monthly benefit will be prorated based on the student’s Chapter 33 (Post 9/11) benefit percentage.
- Since the VA does not pay for breaks between enrollments, the VA will pro-rate the start and end date of the BAH payment to correspond with the actual term dates.
- In order to receive the higher BAH rate based on the zip code of the campus, the student only needs to be enrolled in one course offered at a campus for that enrollment period. Additional enrollments may be taken through Online or Eaglevision.

Book and Supplies Stipend: Individuals using the Post 9/11 GI Bill at the 100% tier are eligible for up to $1000, per VA academic year, for books and supplies. The VA will pay $41.67 per credit hour, or $125 for a 3 credit hour course, until the annual maximum is reached.

Other Book and Supplies Information:

- If the student’s benefit eligibility is less than 100%, all book stipend payments will be prorated according to the benefit percentage.
- The VA academic year is defined as August 1st - July 31st. Once the maximum benefit has been received in the VA current academic year, no additional book and supplies benefits will be paid. When the new academic year begins (August 1st), enrollments beginning after that date will be eligible for the book stipend.

The Yellow Ribbon Program: The Yellow Ribbon Program is in place to pay for tuition above the annual limit set by the VA. For the 2019-2020 academic year, the annual limit is $24,476.79. If the student’s tuition (including tuition paid to other private institutions for that academic year) exceeds this amount, the VA will pay ½ of the remaining amount which Embry-Riddle will match, so there are no out-of-pocket tuition expenses.

- The student must be 100% eligible for the Chapter 33 (Post 9/11) GI Bill to be eligible for the Yellow Ribbon Program.

- The Student must have Chapter 33 (Post 9/11) months of entitlement remaining.
- If the student is only attending ERAU Worldwide during the academic year, it is unlikely that their tuition will exceed the annual maximum.
- Students transferring from more expensive institutions, within the same academic year, are most likely to have a need to use Yellow Ribbon.
- An application can be found at the Worldwide VA ERNIE page.

Transfer of Entitlement (TOE) Under Chapter 33 (Post 9/11): The Department of Defense (DOD) is authorized to allow individuals who, on or after August 1, 2009, have served at least 6 years in the Armed Forces and who agree to serve at least 4 more years in the Armed Forces to transfer unused entitlement to their dependents (spouse, children). The Department of Defense may, by regulation, impose additional eligibility requirements and limit the number of months transferable to not less than 18 months. For additional information regarding the transfer of benefits to dependents, please contact the VA at 888-442-4551.

KICKERS, COLLEGE FUNDS and ADDITIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS

A Kicker / College Fund is a recruiting incentive provided at the time of the student’s enlistment. Students eligible for a Kicker / College Fund under Chapter 30, or 1606, may receive the Kicker / College Fund under Chapter 33 (Post 9/11). The Kicker / College Fund will be prorated by the student’s rate of pursuit percentage and paid monthly to the student.

The student will need to send a copy of the Kicker / College Fund document to the student’s VA Regional Processing Office (RPO). This document was signed with the enlistment contract.

The Chapter 30 additional contribution ($600 Buy-up) is not payable under Chapter 33 (Post 9/11).
CHAPTER 31 - VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION & EMPLOYMENT (Voc Rehab)

A veteran may be eligible for Chapter 31 benefits if he or she:

- received, or will receive, a discharge under other than dishonorable conditions.
- incurred, or aggravated, a service-connected disability on or after September 16, 1940, which entitles them to VA disability compensation and pension benefits.
- is in need of vocational rehabilitation because his or her disability creates an employment handicap.

Entitlement for these services is determined on an individual basis following an evaluation of the veteran’s unique interests, aptitudes, education, work experience, and vocational abilities. Voc Rehab may be provided for up to 48 months. An eligible veteran generally has 12 years from the date he/she is notified of entitlement to VA compensation in which to use these benefits. The VA may approve an extension of time and/or length of training in certain cases.

Contact the Regional VA office at 1-800-827-1000 for more information and to request Form 28-1900, Disabled Veterans Application for Vocational Rehabilitation.

DIRECT DEPOSIT

The VA encourages the use of direct deposit. This is the safest and fastest way to receive VA education benefits. Direct deposit may be initiated by calling 1-877-838-2778, by submitting an “Ask A Question” on the VA “Ask A Question” website, or by submitting a written request to the VA Regional Processing Office with jurisdiction for the ERAU Campus the student is attending. Be sure to provide the financial institution’s routing number, account number, and type of account (checking or savings). A list of RPO’s is listed on page 10.

INTERVAL (BREAK) PAY

Effective August 1, 2011, the VA no longer pays break pay.

TUTORIAL ASSISTANCE

Tutorial assistance may be paid to eligible students enrolled at least half time and receiving benefits under Chapters 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 1606 & 1607. Tutorial assistance aids the student in defraying tutorial expenses and will be paid to reimburse reasonable charges by a tutor. To qualify, the student must have a deficiency in a subject making tutoring necessary. The maximum amount payable is $100 a month with a maximum benefit of $1200. A charge to entitlement will be made for assistance received in excess of $600 by Chapter 30, 32, 33, 1606 and 1607. Students enrolled under Chapter 31 should consult their VR&E Case Manager regarding this assistance.

VA WORK STUDY PROGRAM

VA Work Study is available to students using the GI Bill at least ¾ time or greater. The program pays either the State or Federal minimum wage, whichever is higher, tax free. Because this is a VA Benefit, no Social Security Taxes, Medicare Taxes or Federal / State Taxes are withheld or payable. VA Benefits are non-taxable.

Other Work Study Program Information:

- The student will be required to submit an application (VA Form 22-8691) and an enrollment certification (VA Form 22-1999). Worldwide VA in Daytona is the only approved campus location.
- Once the student has been hired, the supervisor at the approved location, will submit the packet to the VA.
- There may be several approved locations in the student’s area including VA Regional Offices, VA Medical Facilities, VA Vet Centers (Mental Health Counseling), VA National Cemeteries or Education Institutions.
- The program requires a minimum of 50 hours be worked in order to submit hours for payment.
- The maximum number of hours awarded is generally 25 hours per week.
- The student may not work for a period, unless the student has an approved Work Study Agreement from the VA.
**CHANGES IN STUDENT STATUS**

All students receiving VA education benefits are required to inform Worldwide VA of ALL of the following changes:

- Periods of enrollment
- Audits and withdrawals
- Change of institutions
- Catalog changes
- Address change
- Course substitutions (approval must be obtained prior to enrolling in course)
- Intra-University Transfer
- Supplemental Enrollments
- Repeating Courses

**SATISFACTORY ACADEMIC PROGRESS**

All students receiving VA education benefits are required to maintain satisfactory academic progress according to published standards established and enforced by the university. Embry-Riddle's Standards of Progress have been approved by the appropriate State Approving Agencies (SAA) and accepted by the VA.

Title 38, United States Code, Sections 3474 and 3524 requires that education assistance benefits to veterans and other eligible persons be discontinued when the student ceases to make satisfactory progress towards completion of his or her training objective.

**AUDITS, WITHDRAWALS, NON-REQUIRED COURSES, & REPEATS**

The VA will not authorize payment for:

- withdrawals/drops.
- Audits.
- courses that are not applicable to a declared degree objective.
- courses for which a grade assigned is not used in computing requirement for graduation.
- repeating a course for which a grade of "D" or better (unless a higher grade is required).

Note: Payment will be authorized for repeated required courses for which a failing grade was received.

See Changes in Student Status

**CLASS PARTICIPATION**

Students who do not participate in a course or cease participating in a course and do not drop or withdraw from the course will be issued a grad of “FX” by their instructor, which designates failure due to non-attendance. Non-attendance grades are required to be reported to the VA and can create a debt between the student and the VA.

**DOUBLE MAJORS, DUAL DEGREES, AND MINORS**

Effective 6/12/2009 - Enrollment in dual majors at an Institution of Higher Learning (IHL) are no longer required to obtain approval from the VA State Approving Agency as long as both majors are approved programs offered by the IHL and they relate to the same career field.

**REMEDIAL, DEFICIENCY & REFRESHER**

The VA will pay for all remedial and deficiency (GNED) courses taken if those courses are required based on a student’s placement exam, and the student does not have transfer credit that would eliminate their GNED requirement. These courses can satisfy open, non-restricted electives, and therefore are college level credit.

**SUPPLEMENTAL ENROLLMENTS Guest Student**

If the student wishes to use GI Bill to attend another University, the course must be approved in advance by the student’s ERAU advisor, and satisfy an ERAU degree program requirement. Once these criteria are met, a VA Parent Letter will be sent to the Guest Institution requesting they certify the enrollment to the VA. The VA allows only one program to be pursued at any given time. The credits taken at the Guest Institution must be transferred to ERAU upon completion.
EAGLEVISION

EagleVision is an ERAU web conferencing system that synchronously delivers courses to geographically separated students. This system is being used two ways:

- EagleVision Classroom: Students attend class at an ERAU campus location and the EagleVision system is used to connect clusters of students gathered at these campuses. The instructor is at one of these campus locations typically with students and there are normally two to four remote locations. For Chapter 33 (Post 9/11) students, this is considered an “in residence” class as long as the scheduled meetings satisfy the VA’s contact hour and meeting frequency requirements.

- EagleVision Home: Students attend class virtually at their home or office using their personal computer and internet connection. The EagleVision system is used to connect students to the instructor and other students.

VA classifies EagleVision Home as distance learning.

TUITION ASSISTANCE AND VA TOP-UP

Students who are serving on active duty who are using Tuition Assistance (TA) may elect to receive Chapter 30 or Chapter 33 (Post 9/11) to cover the portion of the tuition that exceeds what TA will cover. This is called Tuition Assistance Top-up (TATU).

The procedures to request a Top-Up payment are:

Chapter 30: The student’s enrollment must be certified by Worldwide VA. WWVA will report the amount to the VA that exceeds what TA will cover and the veteran will be reimbursed by the VA for the exact difference between the tuition cost and TA amount. The student’s entitlement will be charged dollar for dollar based on what is reimbursed to them according to the full-time Chapter 30 rate.

For example:

- If the student is a graduate student taking one course with tuition of $1530, and TA pays $750 of that, then the Campus will report the net amount of $780.

Other Chapter 33 TATU Information:

- If the student is less than 100% eligible, the VA will only pay a percentage of the remaining tuition, according to their benefit level. This will result in a tuition co-pay from the student.

- If the student is enrolled full-time (3 graduate hours or 6 undergraduate hours) under Chapter 33 (Post 9/11) Top-Up, they will be charged entitlement at the full-time rate, regardless of the dollar amount of the tuition and book stipend paid. Since the term is 9 weeks in length, 9 weeks of entitlement will be charged.

FINANCIAL AID

By law, the GI Bill does not decrease eligibility for Federal Title IV Aid (Grants and Loans provided by the U.S. Department of Education). Grants and scholarships do not need to be repaid. Loans must be repaid 6 months following the completion of the degree program or after 6 months without being enrolled at least ½ time.

For more information on assistance available see the ERAU Financial Aid website at: http://worldwide.erau.edu/finance/financial-aid/index.html

The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) website is: http://www.fafsa.ed.gov.

DISABILITY SUPPORT SERVICES

ERAU is committed to the success of all students. It is a University policy to provide reasonable accommodations to students with disabilities who qualify for services. If the student would like to request accommodations due to a physical, mental, or learning disability, please contact the Worldwide Disability Support Service Officer at: wwdss@erau.edu.
IMPORTANT CONTACT INFORMATION

ERAU Toll-Free Numbers:

Worldwide VA Office 855-785-0001
Worldwide Financial Aid Office 866-567-7202
Worldwide Campus Information (New Students) 800-522-6787
Embry-Riddle Online - General Questions 800-359-3728

ERAU Direct Numbers:

Worldwide Campus Information 386-226-6910
Daytona Beach Campus Information 386-226-6000

VA Education Benefits Toll-Free Numbers:

VA GI Bill® Hotline 888-442-4551
VA Regional Office 800-827-1000
(General Info: Home loans, Vocational Rehabilitation & Employment, etc.)
VA Direct Deposit. 877-838-2778
VA Monthly Verification of Enrollments (WAVE) 877-823-2378

Other VA Toll-free Numbers:

VA Life Insurance 800-669-8477
VA Debt Management 800-827-0648
CHAMPVA 800-733-8387
VA Health Benefits Service Center 877-222-8387

Email Addresses:

Worldwide VA Office wwva@erau.edu
Worldwide Financial Aid Office wwfinaid@erau.edu
Worldwide Campus Information ecinfo@erau.edu
(New Students)
Worldwide Online General Questions worldwide@erau.edu

Locate Worldwide Campuses:

Worldwide Campuses http://worldwide.erau.edu/campuses-online/index.html

Other Websites:

VA Office http://worldwide.erau.edu/finance/military-veterans/index.html
WW ERAU www.worldwide.erau.edu
VA GI Bill http://www.gibill.va.gov
VA eBenefits https://www.ebenefits.va.gov
WAVE www.gibill.va.gov/wave/index.do
VA Vets.gov https://www.vets.gov/
VA Benefits Overview http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/education_programs.asp
TRAINING TIME CHART

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<td>Full-time</td>
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*Chapter 33 (Post 9/11) only pays a monthly benefit if the student is enrolled greater than ½ time, which requires 4 credit hours or more.

VA REGIONAL PROCESSING OFFICES

VA GI BILL TOLL FREE NUMBER: 888-442-4551
Open 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., EST

Which VA Office Handles the Student’s Education Claim?

There are four regional education processing offices that handle claims for the entire country, which the VA has divided into regions. The map below shows the states in each region. Find the state where the student will be attending school or job training. The student should mail inquiries or claims for education benefits to the processing office for that region.

![VA Office Locations Map]

**CENTRAL**
VA Regional Office
P. O. Box 66830
St. Louis, MO

**EASTERN**
VA Regional Office
P. O. Box 4616
Buffalo, NY 14240-4616

**WESTERN**
VA Regional Office
P. O. Box 8888
Muskogee, OK 74402-888

**SOUTHERN**
VA Regional Office
P. O. Box 100022
Decatur, GA 30031-7022

*This RPO serves the Worldwide Online and Overseas Worldwide Campuses.*
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<td>PROGRAMS ALLOWED</td>
<td>First entered active duty 07/01/85 or later and completes initial obligated period of active duty of 2 years or more, or who completes 2 years of active duty and enters the selected reserves for 4 or more years. Certain Chapter 34 eligible veterans are entitled after 12/31/89.</td>
<td>Must have a service-connected disability rated at 10 percent or more which causes a demonstrable employment handicap.</td>
<td>Spouse and/or child or surviving spouse and/or child of a veteran with permanent and total service-connected disability; or whose death was service connected; or who died of any cause while rated as having a permanent and total service-connected disability.</td>
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<td>DELIMITING DATE</td>
<td>Within ten years from the date last discharged from active duty, or the last day veteran became entitled to this program, whichever is later</td>
<td>Later of 12 years from last separation from active duty or from the date service connection is established.</td>
<td>Spouse: Later of 10 years from rating of permanent and total service-connected disability or death. Child: Later of 26th birthday or 8 years from date eligibility established. Not to exceed 31st birthday.</td>
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<td>PROGRAMS ALLOWED</td>
<td>Post-secondary programs offered at an IHL or NCD; correspondence, apprenticeship, OJT, cooperative training and flight training. Effective 09/30/90.</td>
<td>Any program deemed suitable by the Vocational Rehabilitation and Counseling division.</td>
<td>Spouse only: Correspondence Spouse &amp; Child: High School, IHL, NCD, Co-op, OJT/APP, Farm Co-op</td>
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<td>TUTORIAL ASSIST.</td>
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<td>WORK STUDY</td>
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<td>YES - Effective 05/01/90</td>
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<td>EDUCATION LOAN</td>
<td>NO</td>
<td>YES</td>
<td>YES - Spouse/surviving spouse only</td>
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<td>MISCELLANEOUS</td>
<td>Must possess a H.S. diploma or equivalent. Veterans must have an honorable discharge. Service members pay is reduced by $100/mo for the first 12 months of enlistment (except for Chapter 34/30 converters). These pay reductions are not refundable under any circumstances. Officers who received commissions through the service academies or full ROTC scholarships after 12/31/76 are ineligible. (Exceptions voluntary &amp; involuntary separations).</td>
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<td>Enlisted: Enlisted, re-enlisted, or extended their enlistment for a 6 year period after 06/30/85. Officer: Added 6 years to their current obligation after 06/30/85.</td>
<td>Reservists who serve on active duty on or after 09/11/01 under Title 10, USC for at least 90 consecutive days for a contingency operation. National Guard members may be eligible if they meet the above requirements and were authorized under Section 502f, title 32 USC, authorized by President of Secretary of Defense for National Emergency, and are supported by federal funds.</td>
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<td>Date of separation from the Selected Reserve or ten years from the date original eligibility began. Note: This is unique to this program and it should be noted that the ten year period is from the date eligibility began and not from the date of separation. Separation from the Selected Reserve ends eligibility for MGIB-SR effective that day. An extension of delimiting date may be made if an individual is separated from the reserve due to a disability. Those eligible on or after 10/01/92 the delimiting date is changed to 14 years.</td>
<td>No fixed delimiting date - Members eligible as long as they continue to participate in the selected reserve. Members separated for disability have 10 years from date of separation. Members called or ordered while serving in the Ready Reserve must continue to serve in the IRR.</td>
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<td>PROGRAMS ALLOWED</td>
<td>Post-secondary program at an IHL; APT/OJT, Co-op training, Voc/Tech training, program at an NCD, Correspondence training, Flight training and Graduate training.</td>
<td>IHL, NCD, and Correspondence</td>
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<td>TUTORIAL ASSIST.</td>
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<td>EDUCATION LOAN</td>
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<td>RATES AND ENTITLEMENT</td>
<td>Student must be in Selective Reserve:</td>
<td>Percentage of Chapter 30 - 3 year rates depending upon length of time served on active duty</td>
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<td>Full Time</td>
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<td>90 Days - Less than 1 Year</td>
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<td>1 Year - Less than 2 Years</td>
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<td>2 Continuous Years or More</td>
<td>80%</td>
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<td>MISCELLANEOUS</td>
<td>Must earn a H.S. diploma or equivalent before completing initial active duty for training or before completing a re-enlistment or extended enlistment. Until 10/1/90 a baccalaureate degree is a bar. Must enlist, re-enlist, or extend reserve enlistment for a 6 year period after 10/1/90.</td>
<td>Chapter 1606 Kickers will be paid to members who are otherwise entitled before call-up. Disabled members released before serving 90 days or less than one year are eligible for the 40% rate, if released from Active Duty as a result of an injury or have an illness or disease incurred or aggravated in the line of duty. Members may not use the same period of service to qualify for Chapters 1607 &amp; 30. The member must make an irrevocable decision.</td>
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<td>APPLICATION FORM</td>
<td>VAF 22-1990</td>
<td>The VA is not accepting new apps for REAP</td>
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<td>OTHER REQ’D FORMS</td>
<td>Certification Authorization. Contact Campus for additional requirements.</td>
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<td>CHAPTER</td>
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<td>COMMON NAME</td>
<td>Post 9/11 Veterans Education Assistance Act of 2008</td>
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<td>ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS</td>
<td>The Post-9/11 GI Bill provides financial support for education and housing to individuals with at least 90 days of aggregate service after September 10, 2001, or individuals discharged with a service-connected disability after 30 days.</td>
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<td>- Be honorably discharged from Armed Forces; or</td>
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<td>- Be released from Armed Forces with service characterized as honorable and placed on the retired list, temporary disability retired list, or transferred to the Fleet Reserve or the Fleet Marine Corps Reserve; or</td>
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<td>- Be released from the Armed Forces with service characterized as honorable for further service in a reserve component; or</td>
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<td>- Be discharged or released from Armed Forces for: EPTS (Existed Prior to Service)</td>
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<td>- HDSP (Hardship) or</td>
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<td>- CIWD (Condition Interfered with Duty) or</td>
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<td>- Continued to be on active duty</td>
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<td>DELIMITING DATE</td>
<td>Eligible for benefits for 15 years from last period of active duty of at least 90 consecutive days. If released for a service-connected disability after at least 30 days of continuous service, will also be eligible for benefits for 15 years.</td>
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<td>PROGRAMS ALLOWED</td>
<td>IHL, NCD, OJT, Licensing and Certification Test</td>
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<td>RATES AND ENTITLEMENT</td>
<td>Housing:</td>
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<td>- Online Only Rate - Pays a maximum monthly benefit of $825 per month.</td>
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<td>- At least 1 course in residence attended at a campus - Pays a maximum monthly benefit equal to the BAH Rate for an E-5 with dependents for the zip code of the campus attended.</td>
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<td>This is pro-rated based on the benefit percentage for a student eligible at a rate less than 100%.</td>
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<td>Books: Individuals using the Post 9/11 GI Bill are eligible for up to $1000 per VA academic year for books and supplies. The VA will pay $41.67 per credit hour, or $125 for a 3 credit hour course until the annual maximum is reached. This is pro-rated based on the benefit percentage for a student eligible at a rate less than 100%.</td>
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<td>Tuition: The VA will pay tuition up to the annual limit. For the 2018-2019 academic year the annual limit is $23,671.94. A 100% eligible student may use Yellow Ribbon to cover any tuition that exceeds this limit, providing they have months of entitlement remaining. If a student is less than 100% eligible, they receive an annual maximum equal to their benefit percentage times $23,671.94.</td>
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<td>Transferability - DOD is authorized to allow individuals who, on or after August 1, 2009, have served at least 6 years in the Armed Forces and who agree to serve at least another 4 years in the Armed Forces to transfer unused entitlement to their dependents (spouse, children).</td>
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<td>Training programs approved for Ch30 that are offered by an IHL, grad, ungrad, voc/tech training, tutorial asst. and reimbursement of one licensing and certification test. If eligible for Ch30, 1606 &amp; 1607 and the student elects to use Post 9/11 GI Bill benefits for on-the-job training, apprenticeship training, correspondence courses, flight training, prep courses &amp; national exams.</td>
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<td>DD214 Member 4 (photocopy) or Certificate of Eligibility (COE), Certification Authorization. Contact Campus for additional requirements.</td>
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