

## Information on Post 9/11 GI Bill effective Aug 1, 2009

	<b>Post 9/11 GI Bill</b>	<b>Remarks</b>
Tuition/Fees	Paid directly to school ( Not to exceed a max charge of \$682.23 per credit hour for tuition or \$3172.86 total fees per term)	Students are responsible for any classes not required in degree program and differences between charges and VA payments
Eligibility	36 months, Prorated from 40% to 100% Determined by DOD, not VA	Based on length of service beginning 90 days of service after 9/11. Total of 48 months of benefits. Students transferring from Chapter 30 are eligible to only the remaining Chapter 30 benefits
Housing Allowance	Paid at the E-5 with dependents BAH rate based off school zip code. Prorated based on the percentage of the maximum benefit payable (\$1123.00 in the Northwest Florida area)	Not paid for: Active duty Enrolled ½ time or less Enrolled in all distance learning classes
Book Stipend	Up to \$1000 per year and percentage of entitlement	Not paid to active duty
Rural Benefit	Up to \$500 one time travel benefit	A move of 500 miles or more
Time limit to use benefits	15 years	From date of discharge
College fund	Applicable percentage added to housing allowance	
\$600 MGIB buy-up	Not paid	
Transfer of entitlements to Spouse or dependents	DOD will determined eligibility based on at least 6 years in service and agreement to serve an additional 4 years	Spouses may use transferred benefits after 6 yrs of service; dependent children may use transferred benefits after 10 years of service
Yellow Ribbon	Program design to help pay tuition and fees not covered by chapter 33	VA will match each dollar funded by schools to cover additional costs not covered by VA
Overpayments	Veteran is responsible for any overpayments	
Licensing and Cert tests	Limited to only one test	Not to exceed \$2000
On-Line courses	May pay tuition and fees, housing and book stipend	Limited to only tuition and fees when all courses distance learning
Rate of pursuit	Similar to training time	Training time at 50% or less are not entitled to BAH Example: Fall and Spring 6hrs/12hrs = 50% no BAH Fall and Spring 7hrs/12hrs = 58% Eligible for BAH
Process to request benefits	Submit a VA application on-line at <a href="#">VONAPP</a> For additional information visit the <a href="#">Chapter 33 Post 9/11</a>	The UWF Veteran Service Office requires a <b>VA certificate of eligibility</b> for Chapter 33 before processing a VA certification.