



Veterans Resource Center
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Veterans Benefit Form: Fall 2019 - Summer 2020

Print Name _____ GSU ID# _____

Indicate the term you are enrolling for benefits:

FA _____ **SP** _____ **SU** _____

Last 4 Digits of VA File Number _____

(Social Security # for all VA Chapters except CH35)

Instructions:

- Complete the Benefit Certification section below. Check off any boxes for the benefit(s) you may be using.
- Complete the Registered Courses section using your current term schedule and sign and date the signature line.
- Your academic advisor/counselor **must complete and sign** the Academic Advisor Certification section on the back of this form. This requirement is exempted for students using only IVG, ING, or MIA/POW for the term.
- Once completed, return this document to the Veterans Resource Center in room GMT 104 or email Veterans@govst.edu.

Policies:

- This form should be completed once you have finalized your registration for the term. Failure to do so may result in an adjustment to your benefits, which may lead to an overpayment that requires repayment. **A new, separate copy of this form must be completed every semester to apply your benefits.**
- Cost of Attendance: The benefits listed below all accrue towards the annual cost of attendance limit for financial aid at GSU. Substantial funding amounts from your benefits may result in a reduction of funds for other types of aid awarded to you through the financial aid office. You will be notified of any changes to your financial aid awards.

Benefit Certification: Indicate the program in which you are applying for benefits:

- Chapter 33: Post 9/11 GI Bill
- Chapter 30: Montgomery GI Bill-Active Duty
- Chapter 1606: Montgomery GI Bill Selected Reserve
- Chapter 1607: Reserve Educational Assistance Program (REAP)
- Chapter 31: Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment
- Chapter 32: Post-Vietnam Veterans' Educational Assistance Program (VEAP)
- Chapter 35: Survivors' & Dependents' Educational Assistance
- Illinois MIA/POW Scholarship
- Illinois Veterans Grant (IVG)
- Illinois National Guard Grant (ING)

Registered Courses:

COURSE NAME	COURSE NUMBER	SECTION

By signing below I am acknowledging that I have read and agreed to all instructions and policies stated on this form. I understand that adding and/or dropping classes after submitting this benefit request form may cause a balance due to the university and/or VA and I may be responsible for payment. I understand that election of Chapter 33 certification is irrevocable. I certify that the information provided above is true and correct.

Student's Signature _____ Date _____

STUDENTS DO NOT COMPLETE – FOR ACADEMIC ADVISORS ONLY

Certification and Signature by Academic Advisor/Counselor (Not required for IVG, ING, or MIA/POW only benefit election)

The advisor/counselor verifies the courses in which the applicant is enrolled that are specifically required for degree or certificate completion. Failure to supply verification will result in monthly check delays and/or overpayment of benefits.

Enrolled Courses Required for Applicant's Program:

COURSE NUMBER	NUMBER OF CREDITS	REPEATED COURSE

Prior Credit Evaluation:

The VA requires that previous coursework and experience credit allowed toward the completion of degree or certificate requirements be reported. This information is needed for veteran benefits and is not intended as an official academic credit evaluation.

Credit allowed toward degree or certificate program from all previous coursework or experience credit: _____

Required hours needed to complete the degree or certificate at GSU: _____

Academic Advisor Signature

Date