Office of Financial Aid

# Statement of Understanding Veterans Educational Benefits Recipients

## **General VA Information for ALL VA Chapters**

I understand that the Registrar will notify the Office of Financial Aid of my enrollment, once my courses are approved. I understand that it is my responsibility to report errors in a timely manner to ensure that any problems with my schedule and certifications may be resolved. I understand that my certification will not be sent until I complete both the Catalog and Syllabus Statement and Virtual Café. \_\_\_\_\_\_ *Initials* 

I understand that should I experience any issues with my GI Bill benefits, I will contact the Office of Financial Aid first. If the Office of Financial Aid is unable to assist me with my issue, I will contact the National Call Center located at the VA Regional Office in Muskogee, Oklahoma 1-888-442-4551. \_\_\_\_\_ Initials

I understand that the Regional Office in Muskogee, Oklahoma will process my benefits and the time to process my claim may vary depending on the VA's processing load.

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I understand that if I am receiving Chapter 1606 or 30, I must verify my enrollment at the end of each month at 1-877-823-2378 or WAVE (www.gibill.va.gov) to receive my monthly benefits.

I understand that if I am receiving Tuition Assistance (TA), it is my responsibility to register for my courses via the student portal a week before the start date. \_\_\_\_\_\_ *Initials* 

### **Course Work Information**

I understand that VA Educational Benefits will only pay for course work that is required for my degree program that is on file with Admissions and the Office of Financial Aid. It is my responsibility to refer to my degree plan to know which courses count towards my degree and which courses do not.\_\_\_\_\_ *Initials* 

I understand that I must attend all classes in which I am enrolled. Any changes in my enrollment will be reported to the VA and I may owe funds back to the VA.

## Withdrawal Information

I understand that I must report the following changes to the Office of Financial Aid immediately:

Adding or Dropping of courses
Withdrawals from courses
Withdrawal from school
Change of major
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I understand that withdrawals from classes for which I am certified may result in overpayment of education benefits and are subject to repayment by the Department of Veterans Affairs.



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#### Post 9/11 (Chapter 33) Information

I understand that ALL VA students are responsible for tuition and fees at the time of registration with the exception of Post 9/11 students. Please note, if you are a Post 9/11 student and your benefit level is less than 100%, you must pay the difference. The VA does not pay at the time of registration. (A copy of your certificate of eligibility must be on file.) Initials

I understand that I will only be certified in VA Once for a 15 week term. If I should complete my course before the 15weeks, my certification will be amended/changed based on the date my grade is posted.

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I understand that if I receive a scholarship or any other tuition wavier excluding Title IV funding (Federal financial aid), these funds will be counted toward my tuition first and only any remaining tuition will be reported to the VA.

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### Veteran Vocational Rehabilitation & Employment (VR&E) or Chapter 31 Information

I understand that I must submit a current authorization (VA Form 22-1905) in order to charge tuition and fees. Initials

Name (Last, First M):	Student ID#:
Email:	Phone#:

