

TERM TO CERTIFY: YEAR _____ FALL SPRING SUMMER

Are you currently taking courses at another institution? YES / NO If yes, where? _____

PROFILE

NAME _____ NEIU ID# _____

ADDRESS _____ NEW ADDRESS? YES NO

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP CODE _____ TELEPHONE: _____

NEIU EMAIL _____ BIRTH DATE _____

CHECK ALL THAT APPLY: DEGREE SEEKING STUDENT AT LARGE BACHELOR'S MASTER'S

** VETERANS MUST BE DEGREE SEEKING TO UTILIZE VA EDUCATIONAL BENEFITS, STUDENT AT LARGE IS NOT ELIGIBLE*

BENEFIT(S) YOU WISH TO UTILIZE THIS TERM:

**NOTE: THE VETERANS SERVICES OFFICE MUST HAVE YOUR DD214 ON FILE TO PROCESS YOUR CERTIFICATION.*

FEDERAL BENEFITS

- CHAPTER 33 (POST 9/11) Percentage _____%
- CHAPTER 35 VETERAN'S SSN _____
- CHAPTER 30 (MGIB)
- CHAPTER 1606
- CHAPTER 1607
- CHAPTER 31 (VOC REHAB)
- TUITION ASSISTANCE

STATE BENEFITS

- ILLINOIS VETERANS GRANT (IVG)
- ILLINOIS MIA POW AWARD
- ILLINOIS NATIONAL GUARD GRANT (ING)

10 IMPORTANT POINTS TO KNOW:

1. Veterans, Active Duty, Reservists, Guardsmen, and Dependents are all eligible for advanced registration.
2. All those seeking to utilize federal VA educational benefits must be taking courses that count towards their respective degree. (If you are not sure, please see your academic or department advisor to ensure classes count towards your degree)
3. If using any state benefits and you withdraw from courses or drop below a 2.0 GPA you run the risk of having your benefits withheld.
4. Always meet with the Veterans Services Office before withdrawing from any courses.
5. If you need to drop and add another course, always do so in the same day. By dropping a class and then waiting a day or more, to register for another class, will result in a prorated payment by the VA.
6. Chapter 33 recipients must pursue 7 or more credits, as an undergrad, and 5 or more, as a graduate student, to rate any BAH stipend. Any pursuit below 12 credits Undergrad or 9 credits Grad will have BAH prorated.
7. Federal benefits cannot be used if pursuing a class below 100 level online. All courses below 100 level must be in the classroom. (Example of courses below 100 level = MATH 090, MATH 091, MATH 092 etc.)
8. If this form is not filled out correctly or completely you will be contacted via your student email and it will be put aside until it is corrected.
9. Know your benefits! Many students switch between benefits or don't use them every semester. We process what you request, so make sure you have selected exactly which benefit(s) you wish to use.
10. THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED EVERY TERM! REGISTER EARLY AND GET THIS INTO THE OFFICE WELL IN ADVANCE OF THE UPCOMING TERM, TO ENSURE YOU RECEIVE YOUR BENEFITS ON TIME.

*** IMPORTANT: I UNDERSTAND it is my responsibility, as the student, to notify the Veterans Services Office of any changes in dependency status, address, intended major, dropped or added classes, or complete withdrawals. I UNDERSTAND that dropping a class or receiving a grade of W will result in reduced payment from the VA and the VA will hold the student responsible for any overpayment of benefits and/or outstanding charges/balances to NEIU.**

Signature _____ Date _____

