G.I. Bill benefit exploration for City Tech student veterans and military dependents

Advice on completing VA Forms
Information on Student Services at City Tech

Referrals for veteran services: tutoring, Vet Centers, VA Hospitals, and Veteran Service Organizations (IAVA/VFW/DVA/WWP)

Outreach & veteran educational activities to the City Tech community

Weekly group meetings by Boots to Books. A group established to discuss college adjustment and reentry into civilian life.

web • www.citytech.cuny.edu/veterans
email • veterans@citytech.cuny.edu
Welcome all veterans, military personnel, & dependents. City Tech is a veteran friendly college community.

REQUIREING VA CERTIFICATION

New Students: Must submit a copy of their DD-214 and Certificate of Eligibility (COE) to the VA Certifying Official located in the Registrar’s Office-NG 15 as soon as possible.

In the absence of a COE, students must temporarily submit a copy of their VA-Form 22-1990 (Application for VA Educational Benefits). Once a student receives their COE from the VA, students must submit a copy of the COE to the VA Certifying Official, Veterans Office; otherwise students will NOT be certified for the following semester.

Transfer Students: Must submit a copy of their DD-214 and VA Form 22-1995 (Request for Change of Program or Place of Training) if the student has previously received VA Education benefits at another college.

If a Transfer Student has never received VA Education Benefits, please follow instructions for New Students.

Non-Matriculated (Non-Degree) Students: VA will provide GI Bill benefits to a non-matriculated (Non-Degree) student for ONLY two semesters. After the second non-matriculated semester, students must be accepted into an AA/AS, BA/BS degree program, or a Vocational/Certification program in order to continue receiving benefits.

INFORMATION FOR ALL STUDENTS

Students receiving Chapter 30, 1606, and 1607 must verify their enrollment monthly by Web Automated Verification of Enrollment (WAVE) or by Interactive Voice Response (877) 823-2378.

Students MUST request certification for each semester they wish to have their enrollment certify to the VA.

To request enrollment certification please email veteranscertification@citytech.cuny.edu, to obtain the Veterans Enrollment Certification form. Submit the completed form as an attachment from your City Tech email account.

ALL VETERANS AND DEPENDANTS

VA EDUCATION ENTITLEMENTS

Chapter 30 MGIB - Active Duty
Chapter 1606 MGIB - Selected Reserves
Chapter 1607 REAP - Reserves
Chapter 31 VR&E - Vocational
Chapter 32 VEAP - Post-Vietnam Era
Chapter 33 - Post 9-11
Chapter 35 DEA - Dependents

Not sure what you’re entitled? Please stop by the office for assistance.

USEFUL RESOURCES FOR VETERANS

Veterans Benefit Administration
- www.vabenefits.vba.va.gov/vonapp/
- 1(800) 827-1000

Veterans Affairs GI Bill info
- www.gibill.va.gov • 1(888) 442-4551

NYS Division of Veterans Affairs
- www.veterans.ny.gov • 1(888) VETSNYS

CUNY Veterans Homepage
- www.cuny.edu/veterans

E-Benefits • www.ebenefits.va.gov

Web Automated Verification of Enrollment (WAVE) • www.gibill.va.gov/wave

Military Transcripts* • https://jst.doded.mil


Brooklyn Vet Center • www.vetcenter.va.gov • 718-630-2830 • 25 Chapel St. Suite 604

*not to include the Air Force