



# Military Educational Benefits Checklist

## Triton College Military Educational Benefits Data Form (ALL STUDENTS)

The Office of Financial Aid will not process benefits without a Data Form on file for the current academic year. Visit [www.triton.edu/finaid](http://www.triton.edu/finaid) to download the form.

## GI BILL<sup>®</sup>

### New Student (*First time college student AND using VA Educational Benefits.*)

- Application for VA Benefits – Form 22-1990 (*This may be completed online at [www.ebenefits.va.gov](http://www.ebenefits.va.gov)\*\*) \*\**
- Certificate of Eligibility
- Copy of DD 214-4 \*\*\*

### Transfer Student (*Student has earned college credit, but may or may not have used VA Educational Benefits.*)

- VA Request for Change of Program/Place of Training - Form 22-1995 (you can obtain this from the Triton College Financial Aid Office or [www.vba.va.gov/pubs/forms/vba-22-1995-are.pdf](http://www.vba.va.gov/pubs/forms/vba-22-1995-are.pdf)) OR an Application for VA Benefits – Form 22-1990 (this may be completed online at [www.ebenefits.va.gov/ebenefits/homepage](http://www.ebenefits.va.gov/ebenefits/homepage)) if this is the student's first time using VA Educational Benefits. \*\*
- Certificate of Eligibility
- Copy of DD 214-4\*\*\*
- Official transcripts for all college and military credit earned along with a General Petition must be submitted to the Records Office to be evaluated towards the degree program stated on VA Change of Program (Form 22-1995). **This process must be completed within two semesters of attendance or VA benefits may be discontinued.**

### Guest Student (*Enrolled in courses at Triton College but pursuing a degree at another institution.*)

- A "Parent Letter" from primary school stating that the courses taken at Triton College will apply toward student's degree program. **Only courses approved by your primary school will be certified.**
- Certificate of Eligibility
- DD 214-4

### Readmitted Student (*Student was receiving VA Educational Benefits at Triton College but has not attended for at least two semesters.*)

- VA Request for Change of Program/Place of Training – Form 22-1995 (You can obtain this from the Triton College Financial Aid Office or [www.ebenefits.va.gov](http://www.ebenefits.va.gov)\*\*) \*\*
- Official transcripts for all college and military credit earned along with a General Petition must be submitted to the Records Office to be evaluated towards the degree program stated on VA Change of Program (Form 22-1995). **This process must be completed within two semesters of attendance or VA benefits may be discontinued.**

## IVG – ING – MIA/POW

- Application for VA benefits – MIA/POW requires a paper application. IVG applications can be completed online, one time only, at [www.isac.org](http://www.isac.org). ING applications are also to be completed online, every year, at [www.isac.org](http://www.isac.org).
- Notice of Eligibility
- DD 214-4

\*\*Student's using GI Bill<sup>®</sup> benefits as dependents (or spouses) of veterans will submit a Dependent's Application for VA Benefits (Form 22-5490) if they are using benefits for the first time Or Dependents Request of Change of Program/Place of Training (Form 22-5495) if they are transferring from another institution.

\*\*\*Student's using GI Bill<sup>®</sup> benefits as dependents will submit the veteran's DD214-Member 4.