SOLANO COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Chapter 35 & Fry Scholarship New Student Checklist

Veterans Resource Center

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Solano Community College (SCC) To-Do List

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Complete Application for Admission/Readmission https://welcome.solano.edu/ar-apply/ . New Students: Your SCC Student ID #, Username, and Password will be e-mailed to you within 30
min – 24 hours.
 Returning Students: If you've previously applied for admission and did not attend for 1 or more semesters, you will need to apply for readmission.
Submit UNOFFICIAL transcripts from all previous colleges.
■ You have two semesters to submit OFFICIAL transcripts to the school before we can't certify your enrollment to the VA anymore.
Schedule an appointment with the SCC Veterans Resource Center to go over the paperwork & schedule
appointment with VA trained education plan counselor.
Complete the New Student Online Orientation at http://www.solano.edu/orientation/
Apply for Financial Aid https://studentaid.gov/ (Optional, but HIGHLY Recommended)
SCC Veterans Center To-Do List
Verification of Entitlement:
■ Never used the benefit: Certificate of Eligibility – OR – fill out the application, VA Form 22-5490, on
VA.gov https://www.va.gov/education/apply-for-education-benefits/application/5490/introduction
SAVE/PRINT/TAKE A SCREENSHOT of the confirmation page and provide us with a copy.
■ No Certificate of Eligibility? -> Provide the Veterans VA Disability Award letter showing they are
100% Permanent and Total rated by the VA. https://www.va.gov/records/download-va-letters/
called "Benefit Summary and Service Verification Letter."
You have one semester to submit a Certificate of Eligibility to the school before we cannot
certify your enrollment to the VA anymore.
Previously used the benefit: Certificate of Eligibility is <u>REQUIRED</u> . You might be able to get a copy of your Certificate of Eligibility by calling the VA at 1-888-442-4551.
Sign or acknowledge acceptance of VA Education Plan after it has been reviewed and e-mailed to you.
Only Register for classes based on VA Education Plan, otherwise it won't be covered by the VA.
A copy of your schedule from FalconNest
A copy of your Account Detail by Term from FalconNest
Fill out all the forms included in the Chapter 35 & Fry Scholarship New Student Packet.
■ For Chapter 35 – Ensure you include the VA File Number (the Veterans SSN) and your relationship to the veteran on the Intake Form.
■ We can only accept electronically completed PDF's or PDF scans of the packet, NO PICTURES.
Dependent Children Only: The last 3 pages are a checklist/application for the CalVet Fee Waiver (CVFW)
which you could also be eligible for. Please read the CVFW checklist for specific submission instructions.

Registration Tools:

- Course Finder: https://ssb.solano.edu/StudentRegistrationSsb/ssb/term/termSelection?mode=search
- MySolano Portal: http://my.solano.edu
- Video and PDF instructions on browsing/adding classes: https://www.solano.edu/self-service/
- Veterans Resource Center Forms: https://welcome.solano.edu/vrc-forms/



VA Isakson and Roe Section 1018 (Shopping Sheet/College Financing Plan) Veterans Resource Center

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Section 1018 of Public Law 116-315, <u>Johnny Isakson and David P. Roe, M.D. Veterans Health Care and Benefits Improvement Act of 2020</u>, requires educational institutions to make certain disclosures to students using federal military and/or VA education benefits. To ensure compliance with the law, we have developed the Shopping Sheet/College Financing Plan Information for Student Veterans/Veteran's Dependents.

<u>Cost of attendance: Estimated cost of courses including tuition, fees, books, supplies, living and other</u> additional costs

Information is available on the Solano Community College Financial Aid - Cost of Attendance webpage https://welcome.solano.edu/fa-cost-of-attendance/

Please note that your final cost depends on you receiving VA benefits to cover for tuition and fees, books/supplies, and housing allowance; any aid to cover for the cost; taking extra courses such as prerequisites; retaking a failed course; changing your program of study which requires more or less credits, change in cost of living; a change in tuition/fees as approved by State Legislature, etc.

Amounts covered by VA Benefits

- VA GI Bill® Comparison tool https://www.va.gov/education/gi-bill-comparison-tool/
- VA Payment Rates https://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/resources/benefits_resources/rate_tables.asp
- Book Stipend, Monthly Housing Allowance and Monthly Stipend based on benefit and enrollment pursuit rate https://welcome.solano.edu/vrc-pay-rates/

Types of Federal financial aid offered by the institution, that the student may be qualified to receive

Options are available on the Solano Community College Financial Aid website under the Programs Available tab https://welcome.solano.edu/fa-home/

Estimated Student Loan Debt, College Scorecard and Graduation Rates

Information on Student Loans is on the Solano Community College Financial Aid website https://welcome.solano.edu/fa-direct-loans/

Solano Community College - College Scorecard with Student Loan information & Graduation Rates and additional information is available on the US Department of Education College Scorecard website https://collegescorecard.ed.gov/school/?123563-Solano-Community-College

Job Placement Rate

Information is available on the California Community College website https://www.calpassplus.org/Launchboard/SWP.aspx

Solano Community College School Policy on accepting transfer credit and military credit

Incoming transcript information is located on the Admissions and Records website https://welcome.solano.edu/ar-incoming-transcripts/

Military Credit information is located on the Veterans Resource Center webpage https://welcome.solano.edu/vrc-veterans-and-active-duty-scc-policies/

Form Updated: 3/31/2025

Additional Information

<u>In-state Tuition</u> – Students actively using Montgomery GI Bill®–Active-Duty program (Chapter 30), Veterans Readiness and Employment program (formerly called Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment) (Chapter 31), Post-9/11 GI Bill® program (Chapter 33) and Dependents Educational Assistance (Chapter 35) are exempt from paying nonresident tuition regardless of when the veteran separated from the military. Please by filling out the Isakson and Roe Out of State Tuition Waiver https://welcome.solano.edu/vrc-forms/

<u>VA Monthly Enrollment Verification</u> – Information is available on https://welcome.solano.edu/vrc-verify-enrollment/

<u>Certification of Enrollment to the VA</u> - Certification for VA Education Benefits each semester is not automatic. Students who wish to receive the benefit must complete the paperwork with the SCO and must submit the Enrollment Status Form and Schedule/Bill every semester after enrolling in courses in order to continue receiving benefits and to prevent delays in payment of benefits. Enrollment Status Form and Schedule/Bill information is located on the Veterans Resource Center webpage https://welcome.solano.edu/vrc-forms/

All new students are required to go through the New Student process. New students can call 707-864-7105 or email (veterans@solano.edu) the Veterans Resource Center to schedule a New Student appointment to start the process. New Student Packets are located on the Veterans Resource Center webpage https://welcome.solano.edu/vrc-forms/.

<u>Absence due to Military Service</u> - A student who is an active duty or reservist of the United States military, and who receive orders compelling a withdrawal from courses, should submit the General Student Withdraw Petition, to the Admissions and Records Office, requesting a Military Withdrawal (MW), with proof of such orders to receive a full refund of those courses (For Chapter 33 students, the school will return the tuition and fees to the VA). An "MW" symbol will be assigned and will not be counted in progress probation, dismissal calculations, or in calculating the permitted number of withdrawals a student is allowed. Students can resubmit the application for admission upon return. This petition is located on the Admissions and Records Forms Webpage https://welcome.solano.edu/ar-forms/.

Students who are receiving the VA benefit along with Financial Aid should be aware that withdrawing from a course(s) will have an impact on their benefit/financial aid status. Students are strongly encouraged to talk to the Financial Aid Department and the School Certifying Official.

VA benefits will stop as of the drop date reported for all courses. Students will be responsible for repaying VA the funds received for such course(s), (BAH/Monthly assistance allowance), or submitting a Mitigating Circumstance to the VA.

If you are a Cal Grant recipient and have been called to active military duty, are entering military service, Peace Corps or VISTA, you may apply for a deferment of your Cal Grant for up to three years. Send the Military Deferment Request Cal Grant Programs form to the California Student Aid Commission, along with a copy of your orders.

Contact Information

Veterans Resource Center Building 2700 Room 2750 (Main Campus, Fairfield)							
Director of Veteran and Military Services and Programs Amy Kennedy, <u>Amy.Kennedy@solano.edu</u> , 707-864-7105							
School Certifying Officials	Christopher Gulick, <u>veterans@solano.edu</u> , 707-864-7105 Helymar Walter, <u>veterans@solano.edu</u> , 707-864-7105 Lindsey Martin, <u>veterans@solano.edu</u> , 707-864-7105						
VA Work Study Supervisor	Amy Kennedy, <u>veterans@solano.edu</u> , 707-864-7105 Christopher Gulick, <u>veterans@solano.edu</u> , 707-864-7105						
VA Academic Counselor	Rahul Patria, veterans@solano.edu, 707-864-7105						
Financial Aid Office Building 400, Seco	nd Floor						
VRC Financial Aid Representative	Zac Hammond, Zachary.Hammond@solano.edu, 707-864-7000 ext. 4426						

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Veterans Education Benefit Monthly Pay Rate Effective October 1, 2024

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Spring & Fall 18-Week Term Units: Full-time = 12+, 3/4 Time = 9-11, 1/2 Time = 6-8

Chapter 30 – Montgomery GI Bill® (3 years or more of Service)									
Enrollment Status Full-Time 3/4 Time 1/2 Time Less than 1/2 time									
Monthly Rate \$2,438.00		\$1,828.50	\$1,219.00	Tuition & Fees only					
	Chapter 30 – Montgomery GI Bill® (Less than 3 years of Service)								
Enrollment Status	Full-Time	³ / ₄ Time	½ Time	Less than ½ time					
Monthly Rate	\$1,978.00	\$1,483.50	\$989.00	Tuition & Fees only					

Chapter 31 – Veterans Readiness & Employment (VRE)									
Enrollment Status	Full-Time	³⁄₄ Time	½ Time	Less than ½ time					
Monthly Rate No Dependents	\$793.01	\$595.86	\$398.69	N/A					
One Dependent	\$983.65	\$738.81	\$493.97	N/A					
Two Dependents	\$1,159.17	\$866.65	\$580.64	N/A					

^{**}Add for additional dependents Full-time=\$84.47, 3/4 time=\$64.98 & ½ time=\$43.34**

Chapter 33 – Post 9/11 GI Bill®

BAH rates vary according to number of units enrolled. Anything under full time will be prorated.

To receive *FULL* BAH for a regular semester you need to have 12+ units, you will *NOT* receive BAH if you are below 6.5 units. To calculate your BAH rate using the chart, multiply your full BAH rate by the multiplier under the number of units in which you are enrolled that are authorized by the VA.

EX: If your full BAH rate is \$3,237.00 per month and you are enrolled in 9 units you would use $3237 \times .8 = 2,589.60$ If all your classes are online BAH is \$1,055 per month. Minimum of *ONE in-person class* is \$3,237 per month.

Units	<u>≥</u> 12	11.5	11	10.5	10	9.5	9	8.5	8	7.5	7	6.5	>6.5
Multiplier	1	1	.9	.9	.8	.8	.8	.7	.7	.6	.6	.5	0

Chapter 35 – Dependents Educational Assistance								
Enrollment Status	Full-Time	³ / ₄ Time	½ Time	Less than ½ time				
Monthly Rate	\$1,536.00	\$1,214.00	\$890.00	Tuition & Fees only				

Chapter 1606 – Montgomery GI Bill® Selected Reserve									
Enrollment Status	Full-Time	³ / ₄ Time	½ Time	Less than ½ time					
Monthly Rate	\$481.00	\$360.00	\$240.00	\$120.25					

Monthly Pay Rates Obtained From:

- https://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/resources/benefits resources/rate tables.asp (Chapter 30, 35, and 1606)
- https://www.va.gov/education/gi-bill-comparison-tool/ (Chapter 33)
- https://www.benefits.va.gov/vocrehab/subsistence allowance rates.asp (Chapter 31)

ACCELERATED COURSE PAY RATE FOR SEMESTER TERMS

All Chapters										
Enrollment Status	Full-Time	³ / ₄ Time	½ Time	Less than ½ time	Min. Req. for BAH					
10-Week Course	7 units	5 units	3.5 units	<3.5 units	3.5 units					
9-Week Course	6 units	4.5 units	3 units	<3 units	3.5 units					
8-Week Course	5.5 units	4 units	3 units	<3 units	3 units					
7-Week Course	5 units	3.5 units	2.5 units	<2.5 units	3 units					
6-Week Course	4 units	3 units	2 units	<2 units	2.5 units					
5-Week Course	3.5 units	2.5 units	2 units	<2 units	2 units					
4-Week Course	3 units	2 units	1.5 units	<1.5 units	1.5 units					
3-Week Course	2 units	1.5 units	1 unit	<1 unit	1.5 units					

^{**} Calculations based on: (# Credits \times 18 \div weeks = credit hour equivalents) with 6 being $\frac{1}{2}$ time. **





Transcript and Student Obligation Form Veterans Resource Center

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Full Name	Last 4 SSN	Student ID	itudent ID		
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Name of College(s)		<u>In File</u>	Date Rcvd	<u>Initials</u>	
☐ Joint Service Transcript (Army, Coast Guar ☐ Community College of the Air Force (Air Fo		ns.			
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Intake Form

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Full Name				Student	ID				
Full SSN		Date of B	Date of Birth						
VA File Nu	mber (Veterans SSN – CH35 Only)	CH35 On	ly—Are you:	☐ Spous	se C	☐ Child			
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Phone		Email							
If you are	the Veteran:								
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Do you ha	ive health insurance? No No	Yes			_	_			
Is your he	alth insurance through the VA?	I No □	Yes						
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	Vocational Rehabilitation		Food Sources			VSO			
	Disability Claims		Housing			Work-Study			
	Health Insurance		Legal Aid			Other			
	Free Tutoring	В	ook Assistance	2		Accommodations (ACS)			
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MONTHLY ENROLLMENT VERIFICATION REQUIREMENT

<u>CH33 – Post 9/11 GI Bill® Recipients</u> are <u>REQUIRED</u> to verify their enrollment through the VA at the end of every month to receive your monthly housing allowance:

- 1. Call the VA every month at 1-888-442-4551
- 2. Call the VA once and opt into monthly text message or e-mail verification
- 3. Online Options:
 - A. Online Portal:

https://www.va.gov/education/verify-school-enrollment/

B. Ask VA:

https://ask.va.gov/

Failure to verify your enrollment 2 months in a row will result in the VA withholding your monthly housing allowance until you contact them.

<u>CH30 – Montgomery GI Bill®</u> and <u>CH1606 – Montgomery GI Bill®</u> <u>Selected Reserve Recipients</u> are <u>REQUIRED</u> to verify their enrollment through the VA at the end of every month to receive your monthly stipend:

- 1. Call the VA every month at 1-877-823-2378
- 2. Online Portal:

https://www.va.gov/education/verify-school-enrollment/

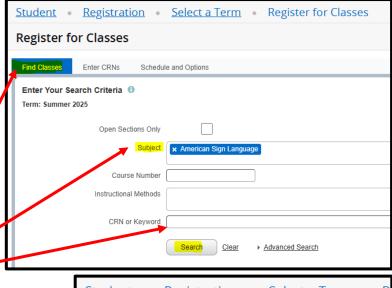
Failure to verify your enrollment will result in the VA withholding your monthly stipend until you contact them.

CH33 and CH31 IN-PERSON CLASS REQUIREMENT

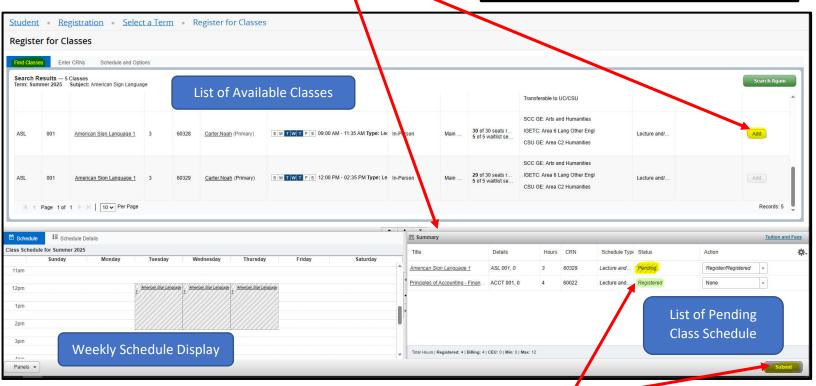
CH33 and CH31 Students are **REQUIRED** to enroll in **ONE** in-person course to receive the full in-person **housing stipend**. Eligibility for the in-person housing stipend only lasts for the duration of the in-person class.

Register for Classes

- 1. Log into https://my.solano.edu
- 2. Click on the "Student" Tab (left side)
- 3. Click on "New Student Self-Service" link in the "Student Notice" box
- 4. Click on "Add/Drop Classes" in the "Student Records" box
- 5. Select the semester you are registering for
- 6. In the "Find Classes" tab you should see a Search feature in the top half, a weekly schedule display in the bottom left, and a Summary of the classes (pending schedule) on the bottom right.
- 7. Type or select the Subject of the course you are searching for in the "Subject" box and click the "Search" button
 - a. If you already have the 5-digit CRN for the class(es) that you want to register for, click the "Enter CRNs" tab at the top, enter the CRNs, and select the "Add to Summary" button. Proceed to step 10.
- 8. A list of all the classes being offered with that subject will appear in the top half of the page. Browse through the classes and find the date, time, location, and instructor that will work best for you and your schedule.
- 9. Click the "Add" button in the far-right column of the Find Classes section to add the class to your PENDING schedule.



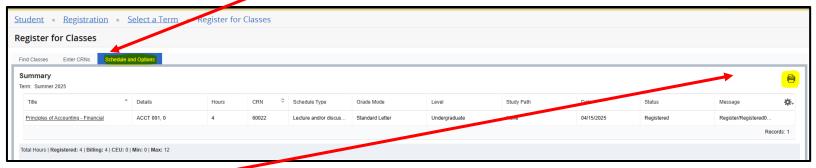




- 10. Once you finalize your schedule, click on "Submit" in the bottom right corner.
 - a. If you don't click on "Submit" your schedule will not be finalized and you won't be registered for any of the classes until it displays a green "REGISTERED"

Obtain your Schedule

- 1. Log into https://my.solano.edu
- 2. Click on the "Student" Tab (left side)
- 3. Click on "New Student Self-Service" link in the "Student Notice" box
- 4. Click on "Add/Drop Classes" in the "Student Records" box
- 5. Select the semester you registered for
- 6. Click on the "Schedule and Options" tab at the top left of the page



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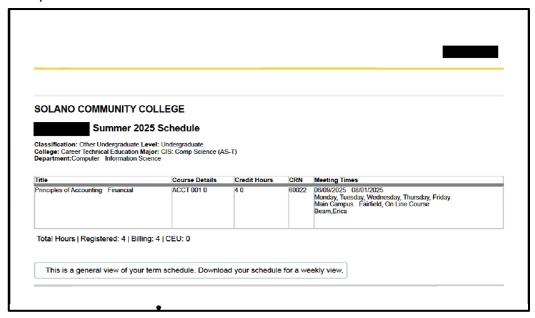
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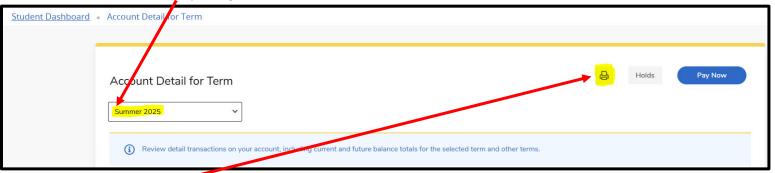
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- 7. Click on the Print Icon in the top right of the page
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- 9. When the Print screen appears, select "Save to PDF, Microsoft Printto PDF, or Adobe PDF" to save the page as a PDF that can be e-mailed to us as an attachment. You can also print to your default printer and then scan the schedule.
- 10. Save the PDF somewhere on your computer.
- 11. Attach PDF to an e-mail with your **Enrollment Status Form** and e-mail to <u>veterans@solano.edu</u> or bring into the Veteran's Resource Center
- 12. This is what your schedule should look like:

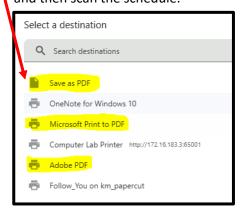


Obtain your Bill

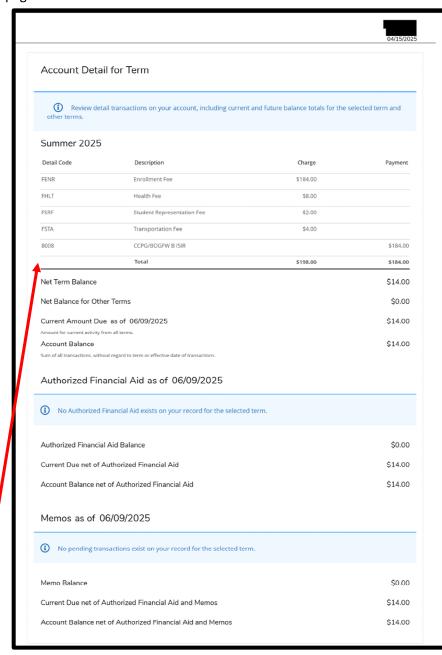
- 1. Log into https://my.solano.edu
- 2. Click on the "Student" Tab (left side)
- 3. Click on "New Student Self-Service" link in the "Student Notice" box
- 4. Click on "Account Details by Term" in the 'Student Accounts" box
- 5. Select the semester you registered for



- 6. Click on the **Print** icon in the top right of the page
- 7. Right click anywhere on the pop-up and select Print (or CTRL + P on your Keyboard)
- 8. When the Print screen appears, select "Save to PDF, Microsoft Print to PDF, or Adobe PDF" to save the page as a PDF that can be e-mailed to us as an attachment. You can also print to your default printer and then scan the schedule.



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Complete an Enrollment Status Form

- 1. Visit the VRC website: https://welcome.solano.edu/vrc-forms/
- 2. Right click on "Enrollment Status Form"
- 3. Select "Save Link as..." and save the PDF somewhere on your computer
- 4. Open the PDF that you just saved using Adobe Reader.
 - a. If you don't already have Adobe Reader, you can get it for free from https://get.adobe.com/reader/ make sure you deselect the optional "More addons" on the website before you download and install Acrobat Reader.
- 5. Ensure that the Enrollment Status Form you're completing is dated 3/31/2025 or later in the bottom right corner next to "Form Revision Date"
- 6. Complete the Gray-Blue area's that indicate the form is fillable.
- 7. Save the PDF and e-mail it to veterans@solano.edu along with your schedule and bill.



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schedule/bill with this form, your paperwork will not be processed.

If you don't submit a

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Phone:			Email:			•				
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CHEM 001	5									
MUSC 013	3									
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Enrollment Status Form

Veterans Resource Center Building 2700, Room 2750 4000 Suisun Valley Road Fairfield, CA 94534

SIGNATURE_____

Office: (707) 864-7105 - Fax: (707) 646-2092

If you don't submit a schedule/bill with this form, your paperwork will not be processed.

	E-m	ali: <u>veterans@solano.ed</u>	<u>du</u> website: <u>https://w</u>	veicome.	solano.edu/vrc-nc	<u>omepage</u>			
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Benefit: ☐ CH30 ☐ CH31 ☐ CH33 Veteran ☐ CH33 Dependent ☐ CH35 ☐ CH1606 ☐ Fry Scholarship									
Are you utilizing S	olano Co	ollege ASC (Accessibil	ity Services Center)?	? Yes	s □ No				
Has your contact information changed recently (If Yes, update below)? ☐ Yes ☐ No									
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Form Revision Date: 3/31/2025

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Isakson and Roe Veterans Health Care and Benefits Improvement Act of 2020 & Colonel John M. McHugh Tuition Fairness for Survivors Act of 2021



Veterans Resource Center

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COMMUNITY COLLEGE E-mail: veterans@solano.edu Website: https://welcome.solano.edu/vrc-homepage/

Full Name	Last 4 SSN		N	
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Mailing Address	City	State		Zip
Phone	Email			
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	OFFICE USE ONLY			
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Veterans Resource Center Action: ☐ Residency Changed				
Veterans Resource Center Student Services Generalist:				

Solano Community College

Admissions and Records

Request for Official Transcript Review and Unit Posting

SCCID #:	Date of Birth:
Last Name:	
First Name:	
Email:	
Phone:	

School(s) that you requested to have transcripts sent to Solano FROM:

1)		2)	
3)	4)	5)	6)

<u>Transfer Unit Posting – MUST have OFFICIAL transcripts on file</u>

- Only college level classes that were taken and passed at a regionally accredited college will be posted.
- Only OFFICIAL transcripts from your previous institutions can be used for evaluation.
- Transfer unit posting may take up to 8 10 weeks after the receipt of this form <u>AND</u> receipt of a copy of ALL official transcripts listed above.
- Requests for which we have received transcripts are processed in the order the Request for Transcript Review was received.
- If you submit this form to us prior to our receiving your transcript(s) from another school(s), we will hold it for no more than one year.
- If you recently requested to have transcripts sent to us from another school for evaluation, in order for us to take any action you **MUST** be enrolled at Solano **AND** have submitted this form.
- Transcripts received without a request for evaluation and unit posting will not be evaluated.

I agree with the above guidelines and wish to have my units reviewed and transferred.

Student signature:	 Date:
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CalVet College Fee Waiver Program (CVFW)

Required Documents

- 1. Completed application (DVS 40) signed by student and veteran.
- If you are applying for Plan A, you will need to complete VSD-020 (attached)
- If the veteran is unable to sign the DVS-40, you will need to complete VSD-021 (attached)
- 2. Verification of student's income for previous year *not required for Plan A applicants*
- First two pages of IRS Form 1040 with second page signed <u>-OR-</u>
- Individual Status Letter from CA Franchise Tax Board or Non-Filing Letter from IRS (see below)
- 3. Student's birth certificate (not required if you are reapplying)
- Adopted: A copy of the court ordered adoption papers
- Stepchild: A copy of the marriage certificate between your parent and stepparent
- 4. Verification of veteran's Service-Connected disability (not required if you are reapplying)

CVFW Application Submission

Submit all required documents to the Solano County Veterans Service Office via email, mail, fax, or drop-off.

Solano County Veterans Service Office		
CalVetFeeWaivers@solanocounty.com	675 Texas Street, Suite 4700 Fairfield, CA 94533	Phone: 707-784-6590 Fax: 707-784-0927

<u>Deadline:</u> The deadline to submit 2025-2026 CalVet Fee Waiver <u>Award Letters</u> to the <u>Solano College Veterans Resource Center</u> is June 30th, 2026, by 11:59 PM.

What happens next?

The Solano County Veterans Service Office will review your application and documents within 5-7 business days. Once approved they will email the acceptance letter to the student. Please make sure the student's email is provided and legible. It is the student's responsibility to contact the Veteran office on campus with their acceptance letter.

Important Notes:

- The CalVet Fee Waiver only covers a single academic year until you will need to reapply again. For example, the 2025-2026 Academic Year covers Summer 2025, Fall 2025, and Spring 2026.
- The CalVet Fee Waiver only covers the cost of tuition (Listed as Enrollment Fee on your schedule and bill).
- You CANNOT report \$0 on both AGI (Adjusted Gross Income) and Annual Value of Support.
- The student's AGI (line 11 of 1040 Tax form) and annual value of support from parent <u>CANNOT</u> exceed the California State poverty limit: \$22,273.

If you did not file a tax return (IRS Form 1040):

Obtain an Individual Status Letter from the Franchise Tax Board (FTB) or a Non-Filing Letter from the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) for the **2024 Calendar Year**.

The FTB will not provide an Individual Status Letter until after tax season ends (usually April 15th) and the IRS will not provide a Non-Filing Letter until mid-June or later.

1) **FTB Website:** https://webapp.ftb.ca.gov/ssa/ISL/facelets/IndividualStatusLetterHome.xhtml

2) IRS Website: https://www.irs.gov/individuals/get-transcript

3) E-mail the FTB: ftbindividualstatusletter@ftb.ca.gov

4) Go to the FTB: 3321 Power Inn Rd, Sacramento, CA 958265) Go to the IRS: 4330 Watt Ave, Sacramento CA 95821

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

COLLEGE FEE WAIVER PROGRAM FOR VETERAN DEPENDENTS



PLEASE READ THE INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION CONTAINED ON THE REVERSE SIDE

1. STUDENT INFORMATION			
Last Name:	First Name:		MI:
Social Security Number:	Date of Birth:	Marital Status: Married 🔲 Sin	gle 🗌
Street Address:	City:	State:	Zip:
Telephone Number: ()	Student E-mail:		
STUDENT'S relationship to vetera	an in Section III below: Adopted Child 🔲 Bi	ological Child Step Child Spouse	Surviving Spouse
VA EDUCATIONAL BENEFITS UND	DER CHAPTER 35: Are you ELIGIBLE to rece	eive? YES 🗌 NO 🗌 Currently receivin	g? YES 🗌 NO 🗌
ADJUSTED GROSS INCOME (AGI)	of student from last year (January 1st thr	ough December 31st): \$	
*NOTE: Refer to "Who May Apply Und	er Plan B" on the next page for required stateme	ents if you entered zero and AGI and Annual V	alue of Support.
ANNUAL VALUE OF ANY SUPPOR	T RECEIVED FROM PARENT: \$		
	out are not limited to: college housing, transporta support, as listed above, cannot exceed the "sta site.		
2. SCHOOL INFORMATION			
CALIFORNIA COLLEGE or UNIVER	SITY you are attending or plan to attend:		
ACADEMIC YEAR for which you a	re requesting waiver of tuition/fees:		
3. VETERAN INFORMATION			
Name Served Under: Last Name:		First Name:	MI:
SS# / VA Claim #:	Date of Birth:	Date of Death (if applicable):	
Branch of Service:	Dates of Active Duty Service FR	OM:UNTIL:	
Street Address:	City:	State:	Zip:
Telephone Number: ()	VETERANS E-mail:		
If the veteran is alive, current per	rcentage of service-connected disability a	adjudicated by the military or USDVA: _	%
If the veteran is deceased, was the death? YES NO	ne death "service-connected", or did the	veteran have a service-connected disab	ility at the time of
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Signature of VETERAN:(If veteran is unable to sign, pare	ent/veteran spouse must complete and at	Date: tach a VSD-021)	
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Signature of STUDENT:		Date:	

BENEFITS

Waiver of all mandatory system wide tuition and fees at any State of California Community College, Campus of the University of California, or Campus of the California State University system.

WHO MAY APPLY?

- 1. Students must meet the California residency requirements as determined by the college they will attend.
- 2. Students who meet the requirements of at least one of the following plans:

PLAN A:

The spouse, unmarried child, or unmarried surviving spouse of a veteran who is totally service-connected disabled (rating must have occurred prior to the child's 21st birthday) or who has died of service-related causes, may qualify. The veteran must have served during a period of war declared by Congress, or been awarded a Campaign or Expeditionary Medal. This program does not have an income limit. A child must be under 27 years of age to receive the fee waiver benefit. The age limit is extended to 30 years of age if the child is a veteran. There are no age limits for a spouse, unmarried surviving spouse or RDP. *NOTE: A dependent cannot receive this benefit if they are in receipt of VA Chapter 35 benefits.

OR,

PLAN B:

The child (no age limit) of a veteran who has a service-connected disability, or had a service-connected disability at the time of death, or who died of service-related causes, may also qualify for a waiver. The child's income, which includes the student's ADJUSTED GROSS INCOME, PLUS THE VALUE OF ANY SUPPORT received from a parent, cannot exceed the "state poverty level" as published by the Franchise Tax Board on December 31st of last year. *NOTE: This figure changes annually. To obtain the applicable state poverty level, contact your local County Veterans Service Office (CVSO). In cases where the DVS 40 reports \$0 AGI & \$0 Value of Support, a certified statement must be completed which explains how the student affords to attend college and supports themselves.

OR.

PLAN C:

Any dependent or unmarried surviving spouse of a member of the California National Guard who was killed, permanently disabled or died of this disability that resulted from activation under Military and Veterans Code Section 146.

OR,

PLAN D:

Available to Medal of Honor (also known as Congressional Medal of Honor) recipients and their children.

HOW TO APPLY:

- 1. This form must be fully completed and signed by the student and the veteran. If a question does not apply, write "N/A". If veteran is unable to sign, parent/ veteran spouse must complete and attach a VSD-021.
- 2. A child, under PLAN B, must submit either a student-SIGNED copy of their federal income tax form 1040 or state income tax form 540, from "Last Year" or, if a child does not have a copy of their income tax, or if a child did not file a return, they must submit a statement from the Internal Revenue Service (800-829-1040) or the Franchise Tax Board (800-852-5711) which must verify the amount of Adjusted Gross Income or the fact that a return was not filed. *NOTE: CURRENT ACADEMIC YEAR ENTITLEMENT IS BASED UPON LAST YEAR'S ADJUSTED GROSS INCOME AND VALUE OF SUPPORT FROM PARENT.
- 3. If you are a child of a veteran, you must attach a Verification of Dependency. Acceptable verifications include, government-issued birth certificates, adoption records, and marriage certificates. Those seeking status as an Adopted Child or as a Stepchild must have entered into such status prior to the child's 23rd birthday.

WHEN TO APPLY:

You should apply for these benefits prior to attending school. Benefits are awarded on an academic year basis and students are required to reapply each year for ongoing benefits. NOTE: The earliest effective date fee waiver benefits may be awarded is the first day of the academic year in which an application is received.

WHERE TO APPLY:

To obtain an application, additional information and to apply for benefits under this program, contact your local County Veterans Service Office at: www.cacvso.org If eligibility criteria are met, use of the CalVet College Fee Waiver for Veterans Dependents may be applied to state-supported programs in the CCC, CSU, and UC systems. Some academic programs at these institutions that are considered self-supported, commonly referred to as extension courses or extended education are not covered under the CalVet College Fee Waiver program because these courses, degrees, and certificates are neither funded by the state nor are they system-wide programs. Veteran dependents applying for this waiver should research residency requirements and specific academic programs thoroughly before applying to the college or university.

TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE BENEFITS YOU HAVE EARNED,

VISIT: www.cacvso.org or www.calvet.ca.gov

PRIVACY NOTIFICATION

Act of 1977 (Civil Code Section 1798.17) and the Federal Privacy Act (Public Law 93-579) require that this notice be provided when collecting personal information from individuals. Information requested on this form is voluntary and will be used for the purposes of identification and to determine eligibility for benefits under the provisions of Education Code Section 66025.3. The program is administered by: Deputy Secretary, Veterans Services Division, 1227 "O" Street, Sacramento, CA 95814. Failure to provide requested information will result in the delay or denial of benefits. Individuals may review available personal records during normal business hours. Appeals of denied benefits shall be filed with the Veterans Services Division (note address above) and must be in writing, stating the reasons the benefits should be granted, and filed within 90 days after the date of the "letter of denial."

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS SERVICES

ALFRED SIMS
Director



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VSD-020 - Election to Receive CalVet College Fee Waiver Benefits Plan A in lieu of Chapter 35 Benefits CalVet College Fee Waiver for Veteran Dependents

ACADEMIC YEAR 2025-26

I understand that state law, specifically the Military and Veterans Code, Section 896.1, prohibits me from receiving State of California Department of Veterans Affairs (CalVet) college fee waiver benefits under Plan A if I am in receipt of United States Department of Veterans Affairs (USDVA) Dependents Education (Chapter 35) benefits.

I understand that if I apply for and receive USDVA Chapter 35 benefits, after being awarded CalVet college fee waiver benefits under Plan A for the same period, my CalVet college fee waiver benefits will be revoked retroactively, my college will be notified of actions taken, and that I shall be held financially responsible for any associated fees waived.

Understanding the above, I elect to receive CalVet college fee waiver benefits under Plan A, and certify under penalties of perjury, that I am not currently nor will I apply and receive USDVA Chapter 35 benefits for AY 2025-26.

Signature	Date Signed

State of California





VSD-021 - Non-Veteran Signature Certification For DVS-40 CalVet College Fee Waiver

Explanation of Why Veteran is Unable to Sign DVS 40 Application: Note: If veteran is deceased, a copy of veteran's death certificate is <u>required</u> . If spouse applying under Plan A, documentation that verifies the explanation is <u>required</u> .
I hereby certify under penalties of perjury that the information contained on this document for th purpose of obtaining CalVet educational benefits is true, correct, and complete.
DATE:
Signature of non-veteran parent
Printed Name of non-veteran parent
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Legal Relationship to Veteran Stated on DVS-40 Application