

GBC Veterans and Dependents Statement of Understanding



Carefully read each statement. Once you have fully understood the statement, initial next to it.



_____ I understand that I must contact GBC's VA Certifying Official each semester AFTER I register in order to receive my VA benefits, and that I must report any change in enrollment. I will be placed on admissions HOLD once my classes have been certified to the VA. Contact 775-753-2275 to have the hold temporarily removed if changes to enrollment are necessary.

_____ I understand that all classes **MUST** be applicable to the degree plan I have chosen. Remedial classes will only be paid for if I have tested into those classes. Remedial classes **MUST** be taken on campus; online remedial classes will not be authorized. All prior academic and military transcripts must be submitted.

_____ I understand that a grade of "F", "W", or "I" may result in reduced payment from the VA and that the VA will not pay for audit classes. Should I receive a GPA of less than 2.0 I will be placed on probation for the following semester and will need to get my GPA back up to 2.0 to avoid suspension.

_____ I understand that courses of other-than-normal semester term length may be paid at a different rate based on the dates and length of the course.

_____ I understand the VA will hold me responsible for any overpayment of my education benefits. In accordance with the Privacy Act of 1974 (Public Law 93-579), I authorize official representatives of the Great Basin College to review and discuss my record concerning education benefits with official representatives of the Department of Veterans' Affairs.

_____ I understand that benefit payments are always paid one month in arrears and initial payment of the benefits may sometimes be delayed depending on the GBC VA and Regional Processing Offices' workloads.

_____ I understand that I must self-certify my enrollment at the end of each month (***for chapters 30 and 1606***).

_____ I will provide a copy of my Certificate of Eligibility once I have received it from the Department of Veteran Affairs

_____ I understand that if I elect to be paid under chapter 33 the decision is irrevocable and may not be changed.

_____ I understand that under Chapter 33 I will be eligible for the monthly housing allowance only if I am enrolled in 7 credits or more and not enrolled in all internet courses.

_____ I understand that the benefits paid under Chapter 33 are prorated based on my years of service after 9/11.

Print Name: _____

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____