

Step 1 Apply to University

• Note: There is a non-refundable application fee you must pay in order to submit



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Beginning Freshman (only one needed)

- Bearkat Freshman Application (mobile friendly)
- ApplyTexas Application

Former/Returning Student

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International Student

• ApplyTexas Application

Transfer Student (only one needed)

- Bearkat Transfer Application (mobile friendly)
- ApplyTexas Application

Graduate Student

ApplyTexas Application

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Bearkat Transfer Application

Step 2 Submit Military Transcripts to University

- Request your Joint Service Transcript (JST) via https://jst.doded.mil
- Submitting your JST will satisfy your Kinesiology credits & in some occasion's other credits as well



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 Note: Air Force Veterans will have to request transcripts from this link https://www.airuniversity.af.edu/Barnes/CCAF /Display/Article/803247/community-collegeof-the-air-force-transcripts/





Click the "Register" tab

Proceed to complete the request form and ensure it is sent to Sam Houston State University

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Army, Coast Guard, Marine Corps, and Navy: Active Duty, Reserve and Veterans.

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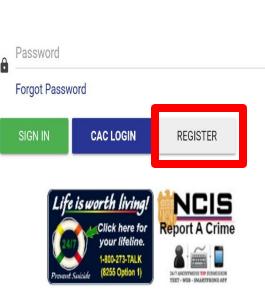
If you are prior Army, Coast Guard, Marine Corps, or Navy or do not have access to a Common Access Card (CAC) reader, then REGISTER for a JST account.

How to make updates or corrections to your JST transcript How to request an official transcript Frequently asked questions Academic institutions



Sign in to JST

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Step 3 Submit School Transcripts

- Submit transcripts from previously attended High School, 2yr College, and 4yr University
- University Code: 003606 (If submitting electronically)
- Sam Houston State University does not accept emailed or faxed transcripts



Step 4 Hazlewood Application

- Download and print the Hazlewood Application from tvc.texas.gov
- Fill out the forms completely according to your status

• Failure to submit complete forms will result in a delay in processing your account ETERANS ESOURCE CENTER

Once on the tvc.texas.gov webpage click the "Education" tab, then click the Hazlewood option

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HAZLEWOOD

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The Hazlewood Act is a State of Texas benefit that provides qualified Veterans, spouses, and dependent children with an education benefit of **up to 150 hours of tuition exemption**, including most fee charges, at public institutions of higher education in Texas. This does NOT include living expenses, books, or supply fees.

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Click the "Hazlewood Application" link to access the document

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RESOURCES

DATABASE

- Veteran & Student Login
- Forgot Password
- <u>Create Account</u>

FORMS

Hazlewood Application

- <u>Revocation of Previously Assigned Hours</u>
- <u>Application For Continued Enrollment</u>
- Deferment Request Form
- <u>Sample Documentation Checklist</u>

LINKS

- <u>Request copy of DD214</u>
- List of Texas Public Universities

STATUTES

- <u>Texas Education Code §54.341, Hazlewood Act</u>
- Texas Education Code §54.2001, GPA and Excessive Hours
- 40 TAC §461, Hazlewood Act Administrative Rules

HOW TO APPLY

- Apply and be accepted to a Texas public college or university of his/her choice. Go to www.applytexas.org to apply or use your institution's application for admission.
- 2. Provide proof (DD214) from the Department of Defense regarding military service and the nature of discharge.
- Provide proof of eligibility or ineligibility for GI Bill® benefits by requesting a certificate of eligibility for federal education benefits from <u>VA.gov</u> (if veteran has active duty service after 9/11/2001).
- 4. Fill out the Hazlewood Exemption application form.
- 5. Turn in the Hazlewood Exemption application form, a copy of your letter of eligibility / ineligibility, and a copy of your DD214 to the financial aid office of the institution you will be attending.* Check with your school on application deadline policies. If you qualify for state education benefits earned through military service and your verification paperwork to the school is delayed, you may apply for up to a 60-day deferment of tuition and fees to avoid late charges and/or being dropped from classes by submitting a <u>Deferment Request Form</u>.



This page provides links to help complete this form and information on the Hazlewood program, you do not need to submit this page

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To apply for the Texas Hazlewood Act Exemption, you must <u>submit the following documents</u> to your college or university:

- 1. **The Hazlewood Exemption Application** (completed and signed). For a <u>tutorial</u> on completing the application, visit: <u>http://www.tvc.texas.gov/Hazlewood-Act.aspx</u>.
- 2. **Report of Separation or Discharge, DD Form 214 (and DD Form 215 if the DD Form 214 has been amended)** To verify the Veteran's place of entry, home of record at the time of entry, character of service, length of service, and dates of service. The copy you provide to your institution must be legible and contain the information listed above.

A DD Form 214 may be obtained from the National Archives: http://www.archives.gov/veterans/military-service-records/.

If the Veteran was discharged prior to January 1, 1950 previously used separation documents may be used. If the Veteran's DD Form 214 was destroyed in the National Archives fire in 1973 or is otherwise unavailable, then the following documents may be used:

- NA Form 13038, Certification of Military Service
- Documentation from the National Archives that the Veteran's NA Form 13038 was sent in lieu of the DD Form 214 due to the DD Form 214 not being on file
- Documentation that Veteran met the requirements of Subchapter B, Chapter 54, Texas Education Code for resident tuition on the date of entry into active duty indicated on the DD Form 214
- 3. **Certificate of Eligibility for federal GI Bill benefits** To verify eligibility for the Veteran's, or dependent's federal education benefits. Certificates of eligibility may be obtained by completing an application on the Veterans Online Application (VONAPP) website at https://www.ebenefits.va.gov/ebenefits/vonapp.
 - If the Veteran's final discharge is prior to 9/11/2001 the certificate of eligibility is not required.
- 4. If the Veteran died while in service: Report of Casualty, Form DD Form 1300 To verify the Veteran's place of entry or home of record, and that his/her death was service related.
- 5. If the Veteran is deceased (not service connected) Death Certificate for deceased Veteran for use in a Legacy transfer.
- 6. **If the Veteran is totally disabled or individually unemployable due to military service-related illness or injury:** You must have a current (within one year) disability ratings decision letter from the VA indicating that rating.
- 7. If you are not the Veteran, **Relationship Documentation** Submit one or more of the following documents to verify your relationship to the eligible Veteran.
 - Birth Certificate, or Marriage Certificate, or Adoption Papers, or Recent IRS Tax Transcript: <u>https://www.irs.gov/individuals/get-transcript</u>.
- 8. Veterans must reside in the state of Texas during the term that the exemption will be used.
 - Children and spouse of eligible Veterans must be classified as a Texas resident by their institution.
- Hazlewood Online Database Registration To comply with the Federal Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) requirements, all applicants (Veteran and dependents) must register into the Hazlewood online database to use the Hazlewood Exemption at <u>https://hazlewood.tvc.texas.gov/students/</u>.

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- acy transfer of benefits (Complete Parts A-E)
- ce-related deceased, KIA, or MIA Veteran (Complete Parts A-D)

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	1905 University Ave	Huntsville	Texas	77340
	936.294.1111	Email address: SB(a)Email.com	Zip Code
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Part C – Loan Ve	erification			
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Part D – Veteran, Child, and Spouse Certification and Consent

The Texas Hazlewood Act Exemption entitles eligible persons to an exemption of tuition and specified fees of up to 150 semester credit hours at public institutions of higher education in Texas. Except for recipients who are the spouse or children of eligible Veterans killed in action, missing in action, or whose death resulted from a service-related injury or illness; all other Hazlewood recipients meet the grade point average satisfactory academic progress requirements and other requirements of Texas Education Code §54.2001.

grant permission to any institution I have enrolled in or intend to enroll in to release credit hour information pertaining to my enrollment to the Texas Veterans Commission and the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board, and further grant permission to the Commission and Board to share such information with any institution that I might attend. I certify that the information I have provided is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I further understand that if I have provided inaccurate, incomplete, or untrue information on this application, I may be required to reimburse the institution for tuition, fees, and penalties pertaining to the Hazlewood Exemption.

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Child's/Spouse's Signature:	N/A	Date:	N/A
If applicable.)			

Part E – Legacy Child Certification and Consent

The Texas Hazlewood Exemption allows eligible Veterans or a designee to transfer all unused hours of the exemption, up to 150 semester credit hours, to a child who is 25 years old or younger on the first day of the term. Legacy recipients will receive an exemption for the number of degree certified hours associated with the specific degree or certificate program he or she is enrolled in consistent with the program length as defined in the school catalog as approved by the regional accreditation commission. Legacy recipients must meet the grade point average satisfactory academic progress requirements and other requirements of Texas Education Code §54.2001. Assigned hours may be revoked by the Veteran or the designee.

Veteran's Signature:	Date:	
* If the qualifying Veteran is deceased, the Veteran's Designee (Print Name)		
may sign above in Veteran's place*		
Veteran's Child's Signature:	Date:	
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Submit this application to your college or university, not to the Texas Veterans Commission*

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Step 5 Request Certificate of Eligibility (COE)

- COE, will serve as proof of eligibility or ineligibility
- Apply online at www.va.gov Once on the site proceed through the education benefits prompts to apply for your COE from the Veterans Affairs.



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 Note: If you need to obtain an exhaustion letter (COE) and have <u>recently</u> exhausted your VA benefits you can skip this step and access our COE letter guide to view the quick process to obtain that letter. (only for recent exhaustion of VA benefits)



Once on the website click the top dropdown tab "VA Benefits and Health Care"

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COVID-19 vaccine and general information

To sign up to get a COVID-19 vaccine from VA, visit our vaccine information page.

For questions about how COVID-19 may affect your VA health care and benefit services, <u>visit our coronavirus FAQs</u> or <u>read VA's public</u> <u>health response</u>.

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Refill and track your prescriptions Send a secure message to your health care team Schedule and manage health appointments View your lab and test results Apply now for VA health care

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View your payment history Change your current education benefits Compare GI Bill benefits by school Apply for education benefits

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<u>Check your claim or appeal status</u> <u>View your payment history</u> <u>Upload evidence to support your claim</u> <u>File for a VA disability increase</u> <u>File a claim for compensation</u>

Records

<u>Get Veteran ID cards</u> <u>Get your VA medical records</u> <u>Download your benefit letters</u> <u>Change your address</u> <u>Request your military records (DD</u>214)

Click the "Education and training" tab

Click the "How to apply" link

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Change your address

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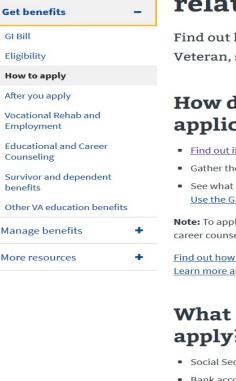
Compare GI Bill benefits by school

Apply for education benefits

Click the green "Find your education benefits form" box

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Find out how to apply for the GI Bill and other VA education benefits as a Veteran, service member, or qualified family member.

How do I prepare before starting my application?

- Find out if you're eligible for VA education benefits
- Gather the documents and information listed below that you'll need to apply for education benefits.
- See what benefits you'll get at the school you want to attend. Use the GI Bill Comparison Tool

Note: To apply for Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment (also called Chapter 31) or educational and career counseling (also called Chapter 36) benefits and services, you'll need to use a different application.

Find out how to apply for Vocational Rehab and Employment Learn more about Educational and Career Counseling

What documents and information do I need to apply?

- Social Security number
- Bank account direct deposit information
- Education and military history
- Basic information about the school or training facility you want to attend or are attending now

How do I apply?

You can apply online right now. Just answer a few questions, and we'll help you get started with the education benefits form that's right for you.

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Find a VA Location

These are the standard questions and answers for new Veteran applicants

Once completed click "Apply Now"

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Are you applying for a new benefit or updating your current education benefits?



Applying for a new benefit



) Updating my current education benefits

Applying to extend my benefit using the Edith Nourse Rogers STEM Scholarship

Are you a Veteran or service member claiming a benefit based on your own service?



Are you claiming a National Call to Service education benefit? (This is uncommon)



Are you applying for Veteran Employment Through Technology Education Courses (VET TEC)?



Click on either link to proceed

Note: it is recommended you sign in to complete your application

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Equal to VA Form 22-1990 (Application for VA Education Benefits).

③ Save time—and save your work in progress—by signing in before starting your application

When you're signed in to your VA.gov account:

- We can prefill part of your application based on your account details.
- You can save your application in progress, and come back later to finish filling it out. You'll have 60 days from the date you start or update your application to submit it. After 60 days, we'll delete the form and you'll need to start over.

Note: If you sign in after you've started your application, you won't be able to save the information you've already filled in.

Sign in to start your application Start your application without signing in

Follow the steps below to apply for education benefits.



Prepare



Complete Form 22-1990 in order to receive your COE

Turnaround time should take approximately four six weeks to receive in the mail

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Apply for education benefits Form 22-1990

1 of 8 Applicant Information

You aren't required to fill in all fields, but we can review your application faster if you provide more information.

First name (*Required)

Middle name

Last name (*Required)

Suffix



Social Security number (*Required)

Step 6 Advisement & Registration

- Once accepted to Sam Houston State University schedule an appointment with a student advisor at the Sam Center to register for classes
- Location: College of Humanities and Social Sciences Building, Suite 170



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Due to COVID-19 the Advising Center is currently only conducting virtual appointments (subject to change)

Click the "Schedule Virtual Appointment" tab

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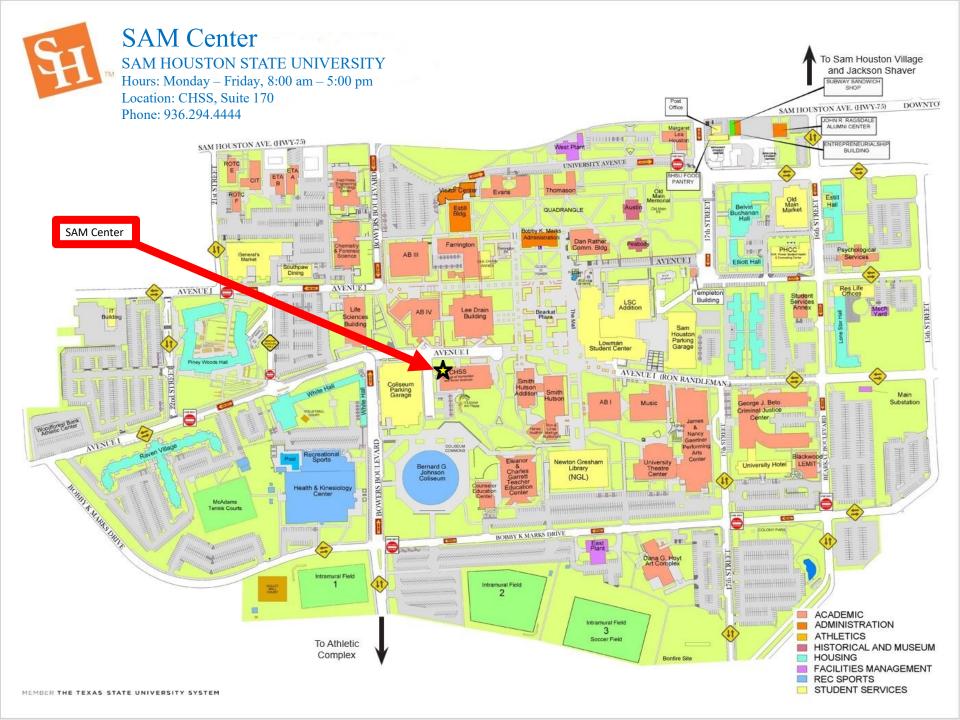
Due to COVID-19 social distancing standards, we are currently not accepting any visitors in-person. All appointments will be via email or Zoom and drop-in hours are currently not available.

For the latest COVID-19 updates, visit the university COVID-19 website.

Schedule Virtual Appointment

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Step 7 Document Submission

• Once you have a class schedule contact the Veterans Resource Center to have the appropriate submission links activated in your MySam account for document submission



(Phone Only | 936-294-1046)

Step 7 Document Submission

- Documents for Hazlewood Veteran users to gather for submission:
 - DD-214 (Member 4 copy or Service 2 copy)
 - Certificate of Eligibility (Letter from the VA)
 - SHSU Hazlewood request for term certification (Electronic form automatically generated on your MySam account)
 - Hazlewood Application (Can be obtained by clicking on the corresponding hyperlink on your MySam account)



Step 7 Document Submission

• Upload and submit all documents during the same session to your MySam account for review by your School Certifying Official at the Veterans Resource Center.



Step 7 Document Submission

- Follow these five steps to upload documents:
 - Log into your MySam account
 - Click on your My Account tab
 - Go to the bottom right of the page and click on the Financial Aid Requirements link
 - Select the proper academic year.
 - Click on each link to upload your documents.

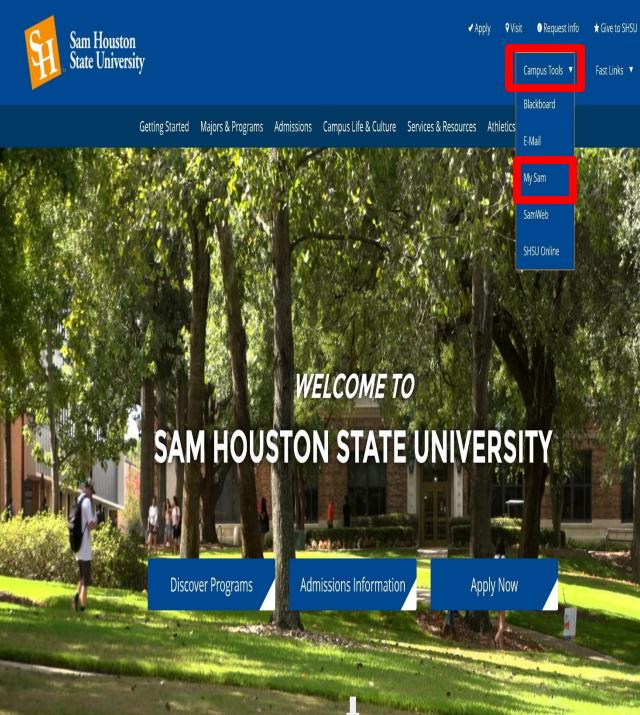




On the SHSU home page click on "Campus Tools" and then click "My Sam" to access your account

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First click on My Account tab

Second click on Financial Aid Requirements link



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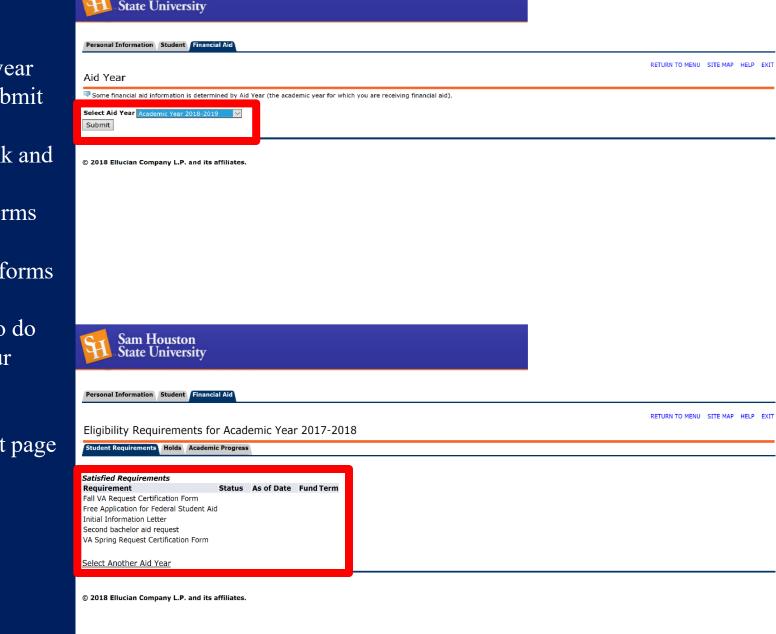
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Select your Aid year and then click submit

Click on each link and submit the corresponding forms

Note: submit all forms during the same session, failure to do so will delay your process time





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- Record of Service
- Type of Separation
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DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS MUSKOGEE REGIONAL OFFICE P.O. BOX 8888 MUSKOGEE OK 74402-8888

SEPTEMBER 18, 2019



Dear Sammy BearKat:

You have been awarded education benefits under the Post-9/11 GI Bill because Sammy BearKat transferred benefits to you (38 CFR 21.9570; 38 USC 3319). This letter gives information about your payment(s), remaining benefits, and how to contact us.

What Our Records Show

ELIGIBILITY PERCENTAGE

Our records show, as of September 18, 2019 you are entitled to receive 100% of the benefits payable under the Post-9/11 GI Bill program. We determined this percentage based on Sammy BearKat length of creditable active duty service (38 CFR 21.9520; 38 USC 3311; 38 USC 3319). We based our decision on the following service information:

Begin Date	End Date	Service Length (in days)	Training Length (in days)	Total (Service/Training
04/02/1998	05/27/2013	4,277	0	4,277
Total:		4,277	0	4,277

What Benefits Will You Receive

Based on your eligibility percentage and the enrollment information we received from your school(s), we awarded benefits as follows (38 CFR 21.9505; 38 CFR 21.9520; 38 CFR 21.9590; 38 CFR 21.9640; 38 CFR 21.9680; 38 CFR 21.9720; 38 USC 3311; 38 USC 3313):

TUITION AND FEES

Enrollment(s) for the 2019-2020 Academic Year

As of August 21, 2019 you are entitled to receive 100% of the amount(s) payable under the Post-9/11 GI Bill.

SAM HOUSTON STATE UNIVERSITY certified that you were charged \$6,174.00 for 16 credit hours, which consists of 6 distance and 10 residence hours for the term dates August 21, 2019 through December 12, 2019.

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We issued a tuition and fees payment to your school(s) on your behalf in the amount of \$385.88 for the academic year beginning August 1, 2019 and ending July 31, 2020.***

***NOTE: Effective August 1, 2012 tuition and fees payments for future enrollments will be scheduled for payment before your first day of term. Unless the school notifies us that you will not be attending, we will send payment on your behalf.

REMAINING BENEFITS

As of August 27, 2019 you have 0 months and 0 days remaining (38 USC 3312). You will remain eligible under the Post-9/11 GI Bill until November 4, 2024 (38 USC 3321).

What You Must Do

To assist VA in paying you correctly, you must promptly notify your school's veterans certifying official and VA if there is any change in your enrollment (38 CFR 21.9635; 38 CFR 21.9675). Generally, we can't pay you for:

- · Courses you do not attend or withdraw from.
- Courses you complete but receive a grade which will not count towards graduation.
- Changes in active duty status.

You are responsible for <u>ALL</u> debts resulting from reductions or terminations of your enrollment even if the payment was submitted directly to the school on your behalf (38 USC 3323(a); 38 CFR 21.9695). For additional information regarding debts, please visit

http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/resources/education resources/debt info.asp.

You may notify VA via:

- The Internet by visiting www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/.
- Telephone by calling toll-free at 1-888-GI-BILL-1 (1-888-442-4551).
- Postal mail by sending correspondence to the address at the top of this letter.

What You Should Do If You Disagree With Our Decision

If you do not agree with this decision, you have one year from the date of this letter to select a review option to preserve your earliest effective benefit date. The review options and their proper applications are as follows, for a(n):

- Supplemental Claim, complete VA Form 20-0995, Decision Review Request: Supplemental Claim
- Higher-Level Review, complete VA Form 20-0996, Decision Review Request: Higher-Level Review
- Appeal to the Board, complete VA Form 10182, Decision Review Request: Board Appeal (Notice of Disagreement)

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Depending when you depleted your benefits you may be able to obtain this letter from www.va.gov

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Post-9/11 GI Bill Statement of Benefits

The information on this page is the same information that's in your Certificate of Eligibility (COE) letter for Post-9/11 GI Bill (Chapter 33) benefits. You can print this page and use it instead of your COE to show that you qualify for benefits.

Sammy BearKat
March 02, 1793
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33 months, 25 days
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Find out how much money you can expect to get based on your eligibility percentage

How can I see my Post-9/11 GI Bill benefit payments?

If you've received education benefit payments through this program, <u>you can see your payment history on</u> <u>eBenefits</u>.

Enrollment History

Does something look wrong in your enrollment history?

Certain enrollments may not be displayed in this history if:

- · Your school made a request to us that's still in process, or
- You made a request to us that's still in process, or
- You used or are using your benefit for flight, on-the-job, apprenticeship, or correspondence training

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Step 7 Document Submission

- Your paperwork will take about 4 6 weeks to fully process
- If there are any problems with your paperwork the Veterans Resource Center will contact you directly by phone or your SHSU email to resolve any problems
- Please check each submission link for status updates before contacting the Veterans Resource Center



Additional Hazlewood Information

- The Hazlewood Act is a State of Texas benefit that provides qualified Veterans, spouses, and dependent children with an education benefit of up to 150 hours of tuition exemption, including most fee charges, at public institutions of higher education in Texas. This does <u>NOT</u> include living expenses, books, or supply fees.
- Hazlewood covers about 90% of all fees here at Sam Houston State University. It does not cover <u>service fees</u> or <u>athletic fees</u>.
- Applications and all supporting documentation must be received by the institution no later than 5:00 pm of the <u>last class day</u> per the academic calendar. Not to be confused with the <u>last day of the term</u>. All submissions submitted prior to the <u>last class day</u> will be reviewed for the requested term.
- If a child to whom hours have been delegated fails to use all the assigned hours, a Veteran may re-assign the unused hours that are available to another child. Only one child can use Hazlewood Legacy Benefits at a time.

VETERANS RESOURCE CENTER

Contact Us Location: Academic Building 3, Suite 110 **Email: Veterans@shsu.edu** Phone: 936-294-1046 Fax: 936-294-4921



