



Veteran Certification Request For GI Bill® Recipients

You should complete this form once per term immediately after registering for courses if:

- You are a veteran, active duty military, reservist, national guard, or a dependant of a veteran and
- You are eligible for and plan to use one of the VA education benefits listed below.

Student Name: _____ ID or SS: _____

New Student: yes no Guest Student: yes no

I am a **Veteran/Reservist/Active Duty** I am a **Dependent of a Veteran** (spouse or child)

Please check only one term: Summer 2021 Fall 2021 Winter 2022 Spring 2022

Please check the VA education benefit program you plan to receive for the indicated term:

- Chapter 30 – Regular Active Duty Education Assistance
- Chapter 33 – Post 911 Education Assistance
- Chapter 31 – Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment
- Chapter 1606 – Selected Reserve Education Assistance
- Chapter 35 – Dependents Educational Assistance **Chapter 35 VA File Number:** _____

Branch of Service Associated with the Selected Education Benefit (Veteran’s branch of service):

- USMC Army Navy Air Force Coast Guard

I understand that it is my responsibility to notify the Finger Lakes Community College Financial Aid Office of **ANY** changes to my course schedule or my GI Bill entitlement.

I understand that if I choose not to attend this semester I should follow the proper withdrawal procedure by submitting a completed Withdrawal Form to the Academic Advising, Career and Transfer Services Office. I also understand that proper withdrawal before the semester start date will negate my financial obligation to the college, **withdrawal on or after the first day of the semester will result in a financial obligation to either the college, the VA, or both.**

I authorize Finger Lakes Community College to certify my education benefits with the Department of Veterans Affairs.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

New Applicants, Transfer, and Guest Students:

In addition to this Veteran Benefit Authorization Form please provide copies of the following documents:

- Copy of the Veteran’s DD214
- Certificate of Eligibility or a print out of entitlement form EBenefits account
- Request for Change of Program or Place of Training (VA Form 22-1995) required for transfer students
- Request for Change of Program or Place of Training Survivors’ & Dependents’ Education Assistance (VA Form 22-5495) required for transfer students (Chapter 35 recipients)
- Primary School Letter (guest students only)

If you have any questions you can contact the School Certifying Official at:

Finger Lakes Community College (P) 585-785-1276
3325 Marvin Sands Dr. (F) 585-394-0635
Canandaigua, NY 14424

Official Use Only

CRI _____ DADD _____ VETS _____ Certification Date _____

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