

West Virginia
VETERANS RE-EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP

Last year the West Virginia Legislature renewed their allocation of \$270,000.00 in grant monies for veterans' pursuit of postsecondary educational careers. Eligibility requirements are simple:

Eligibility

The Candidate:

1. Must be a West Virginia resident.
2. Must be an honorably discharged veteran.
3. Must have served 181 consecutive days of military service.
(Reservists with active duty for training only are not eligible.)
4. Must be Pell eligible, a federally displaced worker, or unemployed.
5. Must have exhausted Federal VA Education Benefits, including VA Vocational Rehabilitation Training Money. *

Application and eligibility verification will be handled by the financial aid department at all eligible educational institutions. ** Eligible full-time students can receive \$1,000 per term, half-time students \$500 per term. The amount shall not exceed \$3,000 per institutional calendar year.

The legislation also set aside \$20,000.00 to be used for the purpose of covering the cost of challenging professional exams (ex. LPN, electrician), licensing certification and licensing fee, etc.

If you require additional information, feel free to call Davis & Elkins College Veterans Upward Bound at (800) 624-3157, ext. 1322 or contact your school's financial aid officer.

Applications will not be accepted directly from students. The educational institution should complete the application on the reverse side, attach a copy of the student's DD214, and mail them to:

Larry Linch, Director, WV Veterans Affairs
1321 Plaza East
Charleston WV 25301-1400

*If a veteran is receiving either Montgomery GI Educational Benefits or VA Vocational Rehabilitation Educational Benefits, then he/she is not eligible for WV Re-education Benefits.

**The institution you are attending must be able to receive and disburse your award.