

Chapter 33 (Post 9/11) Benefits Checklist

All required documents must be turned in to avoid delay in processing and payment

- Submit Houston Community College Admission Application http://www.hccs.edu/apply
- Apply for VA Educational Benefits https://www.vets.gov/education/apply/
- Transfer of School/Change of Degree Plan: VA Form 22-1995 [Veteran] (If you've used GI Bill benefit at another institution, print confirmation page) <u>https://www.vets.gov/</u>¹
- _____ Submit Certificate of Eligibility (COE) ¹
- _____ Submit Copy of DD-214 (Only Member 2, 3, 4, 6, or 8) ¹
- _____ Official transcripts from all previous college(s) attended (regardless of accreditation)²
- _____ Official Military transcripts https://jst.doded.mil/smart/signln.do ²

Mail Transcript(s) to:ORHand Deliver Transcript(s) to:Houston Community College,(Official transcripts must be sealed)Office of Admissions & Records3220A Main Street, Houston, TX. 77002P.O. Box 667517OR visit a campus VA RepresentativeHouston, TX. 77266-75117http://www.hccs.edu/locations/

- _____ Meet with an Academic Advisor
- _____ VA Certification Request (VACR) Form, <u>http://www.hccs.edu/veterans</u> Must submit <u>every semester</u> AND for any enrollment change (drop/swap/withdrawal)¹
- _____ Enroll in HCC Courses (listed on your approved degree plan)
- Pay for courses in full, with a credit card, set up payment plan, Hazlewood benefit, or financial aid to secure classes. (Does not apply to 100% Eligibility)
 - ____ Check the Message Center & To Do List in the Student System https://myeagle.hccs.edu/

¹ If resubmission of any document is requested, you may do so by any of the following methods: Walk-In at Office of Campus Veterans Representative, Email: <u>vaonline@hccs.edu</u>, OR Fax: 713-718-8444.

² Official transcripts are required within 30-days of your first meeting with an advisor. A transcript service indicator (hold) will be placed on your account, which prevents you from making changes to your schedule.