#### **MAXIMIZE YOUR BENEFITS**

Some schools may promote higher stipends, but are they really higher? Do the math and be sure to check all costs and fees.

#### Questions to ask:

- What programs and services do you offer?
- Do you provide easy access to School Certifying Officials (SCOs)?
- Are there direct connections to key resources?

### **STEPS TO BENEFITS**

Visit our website and click on **Steps to Benefits** 



#### APPLY FOR V.A. EDUCATION BENEFITS

Apply at va.gov/apply.

More information about education benefits offered by V.A. is available at the U.S. government's official website at **benefits.va.gov/gibill** 

- CH 33 Post 9/11 GI Bill®
  CH 33 Post 9/11 GI Bill® is a registered
  trademark of the U.S. Department of Veterans
  Affairs (VA).
- CH 31 Veterans Readiness & Employment
- CH 35 Dependent Benefits
- CH 1606 Selective Reserves
- DOD or KY National Guard Tuition Assistance
   Apply at your designated military services site.
   KY National Guard Tuition Assistance covers full
   tuition at NKU.
- APPLY TO NKU
- SEND YOUR CERTIFICATE OF ELIGIBILITY (COE) TO veterans@nku.edu
- ONCE YOU ENROLL IN YOUR CLASSES, FILL OUT YOUR SEMESTER BENEFIT ENROLLMENT CERTIFICATION (SECR)
- CHECK OUT THE AT-EASE LOUNGE!
- SCHEDULE ONLINE
  APPOINTMENT WITH NKU
  SCHOOL CERTIFYING OFFICIAL IF
  YOU HAVE QUESTIONS OR CALL
  VRS (859) 572-7867







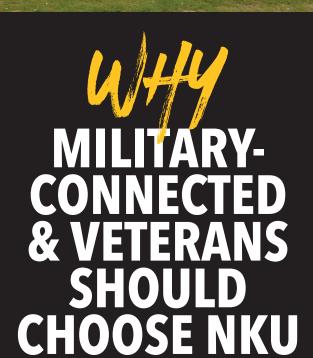
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"I am in the KY National Guard and proud to be a student at NKU. I am very thankful for the VRS for helping me find the best available benefits for me to be successful."

SPECIALIST ROWLAND



Northern Kentucky University has been voted and nationally ranked as one of Military Times' "Best for Vets" universities, is one of the top colleges and universities for advanced education and transition, and has been named one of the top military friendly universities.

We proudly serve our military connected and veteran student population with special programs and services to ensure their academic success and transition into college. Furthermore, the NKY community welcomes military affiliated individuals and veterans to the region.

Learn more at

livehere.northernkentuckyusa.com/veterans

# THE VETERANS RESOURCE STATION IS YOUR LIAISON!

We provide direct connections across campus to ensure your

success. See your direct points of contact here.





## THE NKU DIFFERENCE FOR VETERANS

- No Application Fees
- Super-Priority Registration
- The At-Ease Lounge

"USO" feel lounge for students to hang with likeminded souls.

- The NORSE FORCE!

  A Learning Living Community.
- Hometown Hero

Through our amazing partnership with NKU Athletics, our military-connected, veteran students, staff and faculty are recognized during special athletic events during the year.

• Green Zone Brigade

The Green Zone Brigade training equips the campus community with the information and tools that will help our military affiliated students succeed. NKU was recognized as the only local college to have such a program.

• Champions 4 Success Awards

Recognizes faculty, staff and students invested in the success of veterans, service members and their families. These are presented during our NKU's Veterans Day Event.

Tactically Acquired Podcast

The podcast captures the stories of our active duty, guard, reservists, veterans and ROTC and their families – sharing the military life cycle. Learn about NKU and it's military-connected and veteran students, alumni, staff, faculty and community partners.

"The VRS program is a benefit assisting veterans and families of veterans alike with the opportunity to obtain dreams that go beyond the uniform of honor and integrity. My husband is a retired US navy veteran, and his sacrifices have offered me a chance at an education. Thank you VRS, you are a relief to not only NKU but to me as a retiree's wife."

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