











Education

Benefits for Veterans Education

There were eight active education programs in fiscal year 2021:

- Post-9/11 Educational Assistance (Post-9/11 GI Bill),
- All-Volunteer Force Educational Assistance Program (Montgomery GI Bill-Active Duty),
- Educational Assistance for Members of the Selected Reserve (Montgomery GI Bill-Selected Reserve).
- Survivors' and Dependents' Educational Assistance (Dependents' Educational Assistance - DEA),
- Post-Vietnam Era Veterans Educational Assistance Program (VEAP),
- Veteran Employment Through Technology Education Courses (VET TEC),
- Veteran Rapid Retraining Assistance Program (VRRAP),
- Reserve Educational Assistance Program (REAP).



FY 2021

- 2 Regional Processing Offices
- 841,603 Beneficiaries
- \$10.6 Billion In Payments
- 8 Programs

Noted information:

VA Education programs provide Veterans, Service members, reservists, and certain family members of Veterans with educational resources to supplement opportunities missed because of military service. These programs are also meant to help the Armed Forces both recruit and retain members. For members of the Armed Forces. VA educational benefits assist in the readjustment to civilian life. On a broader scale, educational benefits are meant to enhance the Nation's competitiveness through the development of a more highly educated and more productive workforce.



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Post-9/11 GI Bill

The Post-9/11 GI Bill is an education benefit program for individuals that served on active duty after September 10, 2001. This education benefit became effective on August 1, 2009. For additional information visit the following link: https://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/post911_gibill.asp

Requirements and features of the Post-9/11 GI Bill are:

- A minimum of 90 days of aggregate active-duty service after September 10, 2001, or a service-connected disability discharge after 30 continuous days of service,
- Honorable discharge from the Armed Forces or continue on active duty,
- Basic benefits include tuition and fees, monthly housing allowance, books and supplies stipend,
- Generally, receive 36 months of full-time education benefits,
- For Veterans who left active duty on or after January 1, 2013, there is no time limit to use benefits,
- Veterans who left active duty before January 1, 2013 have 15 years from last discharge to use benefits,
- Eligible to transfer educational benefit to dependent if individual meets Department of Defense eligibility criteria.

All-Volunteer Force Educational Assistance Program (Montgomery GI Bill - Active Duty or MGIB-AD)

Montgomery GI Bill-Active Duty (MGIB-AD) is a contributory program. The Servicemember's pay is automatically reduced by \$100 per month for the first 12 months of active duty unless the Servicemember declines participation at the time of enlistment. For additional information visit the following link: https://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/montgomery_bill.asp

Requirements and features of MGIB-AD are as follows:

- First entered active duty after June 30, 1985,
- Must fulfill one's service obligation unless released for an acceptable reason,
- Must receive an honorable discharge,
- Must complete the requirements of a secondary school diploma, or its equivalent, before applying for benefits,
- Maximum entitlement is 36 months.
- Generally, 10 years from last discharge to use benefits.

















Educational Assistance for Members of the Selected Reserve (Montgomery GI Bill - Selected Reserve or MGIB-SR)

Montgomery GI Bill-Selected Reserve (MGIB-SR) is the first GI Bill to provide educational assistance to members of the Selected Reserve (including National Guard members). DoD funds this program and is responsible for determining eligibility. VBA administers the program. For additional information visit the following link: https://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/mgib_sr.asp

Requirements and features of MGIB-SR include:

- Must agree to a six-year Selected Reserve obligation after June 30, 1985,
- Must remain a member in good standing in the Selected Reserve,
- Must complete the requirements of a secondary school diploma, or its equivalent, before applying for benefits.
- Maximum entitlement is 36 months.

Veteran Rapid Retraining Assistance Program (VRRAP)

The Veteran Rapid Retraining Assistance Program (VRRAP) offers education and training for high-demand jobs to Veterans who are unemployed because of the COVID-19 pandemic. For additional information visit the following link:

https://www.va.gov/education/other-va-education-benefits/veteran-rapid-retraining-assistance/

Requirements and features of VRRAP include:

- Must be at least 22 years old, but not older than 66, and
- Unemployed because of the COVID-19 pandemic, and
- Not rated as totally disabled because you can't work, and
- Not enrolled in a federal or state jobs program, and
- Not eligible for other GI Bill benefits, and
- You can't receive VRRAP benefits at the same time as you're receiving unemployment benefits (including CARES Act benefits).
- May receive up to 12 months tuition and fees and a monthly housing allowance.
- VRRAP will be available until December 11, 2022. We'll stop making payments on this date—or when we
 reach either the \$386 million funding limit or the 17,250 participants limit.

















Veteran Employment Through Technology Education Courses (VET TEC)

VET TEC is a program that matches beneficiaries with leading training providers to develop high-tech skills. Training areas include computer software, computer programming, data processing, information science and media applications. For additional information visit the following link:

https://www.va.gov/education/about-gi-bill-benefits/how-to-use-benefits/vettec-high-tech-program/

Requirements and features of VET TEC include:

- Must not be on active duty or are within 180 days of separating from active duty, and
- Qualify for VA education assistance under the GI Bill, and
- Have at least one day of unexpired GI Bill entitlement, and
- Are accepted into a program by a VA-approved training provider.
- VET TEC training does not count against GI Bill entitlement.
- VET TEC provides Tuition for a full-time high-tech training program and money for housing during training.
- VET TEC is a five-year pilot program. Participation is limited by available funds.

Survivors' and Dependents' Educational Assistance (DEA)

DEA is a VA educational assistance program designed for spouses and children of certain Veterans or Servicemembers. For additional information visit the following link: https://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/dea.asp

Requirements and features of DEA include:

- Eligibility is based on the Veteran's service-connected death; service-connected disability rated as total and permanent; or MIA, POW, or Hostage status,
- Effective December 22, 2006, the program was expanded to grant eligibility to spouses and children of Servicemembers who are hospitalized or receiving outpatient care for a permanent and total disability while still on active duty.
- Maximum entitlement is 36 months for individuals who first use DEA after August 1, 2018,
- Maximum entitlement is 45 months for individuals who first used DEA prior to August 1, 2018,
- Children generally have eight years in which to use benefits, usually between ages 18 and 26,
- Spouses generally have 10 years in which to use benefits, or 20 years if the Veteran dies on active duty or
 if Veteran receives a permanent and total rating within 3 years of release from active duty,

















Post-Vietnam Era Veterans Educational Assistance Program (VEAP)

VEAP was the first GI Bill program that required a contribution by the Servicemember. For additional information visit the following link: https://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/veap.asp

Requirements and features of VEAP are as follows:

- First entered active duty after December 31, 1976, and before July 1, 1985,
- Contributed to VEAP while on active duty and before April 1, 1987,
- Maximum contribution of \$2,700 by the Servicemember with a government matching contribution \$2 for \$1, for a total basic benefit of up to \$8,100,
- Additional "kickers" or contributions from the Department of Defense (DoD) under certain circumstances,
- Current full-time VEAP rate is based on the monthly contributions plus any DoD "kicker" adjustment,
- Unused contributions may be refunded.
- Maximum entitlement is 36 months,
- Benefit must be used within 10 years of the last discharge from active-duty service.

Reserve Educational Assistance Program (REAP)

REAP is a Department of Defense program that provides educational assistance to members of the National Guard and Reserve components.

The National Defense Authorization Act of 2016 ended REAP on Nov. 25, 2015. Some individuals will remain eligible for REAP benefits until November 25, 2019, while others are no longer eligible. For additional information visit the following link: https://www.va.gov/education/other-va-education-benefits/reap/.

Requirements and features of REAP are as follows:

- DoD determines eligibility to REAP,
- Served on active duty after September 10, 2001, in support of a contingency operation under federal authority for a minimum of 90 consecutive days,
- Maximum full-time entitlement is 36 months,
- Benefit rate is a portion of the MGIB-AD three-year enlistment rate.

















Acronyms Used in This Document

| POST 9/11 | Post-9/11 Veterans Educational Assistance Program (Post-9/11 GI Bill) |
|-----------|--|
| MGIB-AD | All-Volunteer Force Educational Assistance Program (Montgomery GI Bill - Active Duty) |
| MGIB-SR | Educational Assistance for Members of the Selected Reserve (Montgomery GI Bill - Selected Reserve) |
| REAP | Reserve Educational Assistance Program |
| DEA | Survivors' and Dependents' Educational Assistance |
| VRRAP | Veteran Rapid Retraining Assistance Program |
| VET TEC | Veteran Employment Through Technology Education Courses |
| VEAP | Post-Vietnam Era Veterans Educational Assistance Program |





















Beneficiaries who received education benefits by fiscal year¹

| Education program | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | % change from FY 20 to FY 21 |
|-----------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------------------------------|
| POST 9/11 | 755,476 | 708,069 | 714,346 | 657,927 | 610,009 | -7.3% |
| MGIB-AD ² (Ch30) | 34,582 | 26,441 | 22,166 | 23,712 | 21,356 | -9.9% |
| MGIB-SR (1606) | 54,909 | 48,690 | 44,356 | 41,488 | 37,071 | -10.6% |
| REAP (1607) | 1,586 | 696 | 299 | 84 | 0 | -100.0% |
| DEA (Ch35) | 100,275 | 109,760 | 128,075 | 151,825 | 167,567 | 10.4% |
| VEAP ³ (Ch32) | 1 | 69 | 78 | 24 | 831 | 3,362.5%4 |
| Total | 946,829 | 893,725 | 909,320 | 875,060 | 836,834 | -4.4% |

Beneficiaries who began receiving education benefits by training type and program during fiscal year 2021⁵

| Education program | Vocational/technical/ Non-College Degree (NCD) | Two-Year College | Under- graduate | Graduate | Program totals | Percent of all programs |
|-----------------------------|--|---------------------|--------------------|----------|-------------------|-------------------------------|
| POST 9/11 ⁶ | 23,109 | 21,448 | 60,780 | 13,403 | 118,740 | 74% |
| MGIB-AD | 184 | 176 | 2,135 | 344 | 2,839 | 2% |
| MGIB-SR | 324 | 262 | 7,601 | 420 | 8,607 | 5% |
| REAP | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0% |
| DEA | 1,078 | 1,070 | 26,570 | 2,578 | 31,296 | 19% |
| Training Type Totals | 24,695 | 22,956 | 97,086 | 16,745 | 161,482 | |
| Percent of Program Total | 15% | 14% | 60% | 10% | | • |

⁶ Post-9/11 GI Bill statistics source Office of Performance Analysis and Integrity Enterprise Data Warehouse.





¹ Source: Benefits Delivery System Reports, PA&I OFM Case Load Reports. VRRAP and VET TEC are not included given the temporary nature of the programs.

² All MGIB AD figures in this document include National Call to Service, peacetime Veterans and Service members.

³ VEAP figures include disenrollment refunds paid in FY2018-21.

⁴ The 2020 and 2021 figures are for disenrollment, there was no educational use of the benefit

⁵ Source: Hines Information Technology Center. VRRAP and VET TEC are not included given the temporary nature of the programs.

| Available programs | POST 9/11 | MGIB- AD | MGIB- SR | REAP | DEA | VEAP | VET TEC | VRRAP |
|--|--------------|-------------|-------------|------|------------|------|------------|------------|
| College or university degree | • | • | • | • | • | • | | • 7 |
| Business, technical, or vocational programs | • | • | • | • | • | • | ♦ 8 | * |
| Independent study or distance learning | • | • | • | • | • | • | | |
| Correspondence courses | • | • | • | • | • 9 | • | | |
| Flight training | • | • | • | • | 1 0 | • | | |
| Reimbursement of licensing & certification exams | • | • | • | • | • | • | | |
| Accelerated payments for high tech classes | | • | • | • | | | | |
| Reimbursement for national admissions & credit exams | • | • | • | • | • | • | | |
| On the job training & apprenticeship programs | • | • | • | • | • | • | | |
| Tuition assistances top up program (TATU) | • | • | | | | | | |
| Entrepreneurship courses | • | • | • | • | | • | | • |
| Remedial, deficiency, & refresher training (in some cases) | • | * | • | • | • | • | | |
| H.S. diploma or GED | | | | | • | • | | |

Associate degree only
 Technology programs only
 Spouses only.
 Only at institutions of higher learning for credit towards a college degree.





Education Program Data

Beneficiaries who received education benefits during fiscal year 202111

| Program | Total beneficiaries | Total payments (\$000) |
|-----------------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| POST 9/11 | 610,009 | \$9,141,053 |
| MGIB-AD | 21,356 | \$169,554 |
| MGIB-SR ¹² | 37,071 | \$98,143 |
| REAP | 0 | \$0 |
| DEA | 167,567 | \$1,118,540 |
| VET TEC | 2,658 | \$38,010 |
| VRRAP | 2,111 | \$32,052 |
| VEAP | 0 | \$0 |
| VEAP disenrollment | 831 | \$756 |
| Total ¹³ | 841,603 | \$10,598,108 |

Beneficiaries who began receiving education benefits by training time and program during fiscal year 202114

| Education program | Less than one-half time | Half time | Three quarter time | Full time | Program totals | Percent of all programs |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|--------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|
| POST 9/11 ¹⁵ | 13,042 | 8,417 | 12,580 | 84,701 | 118,740 | 74% |
| MGIB-AD | 89 | 364 | 477 | 1,909 | 2,839 | 2% |
| MGIB-SR | 262 | 626 | 942 | 6,777 | 8,607 | 5% |
| REAP | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0% |
| DEA | 722 | 2,258 | 3,619 | 24,697 | 31,296 | 19% |
| Training time totals | 14,115 | 11,665 | 17,618 | 118,084 | 161,482 | |

| Percent of program total | 9% | 7% | 11% | 73% |
|--------------------------|----|----|-----|-----|
|--------------------------|----|----|-----|-----|

¹⁵ Post-9/11 GI Bill statistics source Office of Performance Analysis and Integrity Enterprise Data Warehouse, PA&I **OFM Monthly Reports**





¹² Based on service in the Selected Reserve.

¹³ Total payment dollars include Section 901 program participants, although beneficiaries are not included.

¹⁴ Source: Hines Information Technology Center. Due to the temporary nature of VRRAP and VET TEC they are not included in this table.

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Education Program Data



Education program payments by fiscal year (\$000)16

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|-----------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Education Program | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 |
| POST 9/11 | \$11,056,959 | \$10,673,744 | \$10,748,939 | \$10,108,335 | \$9,141,053 |
| MGIB-AD ¹⁷ | \$298,818 | \$261,141 | \$215,993 | \$205,248 | \$169,554 |
| MGIB-SR | \$130,311 | \$117,445 | \$109,049 | \$108,905 | \$98,143 |
| REAP | \$7,213 | \$3,130 | \$1,462 | \$4,520 | \$0 |
| DEA | \$553,128 | \$616,276 | \$861,152 | \$1,042,921 | \$1,118,540 |
| VEAP | \$161 | \$10 | \$106 | \$69 | \$756 |
| Total | \$12,046,590 | \$11,671,893 | \$11,936,701 | \$11,469,998 | \$10,528,046 |

Amount Paid to an Educational Institution for beneficiaries receiving Post-9/11 GI Bill education benefits by Country and Profit Status

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|----------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Country | Profit Status | Amount Summary |
| USA | Private Non-Profit | \$1,571,477,070 |
| | Private Profit | \$1,261,553,344 |
| | Public | \$1,664,106,275 |
| Foreign | Private Non-Profit | \$4,153,567 |
| Foreign Countries | Private Profit | \$3,043,564 |
| Countries | Public | \$10,994,637 |
| | Total | \$4,515,328,460 |

Beneficiaries who began training under the Post-9/11 GI Bill education benefit under the On-The-Job and Apprenticeship Program by fiscal year¹⁸

| Education 2017 | | 201 | .8 | 20 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 20 | 21 | |
|----------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----|-------|
| Program | OJT | APP | OJT | APP | OJT | APP | OJT | APP | OJT | APP |
| POST 9/11 | 1,436 | 1,798 | 1,384 | 1,490 | 1,436 | 1,798 | 1,384 | 1,490 | 912 | 1,315 |

Due to the temporary nature of VRRAP and VET TEC they are not included in this table.

¹⁸ Source: Performance Analysis & Integrity (PA&I). PA&I OFM Monthly Reports. Distinct beneficiary count and amount paid to schools. This figure will differ from enrollment numbers in other parts of the report.



¹⁶ Source: Office of Financial Management (OFM). Dollar amounts are in the thousands.

¹⁷ All MGIB AD figures in this document include national call to service, peacetime Veterans and Service members.



Tuition Assistance Top-Up Program

The Tuition Assistance Top-Up (TATU) program is available under the Post-9/11 and MGIB-AD program. TATU permits VA to issue a payment to an individual for the difference between the military service's tuition assistance payment amount and the total cost of tuition and related expenses, up to the amount that a Veteran would receive. An individual must receive military tuition assistance for the course to be eligible for TATU payments. There was a 50 percent decrease in the number of unique trainees in fiscal year 2021 compared to fiscal year 2019.

License and Certification Test Reimbursement

Under all active education programs beneficiaries may receive reimbursement of the cost of taking an approved test for an occupational license or certification. VA pays for the cost of the test, up to a maximum of \$2,000 per test. There was a 45 percent decrease in the number of unique trainees in fiscal year 2021 compared to fiscal year 2019.

Accelerated Payments Program

Accelerated payments are available under the MGIB-AD, MGIB-SR, and REAP programs and may be made for certain high cost, high-tech programs for enrollment on or after October 1, 2002. To qualify, a beneficiary must be enrolled in a high-tech program and must certify that he/she intends to seek employment in a high-tech industry as defined by VA. The beneficiary may receive a lump-sum payment of 60 percent of the total charges if the cost of tuition and fees exceeds 200 percent of what they would otherwise receive in education assistance. There was a 33 percent increase in the participants under this program in fiscal year 2021 compared to fiscal year 2020.

Unique beneficiaries and payments by fiscal year¹⁹ (Dollar amounts are in the thousands \$000)

| Lloogo Typo | 2018 | | 2019 | | 20 | 20 | 2021 | | |
|---|-------|---------|-------|----------|-------|---------|-------|---------|--|
| Usage Type | Count | Amount | Count | Amount | Count | Amount | Count | Amount | |
| Tuition assistance top-up ²⁰ | 1,742 | \$3,642 | 2,639 | \$7,228 | 1,323 | \$3,252 | 1,055 | \$2,749 | |
| License and certification tests | 2,504 | \$1,460 | 5,006 | \$3,149 | 2,735 | \$1,816 | 2,492 | \$1,584 | |
| Accelerated payment | 2 | \$9 | 8 | \$60 | 3 | \$22 | 4 | \$21 | |
| Total | 4,248 | \$5,111 | 7,653 | \$10,437 | 4,061 | \$5,090 | 3,551 | \$4,354 | |

²⁰ Post-9/11 Top-Up statistics currently are not available.



¹⁹ Source: Education Service Out-of-System and Accelerated Payment reports, PA&I OFM Monthly Reports.



Transfer of Post-9/11 GI Bill Benefits and Fry Scholarship

The Post-9/11 GI Bill allows those eligible for the program to transfer their educational benefits to one or more dependents if they meet Department of Defense eligibility criteria. During fiscal year 2021, there were 123,902 beneficiaries who received transferred benefits from a Service member or Veteran. Of those 94,123 were children while 29,779 were spouses. These beneficiaries are included under Post-9/11 totals on previous pages.

Congress passed Public Law 111-32 that amended the Post-9/11 GI Bill, which established The Marine Gunnery Sergeant John David Fry Scholarship (Fry Scholarship). Children of an active-duty member of the Armed Forces who dies in the line of duty on or after September 11, 2001, are eligible for this benefit. A child may be married or over 23 and still be eligible. During fiscal year 2021, 4,142 children received Post-9/11 GI Bill benefits under the Fry Scholarship.

Congress passed Public Law 113-146 that amended the Post-9/11 GI Bill, which established The Marine Gunnery Sergeant John David Fry Scholarship (Fry Scholarship). Spouses of an active-duty member of the Armed Forces who dies in the line of duty on or after September 11, 2001, are eligible for this benefit. During fiscal year 2021, 832 spouses received Post-9/11 GI Bill benefits under the Fry Scholarship.

Beneficiary count by type in FY202121

| Beneficiary Type | Count |
|----------------------------------|---------|
| Veteran | 460,332 |
| Service Member | 27,117 |
| Transfer of Eligibility - Spouse | 26,839 |
| Transfer of Eligibility - Child | 91,548 |
| Fry Spouse | 879 |
| Fry Child | 3,294 |
| Total | 610,009 |

Post-9/11 GI Bill Beneficiary Count by Gender²²

| Gender | Count | |
|-------------|---------|--|
| Female | 186,352 | |
| Male | 423,409 | |
| Undisclosed | 248 | |
| Total | 610,009 | |

Over 75% of beneficiaries use the Post-9/11 GI Bill. This data shows the breakout of Post-9/11 GI Bill beneficiaries by gender. Please note that gender is self-reported.



²¹ Source Performance Analysis & Integrity.

²² Gender is self-reported.



Education Data by State²³

State statistics do not include foreign schools and may include individuals who used their education benefits in more than one state; therefore, the totals within this table should not be used to reflect the total number of beneficiaries during the fiscal year.

| Location | POST 9/11 | MGIB- ASD | MGIB-SR | REAP | DEA | VEAP | TOTAL |
|-------------------|-----------|--------------|---------|------|--------|------|--------|
| Alabama | 11,722 | 394 | 1,156 | 0 | 6,933 | 0 | 20,205 |
| Alaska | 2,092 | 23 | 20 | 0 | 256 | 0 | 2,391 |
| Arizona | 36,718 | 1,085 | 648 | 0 | 5,664 | 0 | 44,115 |
| Arkansas | 3,278 | 95 | 727 | 0 | 2,169 | 0 | 6,269 |
| California | 63,360 | 1,017 | 1,108 | 0 | 12,829 | 0 | 78,314 |
| Colorado | 20,911 | 447 | 370 | 0 | 3,209 | 0 | 24,937 |
| Connecticut | 3,878 | 89 | 450 | 0 | 569 | 0 | 4,986 |
| Delaware | 1,445 | 21 | 126 | 0 | 330 | 0 | 1,922 |
| Dist. of Columbia | 7,174 | 76 | 52 | 0 | 858 | 0 | 8,160 |
| Florida | 45,844 | 867 | 1,240 | 0 | 12,031 | 0 | 59,982 |
| Georgia | 20,150 | 482 | 1,374 | 0 | 9,940 | 0 | 31,946 |
| Hawaii | 4,526 | 33 | 89 | 0 | 499 | 0 | 5,147 |
| Idaho | 2,865 | 83 | 247 | 0 | 801 | 0 | 3,996 |
| Illinois | 13,022 | 812 | 2,060 | 0 | 2,946 | 0 | 18,840 |
| Indiana | 11,133 | 474 | 877 | 0 | 2,081 | 0 | 14,565 |
| Iowa | 3,863 | 92 | 974 | 0 | 899 | 0 | 5,828 |
| Kansas | 6,450 | 282 | 438 | 0 | 1,571 | 0 | 8,741 |
| Kentucky | 5,734 | 152 | 887 | 0 | 2,632 | 0 | 9,405 |
| Louisiana | 5,413 | 109 | 1,055 | 0 | 3,196 | 0 | 9,773 |
| Maine | 1,768 | 41 | 139 | 0 | 811 | 0 | 2,759 |
| Maryland | 19,872 | 511 | 338 | 0 | 2,614 | 0 | 23,335 |
| Massachusetts | 8,436 | 83 | 715 | 0 | 1,285 | 0 | 10,519 |
| Michigan | 7,972 | 125 | 852 | 0 | 2,054 | 0 | 11,003 |
| Minnesota | 7,996 | 210 | 801 | 0 | 2,188 | 0 | 11,195 |
| Mississippi | 3,953 | 74 | 783 | 0 | 1,977 | 0 | 6,787 |
| Missouri | 10,781 | 471 | 924 | 0 | 2,397 | 0 | 14,573 |
| Montana | 1,755 | 51 | 126 | 0 | 365 | 0 | 2,297 |
| Nebraska | 3,983 | 204 | 343 | 0 | 1,166 | 0 | 5,696 |

²³ VRRAP and VET TEC are not included in this table given the temporary nature of the programs





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| Location | POST 9/11 | MGIB-AD | MGIB-SR | REAP | DEA | VEAP ²⁴ | TOTAL |
|-------------------------------|-----------|---------|---------|------|---------|--------------------|---------|
| Nevada | 4,296 | 104 | 347 | 0 | 1,220 | 0 | 5,967 |
| New Hampshire | 12,883 | 392 | 359 | 0 | 1,873 | 0 | 15,507 |
| New Jersey | 6,375 | 91 | 753 | 0 | 953 | 0 | 8,172 |
| New Mexico | 2,421 | 183 | 142 | 0 | 1,255 | 0 | 4,001 |
| New York | 19,574 | 270 | 908 | 0 | 3,132 | 0 | 23,884 |
| North Carolina | 18,263 | 858 | 930 | 0 | 10,458 | 0 | 30,509 |
| North Dakota | 1,448 | 36 | 551 | 0 | 356 | 0 | 2,391 |
| Ohio | 13,152 | 275 | 2,467 | 0 | 2,788 | 0 | 18,682 |
| Oklahoma | 6,301 | 246 | 899 | 0 | 3,601 | 0 | 11,047 |
| Oregon | 6,395 | 98 | 166 | 0 | 1,417 | 0 | 8,076 |
| Pennsylvania | 14,751 | 194 | 1,746 | 0 | 2,896 | 0 | 19,587 |
| Rhode Island | 1,300 | 13 | 136 | 0 | 243 | 0 | 1,692 |
| South Carolina | 9,090 | 139 | 674 | 0 | 5,246 | 0 | 15,149 |
| South Dakota | 1,656 | 39 | 413 | 0 | 331 | 0 | 2,439 |
| Tennessee | 11,168 | 206 | 618 | 0 | 3,739 | 0 | 15,731 |
| Texas | 55,942 | 2,253 | 1,735 | 0 | 21,858 | 0 | 81,788 |
| Utah | 11,996 | 990 | 640 | 0 | 2,278 | 0 | 15,904 |
| Vermont | 1,337 | 37 | 69 | 0 | 188 | 0 | 1,631 |
| Virginia | 37,941 | 1,001 | 955 | 0 | 9,661 | 0 | 49,558 |
| Washington | 15,017 | 166 | 314 | 0 | 3,532 | 0 | 19,029 |
| West Virginia | 17,495 | 870 | 624 | 0 | 1,498 | 0 | 20,487 |
| Wisconsin | 6,981 | 131 | 1,456 | 0 | 1,518 | 0 | 10,086 |
| Wyoming | 851 | 46 | 111 | 0 | 183 | 0 | 1,191 |
| Guam | 418 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 113 | 0 | 546 |
| Puerto Rico | 1,947 | 23 | 724 | 0 | 2,004 | 0 | 4,698 |
| Philippines | 199 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 429 | 0 | 647 |
| American Samoa | 18 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 36 | 0 | 63 |
| Virgin Islands | 31 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 46 |
| National Totals ²⁵ | 615,340 | 17,083 | 36,688 | 0 | 167,083 | 0 | 836,194 |

²⁴ VEAP totals by state are an estimate based on total trained during the fiscal year and not actual beneficiaries by state for this program. Does not include disenrollment.



²⁵ The totals within this table should not be used to reflect the total number of beneficiaries during the fiscal year – see note at the top of the previous page.



Education Data by International Country

Countries statistics may include individuals who used their education benefits in more than one country; therefore, the totals within this table should not be used to reflect the total number of beneficiaries during the fiscal year.

| Location | Post-9/11 GI Bill |
|------------------------|----------------------|
| Anguilla | 6 |
| Antigua | 0 |
| Australia | 120 |
| Austria | 8 |
| Barbados | 1 |
| Belgium | 7 |
| Belize | 0 |
| Bosnia- Herzegovina | 0 |
| Brazil | 1 |
| Bulgaria | 5 |
| Canada | 142 |
| Chile | 0 |
| China | 3 |
| Colombia | 10 |
| Costa Rica | 2 |
| Cyprus | 1 |
| Czech Republic | 23 |
| Denmark | 4 |
| Dominican Republic | 8 |
| Ecuador | 1 |
| Egypt | 0 |
| El Salvador | 0 |
| Estonia | 3 |
| Finland | |
| France | 3 |
| Germany | 53 |
| Greece | 7 |

| Location | Post-9/11 GI Bill |
|----------------------|----------------------|
| Grenada | 0 |
| Guatemala | 0 |
| Hong Kong | 1 |
| Hungary | 3 |
| Iceland | 2 |
| India | 0 |
| Ireland | 46 |
| Israel (Jerusalem) | 3 |
| Israel (Tel Aviv) | 5 |
| Italy | 13 |
| Jamaica | 3 |
| Japan | 43 |
| Kenya | 3 |
| Kyrgyzstan | 2 |
| Latvia | 0 |
| Lebanon | 3 |
| Lithuania | 1 |
| Malta | 1 |
| Mexico | 31 |
| Morocco | 0 |
| Netherlands | 32 |
| Netherlands Antilles | 0 |
| New Zealand | 24 |
| Nicaragua | 4 |
| Northern Ireland | 4 |
| Norway | 8 |
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| Location | Post-9/11 GI Bill |
| Panama | 5 |
| Paraguay | 1 |
| Peru | 1 |
| Philippines | 199 |
| Poland | 21 |
| Romania | 1 |
| Scotland | 91 |
| Singapore | 1 |
| Slovakia | 1 |
| South Africa | 2 |
| South American Countries | 1 |
| South Korea | 23 |
| Spain | 27 |
| St. Kitts | 6 |
| St. Vincent | 13 |
| Sweden | 8 |
| Switzerland | 6 |
| Taiwan | 6 |
| Thailand | 46 |
| Trinidad and Tobago | 0 |
| Turkey (except Adana) | 0 |
| Ukraine | 3 |
| United Arab Emirates | 1 |
| United Kingdom | 309 |
| Uruguay | 0 |
| Vietnam | 1 |
| West Indies | 81 |

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Post-9/11 GI Bill (Chapter 33) On-The-Job (OJT) and Apprenticeship Training Data by State



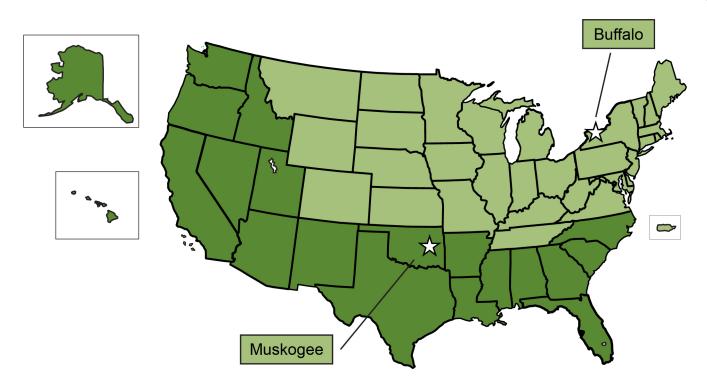
First time beneficiaries only. State statistics may include individuals who used their education benefits in more than one state; therefore, the totals within this table should not be used to reflect the total number of beneficiaries during the fiscal year.

| Location | Apprenticeship Training | On-The- Job (OJT) Training | TOTAL |
|-------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Alabama | 19 | 10 | 29 |
| Alaska | 8 | 9 | 17 |
| Arizona | 17 | 40 | 57 |
| Arkansas | 3 | 11 | 14 |
| California | 73 | 85 | 158 |
| Colorado | 27 | 31 | 58 |
| Connecticut | 7 | 1 | 8 |
| Delaware | 2 | 0 | 2 |
| Dist. of Columbia | 4 | 4 | 8 |
| Florida | 25 | 68 | 93 |
| Georgia | 31 | 56 | 87 |
| Hawaii | 3 | 5 | 8 |
| Idaho | 6 | 9 | 15 |
| Illinois | 22 | 48 | 70 |
| Indiana | 31 | 12 | 43 |
| lowa | 88 | 16 | 104 |
| Kansas | 2 | 5 | 7 |
| Kentucky | 7 | 17 | 24 |
| Louisiana | 6 | 7 | 13 |
| Maine | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Maryland | 27 | 12 | 39 |
| Massachusetts | 28 | 12 | 40 |
| Michigan | 56 | 23 | 79 |
| Minnesota | 21 | 7 | 28 |
| Mississippi | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Missouri | 30 | 15 | 45 |

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|-------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Location | Apprenticeship Training | On-The- Job (OJT) Training | TOTAL |
| Montana | 6 | 5 | 11 |
| Nebraska | 117 | 20 | 137 |
| Nevada | 2 | 5 | 7 |
| New Hampshire | 5 | 3 | 8 |
| New Jersey | 26 | 13 | 39 |
| New Mexico | 6 | 2 | 8 |
| New York | 35 | 27 | 62 |
| North Carolina | 45 | 15 | 60 |
| North Dakota | 5 | 1 | 6 |
| Ohio | 67 | 14 | 81 |
| Oklahoma | 4 | 22 | 26 |
| Oregon | 33 | 19 | 52 |
| Pennsylvania | 51 | 19 | 70 |
| Rhode Island | 3 | 0 | 3 |
| South Carolina | 3 | 22 | 25 |
| South Dakota | 3 | 3 | 6 |
| Tennessee | 23 | 42 | 65 |
| Texas | 112 | 76 | 188 |
| Utah | 13 | 0 | 13 |
| Vermont | 4 | 0 | 4 |
| Virginia | 29 | 40 | 69 |
| Washington | 59 | 38 | 97 |
| West Virginia | 3 | 6 | 9 |
| Wisconsin | 116 | 16 | 132 |
| Wyoming | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Puerto Rico | 0 | 1 | 1 |



Appendix – Maps of Education Benefit Regional Processing Office Jurisdiction



Buffalo - NY Regional Processing Office

P.O. Box 4616 Buffalo, NY 14240-4616

> Colorado Connecticut Delaware

District of Columbia

Illinois Indiana Iowa Kansas Kentucky

Maine Maryland Massachusetts

Michigan Minnesota Missouri Montana

Nebraska

New Hampshire

New Jersey New York

North Carolina

North Dakota

Ohio

Pennsylvania Rhode Island South Dakota Tennessee **US Virgin Islands** Vermont Virginia West Virginia

Wisconsin Wyoming

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Alabama Alaska Arizona Arkansas California Florida Georgia

Hawaii Idaho Louisiana

Mississippi Nevada

New Mexico Oklahoma

Oregon Puerto Rico

South Carolina

Texas Utah

Washington

All Trust Territories/

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