

The Office of Veterans Affairs and Office of Records and Registration

The goal of the Office of Veterans Affairs at Claflin University is to assist veterans in pursuing their educational, vocational or professional objectives. The Office Student Financial Aid serves as a liaison between enrolled veterans, dependents of veteran students and the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs. Our goal is to better serve our veterans and to offer availability, accuracy, and excellent service in relation to veteran educational benefits, certifying enrollments for the Department of Veterans Affairs, and monitoring students' degree plans and academic progress.

Veterans Education Benefits

(CHAPTER 34, OLD GI BILL)

This program was discontinued on December 31, 1989. Generally, veteran students under this chapter entered active duty prior to January 1, 1977. Certain students eligible under this chapter on December 31, 1989, may also be eligible for Chapter 30 educational benefits if they have additional active duty service from October 19, 1984, through June 30, 1985, and meet other criteria as established under Chapter 30 guidelines.

(CHAPTER 30, NEW GI BILL (MONTGOMERY GI BILL))

Entered Active Duty after June 30, 1985. Completed at least 2 years continuous active service; contributed \$1200 to the program; received a high school diploma or GED; and received an honorable discharge. For more information on the Montgomery GI Bill visit www.gibill.va.gov.

(CHAPTER 1606, NEW GI BILL (SELECTED RESERVE))

Any person who enlists, re-enlists, or extends an enlistment in the Selective Reserve for not less than 6 years, in addition to any other period of obligation after June 30, 1985 and completed high school or GED, IADT, 180 days of service in the selective reserve and is satisfactorily participating in required training in the selective reserve. For more information on the Reserve GI Bill visit www.gibill.va.gov.

(CHAPTER 32, VETERANS EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM)

Entered the military service after January 1, 1977, contributed to the program, and did not contract with the Armed Forces under a delayed entry program. Benefits are dependent upon total contributions made and are calculated individually. No allowance is made for payment for

related injury. For mor

