



# GI BILL COMPARISON

	Post 9/11 GI Bill	Montgomery GI Bill
<b>When Do I Qualify?</b>	90 days active aggregate service (after 9/10/01) or 30 days continuous if discharged for disability	2 yr. continuous enlistment (minimum duty varies by service, date, branch, etc.)
<b>Maximum # of Benefits</b>	36 months	36 months
<b>Tuition</b>	100% In-State Public Schools Out-of-State/ Private School Max \$27,120.05**	Full Time \$2358.00 / month** ¾ Time \$1768.50 / month ½ Time \$1179.00 / month
<b>Military Housing Allowance (MHA)</b>	E-5 with dependents (full time) OHA Rate for school location Online Only \$916.50 Foreign School \$1833	None
<b>Books &amp; Supplies Stipend</b>	\$1000	None
<b>How Payments are Made</b>	Tuition: Paid to school  Housing stipend: Paid monthly to student  Books & Supplies: Paid to student at the beginning of the term	Paid to student
<b>Duration of Benefits</b>	If your release from active duty was before January 1, 2013, there is a 15-year time limitation for use of benefits. For individuals whose last discharge date is on or after January 1, 2013, the time limitation has been removed.	Generally 10 years from last day of active duty
<b>Transferable</b>	Yes	No
<b>Yellow Ribbon Program</b>	Yes	No
<b>Degree Training</b>	Yes	Yes
<b>Non-College Training</b>	Yes	Yes
<b>On-the-Job &amp; Apprenticeship Training</b>	Yes	Yes
<b>Flight Training</b>	Yes (Max \$15,497.15)	Yes
<b>Correspondence Courses</b>	Yes (Max \$13,172.57)	Yes
<b>Licensing &amp; Certification</b>	Yes	Yes
<b>National Testing Programs</b>	Yes	Yes
<b>Work-Study Programs</b>	Yes	Yes
<b>Tutorial Assistance</b>	Yes \$100/month, \$1200 Max	Yes, after \$600 it affects your entitlement

\*Beginning July 1, 2015 the Veterans Access, Choice and Accountability Act of 2014 states that if you enroll in school within 3 years of your EAS, you will receive in-state tuition.

\*\*Rates are updated every August 1<sup>st</sup> for the Post 9/11 and every October 1<sup>st</sup> for the Montgomery GI Bill.

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