VA Benefits

If you expect to receive VA benefits from the Department of Veterans Affairs to help defray the costs of your education:

1) Contact the Department of Veterans Affairs at [http://www.va.gov/](http://www.va.gov) to determine the benefits you are eligible for. The VA helpline is 800-827-1000.

2) When you receive your certificate of eligibility, forward it to Ashley Coons, Transylvania’s assistant registrar, at acoons@transy.edu. The registrar’s office will work with student accounting services to have your VA benefits applied toward the cost of your Transylvania education.

If you have questions about how your benefits are credited toward your student account, contact student accounting services at 859-233-8150.

According to VA standards, Transylvania students who receive VA benefits are expected to maintain a **minimum grade-point average** of 2.0 (a “C” average) and to accumulate units of credit at a rate of 4.00 per year of attendance. If you fall below this standard for two consecutive semesters, the university must report your status to the Department of Veterans Affairs.