Chapters 30 and 1606 Checklist

1. Students must apply to Virginia Commonwealth University
   - Apply on line at: http://admissions.vcu.edu/
   - Verify domicile for in state tuition (If listed as Out of State contact us at: 804-828-6563)
   - Financial Aid may be used in conjunction with GI Bill benefits.
     Complete the FAFSA at: www.fafsa.ed.gov

2. Apply to utilize your GI-Bill benefits at: www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/
   - Click on Apply for Benefits (second tab mid page) click on Apply Online
   - Complete the VONAPP (Veterans On-Line Application) form 22-1990 for Veteran or Reservist
   - Provide copy of Member 4 DD-214 and
     - If CH. 30- Provide COE (Certificate of Eligibility) MUST have this letter in order to be certified
     - IF 1606- Provide Notice of Basic Eligibility (NOBE) MUST have this letter in order to be certified
   - IF Using Military Tuition Assistance- Provide Voucher Proof

3. Request Previous College Transcripts:
   - Send Transcripts to: Admissions
     PO Box 842526
     Richmond, Virginia 23284-2526

4. Register for classes/ Submit Online Form/ Meet with an Academic Advisor:
   - Register for classes (Only courses which apply to the program graduation requirement can be certified)
   - Once registered, submit the ONLINE Request for Certification Form at: go.vcu.edu/militarystudents
     *This Form MUST be SUBMITTED ONLINE EACH semester! Failure to do so will delay funding**
   - After submission, visit your academic advisor, have them verify courses, electronically sign and submit the Request for Certification to Military Student Services.

5. Transfer Students from Another College:
   - Must provide copy of current Certificate of Eligibility
   - Complete the Change of Program Place of Training Form online: form 22-1995
   - Submit new COE with VCU listed as current school of choice.

6. Guest Students:
   Students attending another college or university wanting to take a transfer course here at VCU need to provide:
   - Supplemental letter from the parent school
   - Current Certificate of Eligibility of college attending
   - Complete and turn in RFC

*To Request Your Joint Service Transcript (SMART)*
Go To jst.doded.mil
Send Electronically to VCU

Students MUST VERIFY Their Attendance EACH MONTH
By Calling GI Bill Helpline at 888-442-4551 or through
WAVE at www.gibill.va.gov/wave/index.do

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