



# VETERANS ENROLLMENT TIMELINE

## 1. VISIT WITH US

Sign up for an individual visit or a virtual visit campus with us!  
Schedule online at [msubillings.edu/future/visit](https://msubillings.edu/future/visit) or at (406) 657-2888.

Please contact New Student Services (406) 657-2888 at the University campus or (406) 247-3007 at the City College campus for questions and further assistance.

## 2. APPLY FOR ADMISSION

Complete the application online at [msubillings.edu/future/apply](https://msubillings.edu/future/apply)

- You will need to submit your immunization records, \$30 application fee (free for Montana residents), and transcripts
- We will need your high school transcript, GED test scores or HiSET scores for review if you have less than 12 college credits and official transcripts from each college you have previously attended.  
*\*All transcripts must be "official" and arrive in sealed, unopened envelopes, or arrive by secure electronic transfer (not email) from the originating institution.*
- Military transcript evaluations can be found at [www.msubillings.edu/reg/MilitaryTranscripts.htm](https://www.msubillings.edu/reg/MilitaryTranscripts.htm) *\*All transcripts must be "official" and arrive in sealed, unopened envelopes, or arrive by secure electronic transfer (not email) from the originating institution.*

## 3. SETUP YOUR CAMPUS LOGIN

- Retrieve your NetID using your Student ID at [msubillings.edu/myinfo](https://msubillings.edu/myinfo) using the "Claim your NetID now" hyperlink
- Continue to the Self-Service Password Portal or visit [pwreset.montana.edu/react/](https://pwreset.montana.edu/react/). The login and password created here will give you access to the scholarship application, campus computers, email, and Wi-Fi on campus. It will also give you access to D2L for your course (you will learn more about this when you register for classes)

## 4. FINANCIAL AID

- The FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) is online at [fafsa.ed.gov](https://fafsa.ed.gov). Use MSU Billings code **002530**.
- FAFSA opens October 1st for the next school year's aid.
- Accept your financial aid within 30 days of award in your MyInfo account.

## 5. EDUCATION BENEFITS

- Apply at [www.vets.gov](https://www.vets.gov) or [www.eBenefits.va.gov/ebenefits/homepage](https://www.eBenefits.va.gov/ebenefits/homepage) and print your eBenefits statement. Send a copy of your Certificate of Eligibility or eBenefits statement to the Military and Veteran Success Center in the 1st floor of the College of Education and meet with the Veteran Certifying Official. You will also need to complete the MSU Billings Education Benefit Certification Request Form.

## 6. SCHOLARSHIPS

- Apply for scholarships using the scholarship application portal at [msubillings.edu/scholarships](https://msubillings.edu/scholarships).
- General application opens November 1st and will be awarded on an on-going basis beginning in December. Priority deadline is February 1st.

## 7. STUDENT HOUSING

- Apply online at [msubillings.edu/reslife](https://msubillings.edu/reslife).
- Application opens December 1st and the priority deadline is May 1st for the following fall semester.

## 8. CLASS REGISTRATION AND ORIENTATION

- If you plan to begin fall semester, go to [msubillings.edu/fye/orientation](https://msubillings.edu/fye/orientation) to reserve a session and to sign up for a Yellowjacket Registration Day this summer.
- If you are starting spring or summer semester, please contact the Advising Center for a registration appointment at (406) 657-2240.

## 9. BEFORE FIRST DAY OF CLASS

- Your bill will be ready for payment up to a month before the semester starts. Confirm your attendance (even if you are receiving a refund) and arrange payment for tuition in your MyInfo account. Textbooks are reserved online through the Campus Store at [msubillings.edu/store](https://msubillings.edu/store).

*Note: Once you have met with the certifying official in the Military and Veteran Success Center; your file will be processed with the VA for educational benefits. After this process, you can confirm your attendance so the benefits are applied to your tuition and fees.*