

Important Reminders for Veteran Benefits

You must complete an Enrollment Certification Request Form for each semester, if you want your classes certified. This is on our website. Your advisor must complete the form and indicate which courses are required for the degree.

Only courses that meet a degree requirement for your major can be certified.

We can certify courses required for your intended bachelor's degree program, but you must declare that as your intended major and your advisor must indicate this degree on the advisement form.

If you change your major you need to change this in Admissions and on the official "Change in Place or Program of Study Form" for the VA. This is on our website.

Palmetto College students taking USC Lancaster classes are Guest Students at USCL. They must have their Non-Lancaster courses certified with their home college. You must submit these courses to those campus VA Offices. You can find links to those on our website.

You must notify the USCL Financial Aid and Veterans Affairs office of any changes to your schedule (dropping a course, adding a course, withdrawing).

If you withdraw from a class, notify us immediately. We will notify the V.A. We do not report any other grades to the V.A. We do report when you have graduated.

For Chapter 33 recipients, you must be enrolled in at least 7 hours (in a regular 16-week term) to get your Housing Allowance. It is fewer hours for short terms.

Our office is available to assist you with any Veteran and Military Educational Benefits questions you have.

We are located in Starr Hall room 127.

Our phone number is 803-313-7068. Our e-mail is usclfa@mailbox.sc.edu .

If you have questions about your VA payments, you can call the US Veterans Affairs Office for Education Benefits at 1-888-442-4551.