

# MONTGOMERY GI BILL®

## SELECTED RESERVE CHAPTER 1606 (MGIB-SR)

START PURSUING  
YOUR DEGREE  
TODAY!



## WHAT IS IT?

The MGIB-SR is a benefit administered by the Department of Veteran's Affairs (DVA) that provides basic educational assistance for traditional/M-day Soldiers actively serving in the Selected Reserve.

## HOW DO I QUALIFY?

- Sign a six-year enlistment contract, extension, or Officer Service Agreement
- Have a High school diploma or equivalent
- Complete Initial Active Duty for Training (IADT) or Basic Officer Leadership Course (BOLC)

## WHAT DO I GET?

- \$481 per month for full-time enrollment (effective 1 Oct 2024)
- Payment is tax free and is made directly to the Soldier each month from the DVA
- CAN be combined with Federal Tuition Assistance for the same course, when attending half-time or more.
- Can be combined with most State Tuition Assistance programs. Check with your state education office to confirm eligibility. [www.nationalguard.com/select-your-state](http://www.nationalguard.com/select-your-state)

## HOW DO I APPLY?

- Contact your State Education Office to verify eligibility.
- Submit the Veterans Online Application at: <https://www.va.gov/education/about-gi-bill-benefits>
- Notify the VA Certifying Official at your school so they can certify your enrollment
- Continue to verify your enrollment each month via text message, email, or calling 1-888-GIBILL1 (1-888-442-4551)

## FOR MORE INFORMATION:

- Contact your State Education Services Office: [www.nationalguard.com/select-your-state](http://www.nationalguard.com/select-your-state)
- Contact the Education Support Center: 866-ARNGEDU (276-4338) or [arng\\_esc@army.mil](mailto:arng_esc@army.mil)
- Visit us Online: [www.nationalguard.com/education](http://www.nationalguard.com/education)

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