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Yellow Ribbon Program at Cornell University General Information

The Yellow Ribbon GI Education Enhancement Program (Yellow Ribbon Program) is a provision of the Post-9/11 Veterans Educational Assistance Act of 2008. This program allows institutions of higher learning (degree granting institutions) in the United States to voluntarily enter into an agreement with VA to fund tuition expenses that exceed the highest public in-state undergraduate tuition rate. The institution can contribute up to 50% of those expenses and VA will match the same amount as the institution.

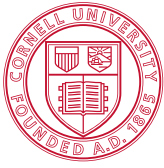
At Cornell University, each of the main units of the Ithaca Campus have agreed to participate in the program for a limited number of students, on a first come, first served basis. The main units in this context are Undergraduate Students, Graduate Students, Law Students, Johnson School Students, and Veterinary Medicine Students. First come, first served rules will be determined by the appropriate financial aid office for undergraduate, graduate, law, veterinary medicine, or graduate management students.

The Post-9/11 GI Bill pays up to the highest public in-state undergraduate tuition. The student's tuition and fees may exceed that amount if they are attending a private institution, graduate school or attending in an out-of-state status. If a student is enrolled at a Yellow Ribbon participating institution and the tuition and fees exceed the highest public in-state undergraduate tuition, additional funds may be available for their education program without an additional charge to their veteran's entitlement.

Institutions that voluntarily enter into a Yellow Ribbon Agreement with VA choose the amount of tuition and fees that will be contributed. VA will match that amount and issue payment directly to the institution.

At Cornell University for the 2009-10 academic year, the Post-9/11 GI bill will pay up to \$1,010 per credit hour per term for tuition and up to \$12,697 in fees/term. If your actual tuition and fees are greater than these amounts, you may apply for Yellow Ribbon Program funds. If approved, the VA will provide up to 50% of the additional costs and Cornell University will provide a matching amount in Cornell scholarship/grant funds.

To participate, please complete the Yellow Ribbon Program at Cornell University Application, available at the university financial aid office appropriate to your program of study.



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**Yellow Ribbon Program at Cornell University
Application Form**

Name _____ Cornell ID _____

Home Address _____

Email Address _____

Cornell College

Academic Year

	Fall	Spring
Number of Credit Hours Enrolled	_____	_____
Fees	Fall	Spring
Activity Fee	_____	_____
Health Insurance Fee (premium)	_____	_____
Other Fees (identify) _____	_____	_____
Total Fees	_____	_____

I certify that I have read and understand the Yellow Ribbon Program at Cornell University General Information sheet.

Student Signature _____ Date _____