Whitworth University
Registrar's Office
Yellow Ribbon Program

Date _____ Whitworth I.D._____

Student name _____ Major/Degree_____

Phone _____ Email _____

☐ Undergraduate program
☐ Continuing studies/adult degree
☐ Graduate program

Months of benefit remaining _____

Start term _____ _____
Term Year

Whitworth University currently participates in the Yellow Ribbon Program for 2020-21 academic year under the Post 9/11 GI Bill® (authorized under title V of the Public Law 110-252). This program is for 100-percent eligible Post-9/11 GI Bill® students. In the agreement with the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA), Whitworth and the VA will each pay 50-percent of the remaining balance* above the maximum tuition & fee reimbursement per academic year to allow eligible students to attend Whitworth with their tuition and fees paid** for the length of their entitled months of educational benefit.

*Whitworth's maximum contribution paid to the student per year is $12,000 for undergraduate students and $5,000 for graduate students. While this maximum is rarely reached, the amount is included in the agreement.
**Per VA rules, fees are mandatory charges (other than tuition, room, and board) applied by the school for pursuit of an approved program of education. Fees include, but are not limited to, health premiums, freshman fees, graduation fees and lab fees. Fees do not include study-abroad course(s) unless a course is a mandatory requirement for completion of the approved program of education.

WHITWORTH UNIVERSITY YELLOW RIBBON POLICY:

_____ Initials
1. Admittance into the Yellow Ribbon Program is contingent upon verification that the applicant is 100-percent eligible under the Post-9/11 GI Bill® and has received such documentation. Applicant must be admitted to Whitworth University prior to applying to participate in the Yellow Ribbon Program.

_____ Initials
2. The following individuals are not eligible for the Yellow Ribbon Program: active duty personnel or spouses of active duty personnel using transferred entitlement.

_____ Initials
3. The applicant MUST submit a copy of his/her certificate of eligibility as received from the Department of Veterans Affairs stating they are 100-percent eligible to receive VA benefits under the provision of Chapter 33, Title 38 prior to applying for this program.

_____ Initials
4. Each academic program has a limited number of available slots for students in the Yellow Ribbon Program per Whitworth's agreement with the Department of Veterans Affairs. If that limit has been met for the current academic year, the applicant will not be able to participate in the Yellow Ribbon Program at Whitworth University for that year. The applicant does not need to reapply for the next academic year, eligibility continues as long as the student has remaining benefits with the VA.

_____ Initials
5. The admitted student may only participate in the Yellow Ribbon Program at Whitworth University for the duration of the entitlement as specified on their certificate of eligibility. Once their eligibility has expired, the student will no longer receive benefits under the Yellow Ribbon Program at Whitworth University.

_____ Initials
6. It is understood that any charges the student accrues that are not covered by the Yellow Ribbon Program would therefore be the student's responsibility. Students are also responsible for verifying as to what charges that the Yellow Ribbon Program does or does not cover *before* those charges are incurred.

The information on this form is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and I understand and agree to the Whitworth University Yellow Ribbon Policy.

_____
Student signature Date

For Office Use Only:
☐ Accepted ☐ Denied Starting year_____
By:_____Date:_____ Initials _____

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