

CHECK LIST for VETERANS

<input type="checkbox"/>	Apply to the College. http://www.palmbeachstate.edu/admissions/admissions-applications.aspx
<input type="checkbox"/>	Declare Florida Residency (if applicable). See Florida residency for tuition purposes guidelines
<input type="checkbox"/>	Submit official transcripts http://www.palmbeachstate.edu/admissions/transcript-request.aspx <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ High School or GED certificate ✓ All colleges that you have previously attended ✓ Military training transcripts (https://jst.doded.mil/smart/signIn.do) or Air Force (http://www.airuniversity.af.mil/Barnes/CCAF/Display/Article/803247/)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Apply for VA educational benefits - KEEP CONFIRMATION NUMBER Go to Veterans Online Application, https://www.vets.gov/education/apply/#modal GI Bill Comparison Tool, https://www.vets.gov/gi-bill-comparison-tool/ Misplaced your DD214? Military Records Request Go to https://www.ebenefits.va.gov/ebenefits/homepage
<input type="checkbox"/>	Need additional financial assistance? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Submit your FAFSA (https://fafsa.ed.gov/) to qualify for work-study, scholarships, and grants ✓ Go to www.palmbeachstate.edu/financialaid to apply for Foundation Scholarships
<input type="checkbox"/>	PLACEMENT TESTING (if applicable) www.palmbeachstate.edu/Testing
<input type="checkbox"/>	Create an Educational Plan: Set up an appointment with an Academic Advisor for veterans on your campus: Belle Glade: Call 561-993-1167 Boca Raton: Erica Weissman, weissmae@palmbeachstate.edu , 561-862-4383 Lake Worth: Christopher Shanks, shanksc@palmbeachstate.edu , 561-868-3037 Palm Beach Gardens: Ashton Davis, davisa@palmbeachstate.edu , 561-2075354 Loxahatchee Groves: Call 561-790-9021
<input type="checkbox"/>	Register and Attend New Student Orientation (not applicable for transfer students)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Register for classes via PantherWeb at https://webservices4.palmbeachstate.edu/FCCSC/registration/coursesearch.jsp
<input type="checkbox"/>	Submit Veteran Certification Request (VCR) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ You MUST submit a new VCR each semester that you enroll If you make changes to your class schedule or withdrawal from a class, you MUST submit a revised VCR ASAP ✓ If you are changing your program of study and/or institution, you MUST submit form 22-1995 to the VA ✓ The first time using your benefits, you will need to submit a copy of your DD214 and Certificate of Eligibility (COE). The COE will arrive in the mail approximately 30 days after you apply for VA benefits ✓ Financial aid will need an updated copy of your COE if you transferred from another institution where you used VA education benefits. Log in at https://www.ebenefits.va.gov/ebenefits/homepage ✓ Request a deferment if you are waiting on your COE
<input type="checkbox"/>	Submit Veteran/Dependent Out-of-State Tuition Waiver (if applicable) each semester http://www.palmbeachstate.edu/finance/Documents/ARForm-VeteranDepOutTuitionWaiverForm.pdf
<input type="checkbox"/>	Obtain PantherCard and Parking Decal Bring a copy of your class schedule, vehicle registration, and valid photo ID to the campus security office for parking decal. PantherCards can be obtained at any campus Bookstore.
<input type="checkbox"/>	If you have a Disability, stop at the Office of Disability Support Services to obtain an information pamphlet
<input type="checkbox"/>	Purchase Textbooks and Attend Classes Waiting for VA money to purchase books/supplies? Check with your VA advisor for information on the IBIS book stipend. http://www.palmbeachstate.edu/student-services/forms/bookstipend.aspx

For assistance and/questions, contact the Veteran Academic Advisor or Veterans' Resource Center at 561-868-3380 and vabenefits@palmbeachstate.edu