West Virginia
<u>VETERANS RE-EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIPS</u>

Last year the West Virginia Legislature renewed their allocation of $270,000.00 in grant monies
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<u>Eligibility</u>

The Candidate:

1. Must be a West Virginia resident.

2. Must be an honorably discharged veteran.

3. Must have served 181 consecutive days of military service.
    (Reservists with active duty for training only are not eligible.)

4. Must be Pell eligible or unemployed.

5. Must have exhausted Federal VA Education Benefits, including VA Vocational
    Rehabilitation Training Money.*

6. Students receiving WIA (Workforce Investment Act) and/or TAA (Trade Adjustment
    Act) funds are eligible for Re-Education funds only if cost of program exceeds WIA
    and/or TAA maximums.

Application and eligibility verification will be handled by the financial aid department at all
eligible educational institution. Full time students can receive $750 per term, half-
time students $375 per term. The amount shall not exceed $2,250 per institutional calendar year.

The legislation also set aside $20,000.00 to be used for the purpose of covering the cost of
challenging professional exams (for example, LPN, electrician), licensing certifications, and
licensing fees.

If you require additional information, please call Davis & Elkins College Veterans Upward
Bound at (800) 624-3157, Ext. 1322 or contact your school financial aid officer.

Applications will not be accepted directly from students. The educational institution should
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them to:

> Keith Gwinn, Director, WV Veterans Affairs
> 1321 Plaza East
> Charleston WV 25301-1400

*If a veteran is receiving either Montgomery GI Educational Benefits or VA Vocational
Rehabilitation Educational Benefits, they are not eligible for WV Re-Education Benefits.

**The institution you are attending must be able to receive and disburse your award.

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VETERANS RE-EDUCATION ACT FUND REQUISITION

Name _____SSN_____

Address_____Telephone_____

_____ Character of Discharge _____