

Transfer of Education Benefits (TEB) Post-9/11 GI Bill®

1. What Is It?

 TEB is an incentive for continued service offered to Service Members who qualify for the Post-9/11 GI Bill. All Airmen considering TEB should initiate the TEB process as soon as they meet the requirements (Ref: Title 38 USC Section 3319; DoDI 1341.13).

2. How Do I Qualify?

- · Qualify for the Post-9/11 GI Bill at any payment tier
- · Be currently serving in the Uniformed Services, with at least six years completed
- · NOT be flagged for adverse action, or as Unsatisfactory Participant
- · Agree to a four-year service obligation from the date of your transfer request
- · Transfer to an eligible dependent:
 - o Spouse and/or dependents must be listed under you in DEERS
 - o Transfers to children must be completed before each child's 21st birthday; 23rd birthday if they are enrolled full-time at an Educational Institution.

3. What Do I Get?

- Dependents receive the same payment eligibility tier as the Airman.
- · Spouse:
 - o May use transferred benefits immediately.
 - o If your last day of qualifying service is before Jan. 1, 2013, your spouse's eligibility ends 15 years from the last day of that qualifying duty.
 - o If your last day of qualifying service is on or after Jan. 1, 2013, your spouse's eligibility never ends.
 - o The spouse of an Airman on Active Duty/AGR is NOT eligible for the Housing Stipend.
- · Child/Children:
 - o Cannot use the benefit until transferring Airman has completed 10 years in the Armed Forces o Is always paid as if the Airman is in a Non-Active Duty Status
 - o Can begin using the benefit on their 18th birthday or upon high school graduation, whichever comes first
 - o A child's eligibility ends on their 26th birthday unless you specify an earlier end date.
- You can modify and/or revoke months between any dependent you originally transferred months to - even after you separate from service.

Important! You must be currently serving to ADD a new dependent.

For more information:

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