## **Summer 2020 Enrollment Information**

## NOTE: Please read the information completely before enrolling in Summer 2020 courses

Mid-March, the President signed into law a provision to protect GI Bill recipients' monthly housing allowance if their classes were moved from campus to online due to COVID-19. While this is great news for students, there are specific rules that students need to understand before enrolling in courses.

Students using Post 9/11 (Chapter 33) GI Bill or Vocational Rehabilitation (Chapter 31) will continue to receive the oncampus housing allowance if they are enrolled in courses that <u>were intended to be held on-campus</u>. If a student enrolls in courses and all of those courses were intended to be held online, they will receive the online housing allowance rate (a maximum of \$894.50 per month).

As students are selecting classes to enroll in, please review the Summer 2020 course lists on the Veterans Services website alongside your Education Plan. As long as one summer course you enroll in was intended to be held on-campus, you will receive the on-campus housing allowance (a maximum of \$2,592 per month). Courses that were intended to be held on-campus will be under the heading "Campus Summer 2020" while courses that were intended to be held online will be under the heading "Online Summer 2020." You may speak with a Veterans Services team member if you have questions on whether the class you are selecting was intended to be held on-campus or online.

<u>IMPORTANT:</u> If you have questions or need clarification on which courses to enroll for summer 2020, please speak with a member of the Veterans Services Counseling team. For students without a SURF ID number, appointments can be scheduled by going to miracosta.edu/counseling and clicking the button labeled, "Chat with General Counseling Specialist or Staff." For students with a SURF ID number, appointments can be scheduled by going to miracosta.edu/counseling and scrolling to the 'Veterans Counseling' section and clicking the button labeled, "Schedule an Online Veterans Counseling Appointment."

For summer courses, the following information applies\*:

6 week courses (6/15 – 7/25)

4 units = full-time

8 week courses (6/15 – 8/7)

6 units = full-time

\*Different beginning & end dates are considered to be separate terms. MiraCosta reports actual beginning dates, ending dates, and actual credits as listed on each student's Enrollment Summary to the Department of Veterans Affairs (DVA). The DVA will make the conversion, not the school.