# GUIDE TO PAYING FOR YOUR COLLEGE EDUCATION

# **DID YOU KNOW...**

### **Current Service Members:**

The INARNG has federal and state tuition assistance programs to help pay
for college. You may qualify for up to 16 credit hours of federally paid
tuition per year in addition to 8 semesters of paid college from the state.
 Visit <a href="https://goarmyed.com/Login.aspx">https://goarmyed.com/Login.aspx</a> and initiate your account.

### **Veterans and Current Service Members:**

- Many National Guard Soldiers qualify for 4 different types of GI Bills!
   Without knowing the types you qualify for, or the order in which you should use them, you may lose or be denied your benefits. Visit <a href="http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/">http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/</a> to learn more about each type of GI Bill.
- When you apply for you GI Bill, you must also submit a VA ONCE! Without
  this, your GI Bill application will be sent to the end of the line to be
  processed until you also submit this document. Contact your school and
  visit <a href="https://www.vaonce.vba.va.gov/vaonce\_student/default.asp">https://www.vaonce.vba.va.gov/vaonce\_student/default.asp</a>
  to fill it out.
- While using your GI Bill, you must verify your attendance using the WAVE system. Visit <a href="https://gibill.va.gov/wave/index.do">https://gibill.va.gov/wave/index.do</a> every month you are in school using the GI Bill.
- You could be eligible for up to \$50,000 for Student Loan Repayment upon re-enlistment into the INARNG. Or if you contracted for SLRP already, you may not have turned in the correct paperwork to receive your payments. Remember, you must submit a NSLDS report and DD 2475s completed by your lender each year to the state education office to receive payments. NSLDS can be retrieved at <a href="www.nslds.ed.gov">www.nslds.ed.gov</a>

## WE CAN HELP!

To learn more about your education

benefits and incentives, contact the

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