The Yellow Ribbon GI® Education Enhancement Program (Yellow Ribbon Program) is a provision of the Post-9/11 Veterans Educational Assistance Act of 2009. This program allows institutions in the United States to voluntarily enter into an agreement with the VA to fund tuition expenses that exceed the highest public in-state undergraduate tuition rate.

CONDITIONS: Western has entered into an agreement with the Department of Veteran Affairs to fund tuition expenses that exceed the resident tuition rate at Western Washington University (Yellow Ribbon Program). Western has agreed to wave 50% of the difference between resident and non-resident tuition; the VA will match the amount waived and issue payment directly to Western. This waiver will be offered to twelve undergraduate students on a first come first basis who meet the following eligibility requirements.

ELIGIBILITY:
- You must be eligible for Post 9/11 GI® Bill at the 100% rate to be considered.
- Were honorably discharged from active duty for a service-connected disability and served 30 continuous days after September 10, 2001 or
- Are a dependent eligible for Transfer of Entitlement under the Post-9/11 GI® Bill based on an individual’s service under the eligibility criteria listed at 100%.

PROCEDURES: Complete the application section below and attach a copy of your DD-214. If you are receiving benefits from a parent or spouse we need a copy of their DD-214 (if they are still on active duty, no DD-214 is needed) and a copy of the completed Transfer of Entitlement page found at the TEB website or the Certificate of Eligibility.

For additional information, please contact the Veterans Services Office at (360)-650-3324

APPLICATION SECTION

WESTERN NUMBER: ____________ DATE RECEIVED: ____________

For what academic year are you applying? _______________________

Name _______________________________ Student Number ___________

Email _______________________________ Daytime Phone ____________

I certify that I meet the eligibility requirements and conditions listed above.

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Signature Date

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