

Using your VA Benefits

Many NRA Summer Classes are available for credit. Classes taken for credit toward the Gunsmithing Technician certificate are eligible for payment using financial aid, GI Bill, and Vocational Rehab. Certain restrictions may apply. Please talk to our financial aid office concerning your individual case: Christina Sisneros, Director Financial Aid, at 719-589-7045 or christina.sisneros@trinidadstate.edu Click [here](#) for complete information on using your veteran benefits.

PLEASE KEEP IN MIND THAT YOUR PARTICIPATION IN ALL HOURS OF CLASS IS CRITICAL IF YOU ARE TAKING A CLASS FOR CREDIT. FAILURE TO BE PRESENT THE ENTIRE WEEK OF CLASS CAN RESULT IN A DROP IN YOUR GRADE, WHICH IS RECORDED ON AN OFFICIAL COLLEGE TRANSCRIPT.

****GI Bill and Tools****

Effective January 1, 2020, tools for Gunsmithing/Summer NRA courses will not be eligible for reimbursement by the Veterans Administration/GI Bill. Students will be responsible for purchasing, and having available, the tools and materials listed in the description for each course in order to complete class projects. If you are unsure whether a particular tool is required to complete your project, please contact your instructor.

Many items that are required for programs like gunsmithing, automotive and the line technician programs may be purchased at the TSC bookstore, but may also be available through other vendors.