

Name of Policy: Minimum Standards of Progress for Veterans
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**Policy:**

The Veterans Administration requires that all students receiving VA benefits at Kansas City Art Institute comply with the Veterans Administration minimum standards of progress. These standards require that students using VA benefits must be making satisfactory progress toward a degree while attending KCAI. Students receiving benefits are subject to the academic and probation policies of KCAI, which have been approved by the Veterans Administration as minimum standards of progress. Notice of these standards is given to each student receiving VA benefits every year, and can be found by reading the Satisfactory Academic Progress policy as well as the academic probation policy.

If a student's satisfactory academic progress is not met and federal aid eligibility is lost, GI bill benefits cannot be resumed until KCAI's requirements for reinstatement have been met.

Programs about educational benefits to veterans, dependents and war orphans are coordinated by Financial Aid and the Registrar. Students are assisted in obtaining benefits for their selected programs and in providing certifications to the Veterans Administration. KCAI is approved for veterans training by the state's Veterans Commission. In order to qualify for full GI Bill benefits, an undergraduate student must carry a minimum of 12 hours of credit per semester.