Georgia Highlands College has elected to enter into an agreement with the Department of Veterans Affairs to make additional coverage available to a limited number of Veterans who are paying out-of-state tuition through the Yellow Ribbon Program.

For students to be considered, the requester must meet the following criteria:

1. Be a veteran or designated transferee. Active duty service-members and their spouses do not qualify.

2. Submit a Certificate of Eligibility (COE) verifying Post 9/11 eligibility at the 100% tier. Fry Scholarship recipients are not eligible for Yellow Ribbon.

3. Submit a Veterans Enrollment Form.

4. Submit a copy of DD214, Member 4 copy (if applicable).

5. Be considered an “out-of-state” resident for tuition purposes because he/she does not meet the criteria for “in-state” residency or “out-of-state” waivers. Recipients must apply for residency or waivers first.

6. Georgia Highlands College must be listed as the home institution.

7. Must be a degree seeking student.

*Students must maintain satisfactory academic status, conduct, and attendance throughout the academic year as defined in GHC policy to maintain eligibility for Yellow Ribbon.* Yellow Ribbon coverage will be made available on a first-come, first serve basis. Students must complete registration and submit all requested documents before requesting Yellow Ribbon. Interested students can email va@highlands.edu to begin the verification process. Eligible students will be wait-listed once the Yellow Ribbon capacity is met. Schedule adjustments after enrollment certification is completed can result in a VA overpayment and reduction in Yellow Ribbon coverage.

If you would like to request Yellow Ribbon Funds, please complete the following:

Full Name: _________________________________  GHC ID#: _______________________

Semester Applying: ___________________________ Date: _________________________