Using your GI Bill: J Term

Taking a January Term class allows you to receive BAH for most of January. Just like during the fall and spring semesters, any courses you take using your GI Bill must meet unfilled degree requirements. It is your responsibility to be certain the courses you are taking meet your degree requirements. Although you are not required to meet with your advisor prior to January Term registration, we encourage you to do so if you have any questions about how a January term course will fit into your degree program.

During January Term, a one-credit course is considered half-time, and a two credit course is considered full-time. You are only allowed to take one course due to the condensed nature of the courses.

Chapter 33 (Post 9/11 GI Bill) Students: BAH is prorated on enrollment, and online (distance learning) classes are paid at a different rate than traditional in-person classes. You must enroll in at least two credits to receive any BAH during the January term. Tuition, fees, and book money (if you haven’t already reached your cap) are paid in the normal way for January Term.

The current distance learning BAH rate is $840.50 a month. And the current in-person class BAH is $2006 for UNH-Durham. January online classes will entitle you to the distance learning BAH rate from December 28, 2016 to January 20, 2018. January in-person classes will entitle you to the in-person BAH rate from January 2, 2018 to January 19, 2018. Your normal BAH will start back up on the 23rd of January when Spring Semester 2018 begins.

If you have any questions, please contact the Military & Veteran Services Office at (603) 862-0643 or unh.veterans@unh.edu