There are three ways to use the Hazlewood exemption:
1. Texas Veteran, 2. Legacy and 3. Dependent and Spouse of a Texas Veteran who is rated by VA as 100% disabled for the purpose of employability, Missing in Action, Killed in action, or Death related to service.

Award Amount: Eligible veterans, their children and spouses may receive an exemption of the payment of tuition, fees, and other required charges, including fees for one undergraduate degree, a graduate degree or law degree up to 150 credit hours maximum. All courses you register for must be on your degree plan or fulfill degree requirements. Awards may not be used to pay tuition and relevant fees for continuing education classes unless one of the following applies: (1) the college receives state tax support for the classes, or (2) the governing board has specifically approved this benefit. Distance Education students who are classified as non-resident are ineligible for Hazlewood as courses are considered self-supporting. Excludes: deposit fees, student service fees, study abroad fees, charges for books, application fee, orientation fee, IS 1100, PADR fees, Mourning Engineering fee, all enhanced and program fees, travel, lodging, board, or clothing and other self-supporting fees for continuing courses or degree programs. MBA for Working Professional Program Note: has self-supporting fees that will not be covered by Hazlewood. If eligible for Hazlewood at full benefit, expect only 30 to 40 % to be covered by Hazlewood.

Financial Aid Note: The Hazlewood benefit will impact your financial aid award as Hazlewood is noted as a resource of funds. For information or questions regarding this information, contact your Financial Aid representative Johnny.Brown@ttu.edu, West Hall Room

Satisfactory Academic Progress: Veterans, Legacy, Spouses and dependents of 100% VA rated disabled veterans must meet the SAP excessive hours and GPA. Excluded from SAP GPA are Spouses and Dependents of Veteran’s service connected death, KIA and MIA.

Application Process, Billing & Deadline: There are four semesters within an academic year in which a student can apply for the exemption. The semesters are Fall, Spring, First Summer, and Second Summer. Immediately following registration each semester, a student must submit the appropriate completed Hazlewood application and supporting documents to MVP by mail or in person no later than the 12th class day (fall and spring) 4th class day (summer 1 and summer 2). Incomplete application are not reviewed or approved. Due to the volume of applications, allow 30 business days processing. Billing: If the application is approved, the exemption is posted to the student’s account summary on Raiderlink (no later than 3 business days before tuition payments are due if you submit the application and documents within the appropriate 30 Business Day processing time frame). Although applications will be accepted until the last class day of the current semester, MVP strongly encourages students to submit all required certification documents immediately following registration.

DD214 Information: Be sure you are submitting an official complete DD214. Permissible copies of DD214 are Member 4, Service 2, Veterans Administration 3, Dept. of Labor 5, State Dir. Of VA – 6, Service 7, and Service 8. If using prior service active duty time, the prior service DD214 with discharge is also required. A member 1 and 4 together on one page is not acceptable.

1. Veteran applying to receive Hazlewood:
   - Registration is complete. The student has registered for all classes at Texas Tech University with no expected changes.
   - Complete Hazlewood Initial Application TVC-ED-1a http://www.tvc.texas.gov/Hazlewood-Act.aspx Click on “Hazlewood application”.
   - I have reviewed all application instructions, Hazlewood overview and understand what is required by TTU and TVC.
   - I have printed clearly. All printed information is important so, print legibly.
   - Sections A, C and D of the Hazlewood application are complete. If a question is not applicable, write N/A.
   - I have signed the Hazlewood application in section D.
   - Official DOD214 showing place of entry as Texas or Home of record as Texas, 181 active days, with honorable or under honorable conditions discharge.
   - If served after 9/11/2001 – Attach VA eligibility Award or Denial letter of federal educational benefits.
   - I have attached proof that I currently physically reside in Texas: UTILITY Or PHONE BILL with veteran name & address and is less than 30 days old, OR two other documents.
   - I have attached the Hazlewood Database verification page. Use this link https://hazlewood.tvc.texas.gov/students/ create a username and password for yourself using your own information, log in, screen print the information being reported.
   - Verify your Hazlewood classification via this link: http://www.depts.ttu.edu/afism/AFISMApplicationsv2/Hazlewood/
   - Write your R# in the right hand corner of each page you are submitting.
   - I have retained a copy of all items for my records.

2. Legacy (Veteran transfers unused hours to a qualifying dependent child 25 years old or younger – Hazlewood hours are restricted. Refer to the Legacy policy on the MVP website.)
   - Registration is complete. The student has registered for all classes at Texas Tech University with no expected change.
   - Complete Hazlewood Initial Application TVC-ED-1a http://www.tvc.texas.gov/Hazlewood-Act.aspx Click on “Hazlewood application”.
   - I have reviewed all application instructions, Hazlewood overview and understand what is required by TTU and TVC.
   - I have printed clearly. All printed information is important so, print legibly.
   - Sections A, B, C and E of the Hazlewood application are complete. If a question is not applicable, write N/A.
   - The veteran and dependent have signed the application in section E.
   - DOD214 showing place of entry as Texas or Home of record as Texas, 181 active days, with honorable or under honorable conditions discharge.
   - If service after 08/01/2009 – Attach VA eligibility Award or Denial letter of educational benefits proving the child is eligible or ineligible for Post 9/11 GI Bill. See the Hazlewood application instructions for more information.
   - I have attached most recent tax return of veteran dependent child or child’s birth certificate listing veteran as parent or other court ordered document.
   - I have attached proof the veteran currently physically reside in Texas: UTILITY Or PHONE BILL with veterans name & address which is less than 30 days old, OR two other documents.
   - Deceased Veteran: Death not related to service: Death certificate required.
   - The Veteran has attached the Hazlewood Database verification page. Use this link https://hazlewood.tvc.texas.gov/students/ to create a username and password for yourself using your own information (your name and SSN#), log in, screen print the information being reported.
   - The dependent has attached the Hazlewood Database verification page. Use this link https://hazlewood.tvc.texas.gov/students/ create a username and password for yourself using your own information (your name and SSN#), log in, screen print the information being reported.
   - Verify your Hazlewood classification via this link: http://www.depts.ttu.edu/afism/AFISMApplicationsv2/Hazlewood/
   - Write your R# in the right hand corner of each page you are submitting.
   - I have retained a copy of all items for my records.

3. Dependent or Spouse of a Veteran who is rated 100% disabled for the purpose of employability, KIA or MIA – no age limit for dependent
   - Registration is complete. The student has registered for all classes at Texas Tech University with no expected change.
   - Complete Hazlewood Initial Application TVC-ED-1a http://www.tvc.texas.gov/Hazlewood-Act.aspx Click on “Hazlewood application”.
   - I have reviewed all application instructions, Hazlewood overview and understand what is required by TTU and TVC.
   - I have printed clearly. All printed information is important so, print legibly.
   - Sections A, B, C and D of the Hazlewood application are complete. If a question is not applicable, write N/A.
   - I signed the application in section D.
   - DOD214 showing place of entry as Texas or Home of record as Texas, 181 active days, with honorable or under honorable conditions discharge
   - 100% Disabled: VA rating letter stating veteran is 100% totally and permanently disabled, OR Chapter 35 DEA Certificate of eligibility of child or Spouse.
   - KIA or MIA: VA FORM DD1300
     - If service after 08/01/2009 – Attach VA eligibility Award or Denial letter of educational benefits proving the child or spouse is eligible or ineligible for Post 9/11 GI Bill. See the Hazlewood application instructions for more information.
     - Attach most recent tax return of veteran listing dependent child or child’s birth certificate listing veteran as parent or other court ordered document.
     - If spouse, marriage license.
     - The dependent or spouse has attached the Hazlewood Database verification page. Use this link https://hazlewood.tvc.texas.gov/students/ create a username and password for yourself using your own information (your name and SSN#), log in, screen print the information being reported.
   - Verify your Hazlewood classification via this link: http://www.depts.ttu.edu/afism/AFISMApplicationsv2/Hazlewood/
   - Write your R# in the right hand corner of each page you are submitting.
   - I have retained a copy of all items for my records.

Previous recipients at Texas Tech University – (Continuously receiving Hazlewood at Texas Tech University with no breaks in enrollment or receipt of Hazlewood).
   - NOTICE: If there is a break (excludes Summer 1 and Summer 2) in receiving Hazlewood, you must re-submit all required applications and supporting documents.
   - The student has registered for all classes at Texas Tech University with no expected change.
   - Confirm you’ve registered for and have logged into the Hazlewood database https://hazlewood.tvc.texas.gov/students/
   - If using Post 9/11 benefits and Hazlewood together, you MUST submit the most recent letter from VA regarding federal benefits with your Hazlewood application.
   - Veterans, Legacy and children and spouses of 100% disabled veterans must meet the Financial Aid Satisfactory Academic Progress Policy – SAP GPA.