

## What's In Your Toolbox? (College Counseling Resources)

Military Specific Resources *** All Web URLs listed for information ONLY!		
Name	Address/URL	Format
<b>Apprenticeship</b>		
United Services Military Apprenticeship Program (USMAP) <small>** At this time for coast Guard, Marine Corps and Navy</small>	<a href="https://usmap.cnet.navy.mil/usmapss/static/usmap.jsp">https://usmap.cnet.navy.mil/usmapss/static/usmap.jsp</a>	Online
United States Dept of Labor - Office of Apprenticeship	<a href="http://www.doleta.gov/OA/">http://www.doleta.gov/OA/</a>	
<b>Executive Order 13607 -</b>		
Federal Register /Vol. 77, No. 85 /Wednesday, May 2, 2012 Presidential Documents	<a href="http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2012-05-02/pdf/2012-10715.pdf">http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2012-05-02/pdf/2012-10715.pdf</a>	Online
American Legion Comments on Exec Order 13607	<a href="http://www.legion.org/legislative/testimony/166793/examining-executive-order-13607-and-its-impact">http://www.legion.org/legislative/testimony/166793/examining-executive-order-13607-and-its-impact</a>	Online
GI Bill Magazine Comments on Exec Order 13607	<a href="http://www.gibillmagazine.com/obama-signs-executive-order-to-protect-troops-from-for-profit-college-deceptive-practices.html">http://www.gibillmagazine.com/obama-signs-executive-order-to-protect-troops-from-for-profit-college-deceptive-practices.html</a>	Online
Executive Order 13607	<a href="http://www.dantes.doded.mil/education-counselors/dod-mou/index.html">http://www.dantes.doded.mil/education-counselors/dod-mou/index.html</a>	Online
<b>Financial Aid</b>		
American Legion - "Need A Lift?"	<a href="http://needalift.org/">http://needalift.org/</a>	Online booklet
Members of the U.S. Armed Forces - Federal student Loan benefits	<a href="http://www.studentaid.ed.gov/sites/default/files/military-student-loan-benefits.pdf">http://www.studentaid.ed.gov/sites/default/files/military-student-loan-benefits.pdf</a>	Online
<small>** See U.S. Dept of Veterans Affairs -- for VA Education programs</small>		
<b>Foreign Transcript Evaluation</b>		
AACRAO	<a href="http://ies.aacrao.org/about/">http://ies.aacrao.org/about/</a>	Online
NACES	<a href="http://www.naces.org/members.html">http://www.naces.org/members.html</a>	Online
<b>Free College Prep / Career Exploration</b>		
Career Exploration (for military careers - all branches of service)	<a href="http://www.careersinthemilitary.com/">http://www.careersinthemilitary.com/</a>	Online
DLRSA - Take a Survey to see if Distance Learning is right for You	<a href="http://www.dantescatalogs.com/DIDemo/diDemIntro.aspx">http://www.dantescatalogs.com/DIDemo/diDemIntro.aspx</a>	Online
Kuder® Journey	<a href="http://www.dantes.kuder.com/">http://www.dantes.kuder.com/</a>	Online
Kuder® Journey for Family Members (via Military OneSource)	<a href="https://www.militaryonesourceeap.org/achievesolutions/en/militaryonesource/login.do">https://www.militaryonesourceeap.org/achievesolutions/en/militaryonesource/login.do</a>	Online
Peterson's - Online Academic Skills Course (OASC) & College Placement Skills Training (CPST)	<a href="http://www.nelnetsolutions.com/dantes/">http://www.nelnetsolutions.com/dantes/</a>	Online / Log In
VA - Choosing a college	<a href="http://www.gibill.va.gov/resources/education_resources/choosing_a_school.html">http://www.gibill.va.gov/resources/education_resources/choosing_a_school.html</a>	Online
<b>Kindle Books / eGuides</b>		
American Institute for Preventive Medicine (various military info booklets)	<a href="http://www.healthylife.com/template.asp?pageID=12">http://www.healthylife.com/template.asp?pageID=12</a>	Online
Quick Series	<a href="http://www.quickseries.com/">http://www.quickseries.com/</a>	Online
<b>Military Experience to college credits</b>		
ACE CREDIT Registry and Transcript System	<a href="http://www.acenet.edu/news-room/Pages/Military-Guide-Online.aspx">http://www.acenet.edu/news-room/Pages/Military-Guide-Online.aspx</a>	Online / Log In
ACE- Find out if military course has been evaluated	<a href="http://www2.acenet.edu/militaryguide/CourseSearch.cfm">http://www2.acenet.edu/militaryguide/CourseSearch.cfm</a>	Online
Community College of the Air Force (CCAF)	<a href="http://www.au.af.mil/au/ccaf/">http://www.au.af.mil/au/ccaf/</a>	Online
Joint Services Transcript (JST) formerly SMART / AARTS / CG Transcript	<a href="https://jst.doded.mil">https://jst.doded.mil</a>	Online / Log In
The Ace Credit® College and University Network	<a href="http://www.acenet.edu/news-room/Pages/The-ACE-CREDIT®-College-and-University-Network.aspx">http://www.acenet.edu/news-room/Pages/The-ACE-CREDIT®-College-and-University-Network.aspx</a>	pdf Online
<b>Military Family Members - Education Assistance</b>		
Army Spouse Education Assistance Program (SEAP)	<a href="http://www.aerhq.org/dnn563/EducationalAssistance/Spouses.aspx">http://www.aerhq.org/dnn563/EducationalAssistance/Spouses.aspx</a>	Online
Air Force General Henry H. Arnold Education Grant Program	<a href="http://www.afas.org/education-grants">http://www.afas.org/education-grants</a>	Online
Coast Guard Mutual Assistance Education grants and loans	<a href="http://www.cgmahq.org/Assistance/Programs/edu.html">http://www.cgmahq.org/Assistance/Programs/edu.html</a>	Online
College Scholarships.org	<a href="http://www.collegescholarships.org/scholarships/family.htm">http://www.collegescholarships.org/scholarships/family.htm</a>	Online
Military OneSource	<a href="https://www.militaryonesourceeap.org/achievesolutions/en/militaryonesource/login.do">https://www.militaryonesourceeap.org/achievesolutions/en/militaryonesource/login.do</a>	Online / Log In
MyCAA	<a href="https://aiportal.acc.af.mil/mycaa/Default.aspx">https://aiportal.acc.af.mil/mycaa/Default.aspx</a>	Online / Log In
National Military Family Association (NMFA)	<a href="http://www.militaryfamily.org/">http://www.militaryfamily.org/</a>	Online / Log In
Navy-Marine Corps Relief Society's (NMCRS) education programs	<a href="http://www.nmcrs.org/pages/education-loans-and-scholarships">http://www.nmcrs.org/pages/education-loans-and-scholarships</a>	Online
Post 9/11 GI Bill - Transferability	<a href="http://www.defense.gov/home/features/2009/0409_gibill/">http://www.defense.gov/home/features/2009/0409_gibill/</a>	Online
*Transfer of Post 9/11 GI Bill -- VA information	<a href="http://www.gibill.va.gov/benefits/post_911_gibill/transfer_of_benefits.html">http://www.gibill.va.gov/benefits/post_911_gibill/transfer_of_benefits.html</a>	Online
<b>Military In-State Tuition</b>		
H.R. 4137, Sec 114 / Sec 135 (pg 34 of pdf)	<a href="http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/BILLS-110hr4137enr/pdf/BILLS-110hr4137enr.pdf">http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/BILLS-110hr4137enr/pdf/BILLS-110hr4137enr.pdf</a>	Online
<b>Online Tutoring</b>		
Tutor.com	<a href="http://www.tutor.com/military">http://www.tutor.com/military</a>	Online
<b>Testing for College Credit</b>		
College Level Examination Program (CLEP)	<a href="http://clep.collegeboard.org/">http://clep.collegeboard.org/</a>	Online
CLEP Info - DANTES	<a href="http://www.dantes.doded.mil/service-members/prep-for-college/examinations/index.html">http://www.dantes.doded.mil/service-members/prep-for-college/examinations/index.html</a>	Online
DSST - (formerly known as DANTES Subject Standardized Tests)	<a href="http://www.getcollegetcredit.com/">http://www.getcollegetcredit.com/</a>	Online
DSST Info - DANTES	<a href="http://www.dantes.doded.mil/service-members/prep-for-college/examinations/index.html">http://www.dantes.doded.mil/service-members/prep-for-college/examinations/index.html</a>	Online
Test Prep - Peterson's DoD/MWR Library Resources	<a href="http://www.nelnetsolutions.com/dod/">http://www.nelnetsolutions.com/dod/</a>	Online / Log In
<b>Troops to Teachers</b>		
Troops to Teachers	<a href="http://www.troopstoteachers.net/">http://www.troopstoteachers.net/</a>	Online

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Tuition Assistance for Military		
DoD Voluntary Education Partnership Memorandum of Understanding (MOU)	<a href="http://www.dodmou.com/">http://www.dodmou.com/</a>	Online
Air Force TA (AFVEC)	<a href="https://www.my.af.mil/">https://www.my.af.mil/</a>	Online / Log In
Air Force Reserves TA	<a href="http://www.afreserve.com/?-Benefits">http://www.afreserve.com/?-Benefits</a>	Online
Army TA (GoArmyEd)	<a href="https://www.goarmyed.com/login.aspx">https://www.goarmyed.com/login.aspx</a>	Online / Log In
Army Reserves TA	<a href="http://www.goarmy.com/reserve/benefits/education.html">http://www.goarmy.com/reserve/benefits/education.html</a>	Online
Coast Guard TA	<a href="http://www.uscg.mil/hq/cgi/">http://www.uscg.mil/hq/cgi/</a>	Online
Marine Corps TA	<a href="http://www.marines.mil/News/Messages/tabid/13074/Article/141314/voluntary-education-services-and-tuition-assistance.aspx">http://www.marines.mil/News/Messages/tabid/13074/Article/141314/voluntary-education-services-and-tuition-assistance.aspx</a>	Online
National Guard TA	<a href="http://www.nationalguard.com/education">http://www.nationalguard.com/education</a>	Online / Log In
Navy TA	<a href="https://www.navycollege.navy.mil/ta_info.aspx">https://www.navycollege.navy.mil/ta_info.aspx</a>	Online
Navy WebTA	<a href="https://myeducation.netc.navy.mil/consentbanner.html">https://myeducation.netc.navy.mil/consentbanner.html</a>	Online / Log In
Tuition Assistance (VA - Top Up)	<a href="http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/tuition_assistance.asp">http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/tuition_assistance.asp</a>	Online
U.S. Dept of Defense (Education)		
Voluntary Education	<a href="http://www.militaryonesource.mil/voluntary-education">http://www.militaryonesource.mil/voluntary-education</a>	Online
DoD 1322.25 (March 2011 plus 2014 change)	<a href="http://www.dtic.mil/whs/directives/corres/pdf/132225p.pdf">http://www.dtic.mil/whs/directives/corres/pdf/132225p.pdf</a>	pdf
U.S. Dept of Education		
Dept of Ed - Grants/Scholarship Info for military	<a href="http://studentaid.ed.gov/types/grants-scholarships/military">http://studentaid.ed.gov/types/grants-scholarships/military</a>	Online
Dept of Ed - Info for military families	<a href="http://www.ed.gov/veterans-and-military-families/information#benefits">http://www.ed.gov/veterans-and-military-families/information#benefits</a>	Online
Dept of Ed - Scholarship Info - specific to military members	<a href="http://studentaid.ed.gov/sites/default/files/scholarships-for-military.pdf">http://studentaid.ed.gov/sites/default/files/scholarships-for-military.pdf</a>	Online pdf
U.S. Dept of Veterans Affairs		
Dependents' Educational Assistance Program (DEA) - Chapter 35	<a href="http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/docs/pamphlets/ch35_pamphlet_2.pdf">http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/docs/pamphlets/ch35_pamphlet_2.pdf</a>	Online
Education Programs	<a href="http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/education_programs.asp">http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/education_programs.asp</a>	Online
Federal Benefits - Online Booklet	<a href="http://www.va.gov/opa/publications/benefits_book.asp">http://www.va.gov/opa/publications/benefits_book.asp</a>	Online
MGIB - Chapter 30 Brochure	<a href="http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/docs/pamphlets/ch30_pamphlet.pdf">http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/docs/pamphlets/ch30_pamphlet.pdf</a>	Online
MGIB - Selected Reserves - Chapter 1606 Brochure	<a href="http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/docs/pamphlets/ch1606_pamphlet.pdf">http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/docs/pamphlets/ch1606_pamphlet.pdf</a>	Online
Post 9/11 GI Bill - Chapter 33 Brochure	<a href="http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/docs/pamphlets/ch33_pamphlet.pdf">http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/docs/pamphlets/ch33_pamphlet.pdf</a>	Online
REAP - Chapter 1607 Brochure	<a href="http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/docs/pamphlets/ch1607_pamphlet.pdf">http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/docs/pamphlets/ch1607_pamphlet.pdf</a>	Online
State Veteran's Affairs offices	<a href="http://www.va.gov/statedva.htm">http://www.va.gov/statedva.htm</a>	Online
Various VA Education Program Resources	<a href="http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/handouts_forms.asp">http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/handouts_forms.asp</a>	Online
VEAP - Chapter 32 Brochure	<a href="http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/docs/pamphlets/ch32_pamphlet.pdf">http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/docs/pamphlets/ch32_pamphlet.pdf</a>	Online
Yellow Ribbon Program - Brochure	<a href="http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/docs/pamphlets/Yellow_Ribbon_Pamphlet.pdf">http://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill/docs/pamphlets/Yellow_Ribbon_Pamphlet.pdf</a>	Online
Virtual Library Resources		
Peterson's - MWR/DoD Library Resources	<a href="http://www.nelnetsolutions.com/dod/">http://www.nelnetsolutions.com/dod/</a>	Online / Log In
Web Sites (URLs)		
Air Force Credentialing and Education Research Tool (CERT)	<a href="http://www.au.af.mil/au/barnes/ccat/certifications.asp">http://www.au.af.mil/au/barnes/ccat/certifications.asp</a>	Online / Log In
American Legion	<a href="http://www.legion.org/">http://www.legion.org/</a>	Online
Army Credentialing Opportunities Online (COOL)	<a href="https://www.cool.army.mil/">https://www.cool.army.mil/</a>	Online
Directory of Military Education Centers	<a href="http://www.dantes.doded.mil/service-members/contact-a-counselor/index.html">http://www.dantes.doded.mil/service-members/contact-a-counselor/index.html</a>	Online
e-VETS Resource Advisor (Dept of Labor)	<a href="http://www.dol.gov/elaws/evets.htm">http://www.dol.gov/elaws/evets.htm</a>	Online
Kids Thank a Vet	<a href="http://www.kidsthankavet.com/">http://www.kidsthankavet.com/</a>	Online
Marine Corps - Academic Explorer (AEX)	<a href="http://www.mcaex.net/">http://www.mcaex.net/</a>	Online
Military Connection	<a href="http://www.militaryconnection.com/">http://www.militaryconnection.com/</a>	Online
National Archives	<a href="http://www.archives.gov/veterans/">http://www.archives.gov/veterans/</a>	Online
National Guard (Air Force) - State Education Programs	<a href="http://www.goang.com/Benefits/Benefits">http://www.goang.com/Benefits/Benefits</a>	Online
National Guard (Army) - State Education Programs	<a href="http://www.nationalguard.com/tools/state-education-programs">http://www.nationalguard.com/tools/state-education-programs</a>	Online
Navy College Program Distance Learning Partnership (Rating and Degree Roadmaps)	<a href="https://www.navycollege.navy.mil/ncpdlp_schools.aspx">https://www.navycollege.navy.mil/ncpdlp_schools.aspx</a>	Online
Navy Credentialing Opportunities Online (COOL)	<a href="https://www.cool.navy.mil/">https://www.cool.navy.mil/</a>	Online
SOC (Servicemember's Opportunity Colleges)	<a href="http://www.soc.aascu.org/">http://www.soc.aascu.org/</a>	Online
Toolkit for Veteran Friendly Institutions	<a href="https://vetfriendlytoolkit.acenet.edu/Pages/default.aspx">https://vetfriendlytoolkit.acenet.edu/Pages/default.aspx</a>	Online / Log In
Transition Assistance Program	<a href="http://www.taonline.com/TAPOffice/">http://www.taonline.com/TAPOffice/</a>	Online
Verification of Military Experience and Training (VMET)	<a href="https://www.dmdc.osd.mil/tgps/">https://www.dmdc.osd.mil/tgps/</a>	Online / Log In

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