## **Education**

## **Educational Aid and Benefits for National Guard Members**

Get information on education aid and benefits available to National Guard members and apply.

DMNA https://dmna.ny.gov/education/

NY State Dept of Vet Services – Education <a href="https://veterans.ny.gov/education">https://veterans.ny.gov/education</a>

NY State Dept of Vet Services – Work Study <a href="https://www.va.gov/education/about-gi-bill-benefits/how-to-use-">https://www.va.gov/education/about-gi-bill-benefits/how-to-use-</a>

benefits/work-study/

## **Utilizing Tuition Assistant while deployed**

Members can use both RIRP NYS TA and MIL Fed TA while deployed as long as they meet the parameters.

RIRP YS TA facilitated through the Retention office – (315)-233-2158 or 2241

- New York State resident for at least 186 days
- Up to a bachelor's degree Fall/Spring semesters only
- Must be matriculated in a degree program
- Applications deadlines August 10 Fall semester, December 10 Spring semester
- Classes must fall within enlistment period.

Mil TA (AGR Federal TA) - (315) 233-2147

- Facilitated through the BETM SMSgt McDonald
- Ensure AFVEC profile is correct to include correct supervisor
- Register between 45 10 days of class start date.
- Classes must fall within enlistment period

CCAF - transcripts - AF Virtual Education Center https://afvec.us.af.mil/afvec/public/welcome

**Military One Sources:** <a href="https://www.militaryonesource.mil/relationships/support-community/service-member-education-benefits/">https://www.militaryonesource.mil/relationships/support-community/service-member-education-benefits/</a>

**VA education and training benefits** Learn how to apply for and manage the education and training benefits you've earned. <a href="https://www.va.gov/education/">https://www.va.gov/education/</a>

**The Fisher House** – Scholarships for military children and spouses <a href="https://www.fisherhouse.org/programs/scholarship-programs/">https://www.fisherhouse.org/programs/scholarship-programs/</a>

**SU** https://www.syracuse.edu/online/veteran-military/

**SU O20** - Onward to Opportunity (O2O) formerly Veteran Career Transition Program (VCTP) is a free career training program that provides professional certification and job placement support to transitioning service members, veterans and military spouses. <a href="https://ivmf.syracuse.edu/programs/career-training/about-o2o/">https://ivmf.syracuse.edu/programs/career-training/about-o2o/</a>

**ACT Now Education – Coursera** and more, FREE comprehensive educational resources and opportunities for AD, Vets, Mil Spouses and Children. https://actnoweducation.org/freecoursera or FB Facebook

SUNY <a href="https://www.suny.edu/attend/get-started/military-and-veteran-students/">https://www.suny.edu/attend/get-started/military-and-veteran-students/</a>

**5 & Thrive** – Education resources <a href="https://www.fiveandthrive.org/education">https://www.fiveandthrive.org/education</a>

**Spouse Education & Career Opportunities** – DoD program provides Education and Career guidance to military spouses worldwide. https://myseco.militaryonesource.mil/portal/

**Tutor.com** is a free resource for military families to get help on their schoolwork. It offers 24-hour tutoring for students in K- 12th grade. Sign up by going to <a href="https://www.tutor.com/military">www.tutor.com/military</a>

**Military Child Education Coalition** (MCEC) supports all military-connected children by educating, advocating, and collaborating to resolve education challenges associated with the military lifestyle. <a href="https://www.militarychild.org/">https://www.militarychild.org/</a>