

VETERANS RESOURCE CENTER

The Veterans Resource Center (VRC) at Fullerton College is a dedicated and comprehensive support hub that caters to the unique needs of military veterans, active-duty service members, and their dependents. The VRC is committed to fostering a welcoming and inclusive environment for those who have served our country, providing them with the resources and assistance needed to succeed in their academic and personal pursuits.

At the Veterans Resource Center, students can access a range of services tailored to their specific needs. This includes academic counseling, educational planning, and assistance with the admissions and enrollment process. The center also offers support in navigating the various educational benefits and financial aid programs available to veterans and their dependents, ensuring that they can make the most of the resources available to them.

Beyond academic support, the Veterans Resource Center provides a sense of camaraderie and community for veterans and active-duty service members. The center hosts social events, workshops, and support groups, creating opportunities for networking, mentorship, and peer support.

The Veterans Resource Center collaborates with other campus departments and external agencies to ensure a seamless transition for veterans into the college environment. It also advocates for policies and initiatives that address the specific needs and challenges faced by student veterans.

GI Bill® is a registered trademark of the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (VA). More information about education benefits offered by VA is available at the official U.S. government Web site at <https://www.benefits.va.gov/gibill>.

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(714) 992-7102

Website

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Approved Majors and Transfer: Unless otherwise notified by SAA, all programs (majors) in this catalog are approved for the training of veteran students. Transfer programs are approved contingent upon Fullerton College having current articulation agreements with the universities offering the transfer programs. Students should meet with a counselor in the Veterans Resource Center or visit the Counseling Department's website for a list of Fullerton College's articulation agreements.

Military Credit for PE and General Education Area E: (Lifelong Learning and Self-Development)

(Fullerton College AA/AS GE or CSU GE)

Students who wish to receive unit credits for prior military service are encouraged to contact the Veterans Resource Center. If the Veteran completed Basic Training Fullerton College will grant prior credit for the 1 unit PE Requirement for Graduation plus 3 units maximum for General Education (GE) in Fullerton College AA/AS GE Area E or California State University GE (CSU GE) Area E. – Lifelong Learning and Self-Development.

Veterans are still eligible to take additional PE coursework as desired; however, it may not be required for graduation and thus it may not be certified by the Veterans Resource Center nor paid for by the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA).

***Veteran students cannot be certified if they become Academically Dismissed by the Admissions and Records Office (see Probation and Dismissal Policy).**

Veteran Students who are members or former members of the Armed Forces of the United States who received an honorable discharge, a general discharge, or other than honorable discharge are granted priority registration for enrollment for any academic term.

Priority registration is not an automatic process. You must request priority registration prior to the start of the registration period by submitting a copy of your military ID (CAC), DD214, NGB 22, or NOBE (DD2384) to the Veterans Resource Center located in Building 1900, Room 1902.

For more information, contact the Veterans Resource Center at (714) 992-7102 or email veterans@fullcoll.edu

Transcripts: Veteran students must submit official transcripts (civilian) of all post-secondary coursework for evaluation. Military credit will be applied upon graduation only.

Veterans Military Service Connected Benefit Programs: Fullerton College is approved as a degree-granting institution for the attendance of veterans under Title 38, United States Code. This includes the programs covered in Chapters 30, 31, 32, 33, 35, 1606, 1607, and Harry W. Colmery (Forever G.I. Bill). GI Bill® is a registered trademark of the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs (VA). The college is also approved for the attendance of California veterans' dependents under the State Fee Waiver program. Veterans who plan to enroll in the college and need assistance with their education benefits are urged to contact the Veterans Resource Center (VRC).

Veterans Academic Progress: A veteran student whose GPA falls below a 2.0 for one semester will be placed on Academic Probation. A veteran student is eligible to receive benefits until they are academically dismissed from the college. Please contact the Veterans Resource Center for more information.