

Increase Your Skills and Education From Home During the COVID-19 Pandemic

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Make the most of the unexpected time you have at home because of the [coronavirus disease 2019](#). Explore the wide range of education resources the Department of Defense offers for service members and their families. They include:

- **Programs, resources and services** are available to help [service members](#), their [spouses](#) and [children](#) work toward college degrees, certifications and other educational and employment opportunities.
- **The TA DECIDE tool** from the Department of Defense lets service members compare schools, tuition and fees, programs, assistance options and more.
- **Defense Activity for Non-Traditional Education Support**, or DANTES, provides service members with a variety of no-cost education and career-planning programs and services including:
 - [Kaleidoscope](#) training
 - [Joint Services Transcript](#), which converts military experience into civilian college credit to save time and money on education
 - A variety of reimbursable [exams for college readiness and credit](#).
- **MilLife Learning** offers self-directed courses to help service members and their families lead their best MilLife. Topics include developing a spending plan, and eSponsorship Application and Training.
- **The Spouse Education and Career Opportunities program** connects military spouses with [tools and resources](#) including education and training help, career coaching and exploration, career connections and more. It has a wealth of information and services - such as [Onward to Opportunity](#) - for increasing your professional skills.
SECO also offers more general resources for:
 - [Searching for scholarships](#)
 - [Building a resume](#)
 - [Assessing values and skills](#).

- **The Morale, Welfare and Recreation Digital Library** provides a wide range of educational resources for family members of all ages. Choose from audiobooks, eBooks, award-winning documentaries, historical U.S. military records, personalized brain exercises and much more.

If you need help navigating opportunities that are available to you, Military OneSource **education consultants** can help. They can answer questions about financial aid, scholarships, tutoring and college information. Call 800-342-9647. OCONUS/International? **Click here for calling options.**

Understanding of COVID-19 is rapidly changing. For updates and information specific to your location, visit your installation's official website. You can also follow your installation's Facebook, Twitter or Instagram platforms.

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