



About Mt. SAC's Veterans Resource Center



Veterans Recognition Event

Each spring the Veterans Resource Center honors Veterans who are graduating or transferring with student Veteran Medals.

FAST FACTS

1,300

The number of Military Connected students currently attending Mt. SAC.

95%

The increase in benefit-collecting students attending Mt. SAC since the inception of the Post 9-11 GI Bill.

26,000+

The number of contacts tracked at Mt. SAC's VRC during one semester.

94

Mt. SAC is one of only 94 campuses throughout the nation to be selected as a Veterans Success on Campus site by the Department of Veterans Affairs.

91%

The increase in the number of student Veterans who won campus-based scholarships between the 2015-2016 year and the 2016-2017 year.

Nearly 2,000 square feet of dedicated space for Veterans and their family members exists at Mt. SAC via our Veterans Resource Center.

The VRC consists of:

- 3 Private Offices
- Intake Counter that seats 3 staff
- Kitchen (with sink, fridge, Industrial Keurig, microwave and dishwasher)
- Peer Mentoring Space
- Lounge with a Reserve Library
- Flat Screen and Movie Library
- Study Space
- Presentation Space
- Outdoor patio and seating area
- Access to 45 seat computer lab

The VRC is designed as a "one-stop-shop" for Veterans GI Bill Processing and wrap-around support services/programs that include:

- Financial Aid/Scholarship application assistance
- Priority Registration Processing
- VA Educational Benefits assistance
- Peer Mentoring
- On- and off-campus referrals
- FREE tutoring, printing, and computer-use

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Specialized support services include: _____

- Educational/Career Counseling
- Scholarship essay advisement
- DSPS Instructional Specialist
- VA Disability Claims Assistance
- VA Adjustment Counseling
- Veterans Success on Campus (VSOC) Counseling
- Access to Adaptive Technology Software (Sonocent, etc.)

Veterans Programs and Events include: _____

- Veteran-specific Student Orientations
- Monthly Workshops (Career, Transfer, Health, Etc.)
- Scholarship Hands-On Workshops
- Veteran Emergency Loan Program
- Funding Vet Success Events
- University Veteran-Specific Tours
- Veterans Recognition Program
- Veterans Week and Memorial Day Field of Remembrance
- Laptop Rental Program
- Tablet Rental Program
- Campus-wide trainings on Military Connected topics
- Veterans Public Art Collaborative
- Student Veterans of America Leadership Travel

The VRC is staffed by: _____

- 1 Certifying Official
- 1 Program Specialist
- 1 Full-time Counselor
- 2 Adjunct Counselors
- 10 VA Work-Study Students
- 1 Veterans Success on Campus Counselor



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