

**SOUTHWEST TENNESSEE COMMUNITY COLLEGE****SUBJECT:** Credit for U. S. Military Service Experience**EFFECTIVE DATE:** July 1, 2000/Revised: March 1, 2004

Southwest is designated by the U. S. Department of Defense as a Serviceman's Opportunity College, and as such, grants academic credit to military personnel through nontraditional modes of learning. The College uses recognized guides such as the American Council on Education Guide to the Evaluation of Educational Experiences in the Armed Forces or the USAFI/Dantes Subject Standardization Test to evaluate and award credit for these nontraditional learning experiences.

Credit may be granted for any military service school or for any USAFI/Dantes Subject Standardized Test that has been satisfactorily completed and determined to have an equivalent at Southwest, appropriately related to the student's academic program of study. Test results may be submitted to the Admissions, Records and Recruitment office for evaluation and possible application to the student's program of study. Students desiring to take the above mentioned tests should contact the local director of the Navy College Program at Millington, Mrs. Thelma Cooper, Director of the Navy College, (901)874-5290.

**Transition Team II:**  
**Source of Policy:** Academic Programs

**Related Policy:** N/A

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