



Credit for Military Service Schools

(revised per 2011-12 catalog updates)

Counselors will be given two degree applicable totals derived from the evaluation of the SMART transcript/submission of a DD214

- a. MiraCosta AA degree total-courses designated vocational and/or lower-division baccalaureate level
- b. CSU elective admission unit total-courses designated lower - or upper division baccalaureate level

"MiraCosta college will grant experience credit of 3 three elective units for submission of any DD214, 295 or other military transcript. Additionally, active duty military personnel and U.S. military veterans may satisfy Area E-2 Self-Development of MiraCosta College's general education pattern (Plan A) through submission of a military transcript."

- If student is following Plan A, B or C and wishes to obtain an AA degree – a minimum of 3 units will be awarded
- If student is following Plan A, Area E – 2 (*Self Development*) will be met (students do not have this requirement if following Plans B or C)
- If student is following Plan B, CSU-GE, Area E can be certified as met per CSU GE guidelines

In rare circumstances if student only has DD214 and/no CSU applicable units - student or counselor may have to contact intended CSU campus to verify that the CSU campus will accept 3 admission units for military experience. According JBenschop, she has been told by CSU that all campuses will do this, but the student will need to know exactly how many units, if they are at or near, the 60 unit admission unit total.

- IF student is following Plan C, IGETC, no GE area is met, no UC admission units are awarded at this time.