

EQUITY, INCLUSION, AFFIRMATIVE ACTION, ADA-504 OFFICE

In accordance with United States anti-discrimination laws, veterans have protected class status.

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PSYCHOLOGICAL COUNSELING FOR VETERANS

Assists veterans in obtaining treatment services for concerns such as PTSD (Post Traumatic Stress Disorder), depression and anxiety. We also have an extensive referral network, and can help with social and economic issues.

Prof. Miriam Afkhami-Ramirez, Psychologist
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CENTER FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES

If you are a veteran with disability, our counselors provide individual accommodations to ensure success at the college.

Prof. Gina Sales
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WOMEN'S CENTER

Provides women's programs, counseling, referral and resource information on a wide variety of topics relevant to women.

Prof. Laurie Joseph, Counselor
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CENTER FOR EDUCATIONAL AND RETENTION COUNSELING (CERC)

Improve your academic performance, develop study skills and learning strategies, clarify educational goals.

Prof. Judy Suh
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CAREER COUNSELING CENTER

Engage in vocational assessment, explore career possibilities, attend career planning work shops, special events and more.

Prof. Laura Smith, Counselor
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516-572-7696 ext.25514
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TRANSFER COUNSELING

Offers information and advice you need on transferring to a four-year college or university.

Prof. Chris Muller
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CLEP & DSST FOR VETERANS

Allow veterans to receive college credit by earning qualifying scores on exams, saving time and money. Veterans can make the most of their GI Bill benefits by applying those funds toward needed courses. Earning credit quickly provides flexibility in managing the complex demands of jobs, families, and college-level course work. Visit www.ncc.edu/clep for exam dates, exams accepted by NCC for credit and a list of course equivalents. Check with your advisor if CLEP is right for you!

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CENTER FOR WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT (CWD)

Offers a range of certificate and credential-based open enrollment courses to build knowledge, skills and experience in several workforce fields. Among Veterans' benefits approved certificate programs are Pharmacy Technician, EKG Technician, Certified Associate in Project Management are currently being offered for open enrollment while we wait approval from the VA.

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WEEKEND COLLEGE/FACULTY SERVICES

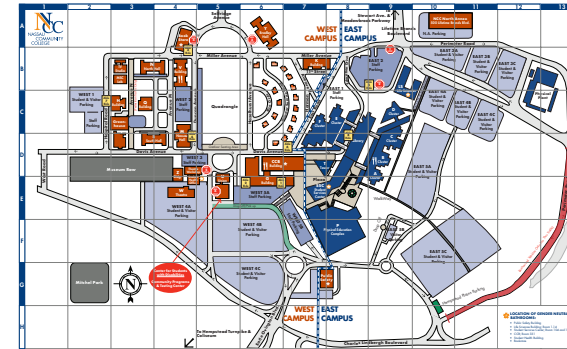
Enables busy adults to pursue and complete 5 degree and 1 certificate program(s) through classes on Friday Night, Saturdays and Sundays. Programs and classes are open to all NCC students in tailoring their class schedules to meet individual needs. Advisement available on most Saturdays and Sundays (appointments are recommended).

Dr. Elizabeth Hawley, Assoc. Dean Workforce Development
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DISTANCE EDUCATION

Offers a wide array of online classes that are accessed through the web or hybrid courses that combine on-campus instruction with online learning. NCC uses the latest technologies and web-based resources including the Blackboard learning environment. Online learning is both an exciting & rewarding way to further your education.

Dr. Deborah Spiro, Asst. VP
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Veterans Resource Facility Location
365 Rice Circle

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE VISIT:

www.ncc.edu
www.veterans.ny.gov
www.va.gov
www.gibill.va.gov

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A Resource Guide For Veterans and Military Students at

NASSAU COMMUNITY COLLEGE



CENTER FOR MILITARY AND VETERANS AFFAIRS



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WELCOME STUDENT VETERANS & MILITARY STUDENTS!

We are proud to welcome you to Nassau Community College and greatly appreciate your time and service to our nation. You have many choices during and after your military service, and we are pleased that you have chosen to make NCC a part of your life. We know that balancing college life with your many military, career, family and personal responsibilities can be extremely challenging. NCC would like to assist you to achieve your personal goals and get the most out of your college education.

We hope to facilitate your success by providing support, resources and information that meet your unique needs as a veteran and a student.

Veterans Resource Facility

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WHY NASSAU COMMUNITY COLLEGE?

At Nassau Community College, we are dedicated to making your transition from military service to the classroom and the workplace as successful as possible. Some resources and benefits available to you include:

- The Center for Military and Veterans acts as an information source, a guide and an advocate for veterans on campus
- Priority registration
- Personalized assistance from all offices involved in the enrollment process
- Counseling, advisement and guidance services to help you select the right program from our 80+ programs of study
- Academic support and tutoring at no cost
- Ready connection to other veterans and military students through the NCC Veterans' Club

Our college-wide commitment has been consistently recognized with the designation of NCC as *Military Friendly School* by Victory Media. This designation, based on extensive nationwide research and of schools approved for Post -9/11 GI Bill® funding, is awarded to the top 15% of colleges, universities and trade schools that evidence strong support and service to military students from the point of admission through graduation and beyond.

VETERANS RESOURCE FACILITY

The Veterans Resource Facility (VRF), opened in November 2014, emphasizes the College's ongoing commitment to veterans and military students. Much of the college campus is located on part of the original Mitchel Field, well known as an important base of military activity from the 1920's through the 1950's. The Veterans Resource Facility, located in one of the houses allocated to military officers, now serves as the official headquarters for the college's Veterans Club and provides designated space for meetings, workshops, counseling sessions, educational events, and peer study groups.

Veterans Resource Facility
365 Rice Circle
(516) 572-0570

NAVIGATING SUCCESS

From the application process through graduation, we at NCC are here to assist you. Each of the following offices will play an important role in your college experience. Please take advantage of the key contact staff identified for our military students and veterans. **Most of these offices are located in the Student Services Center, Lower Level of Tower Building.**

OFFICE OF ADMISSIONS

Counselors assist prospective students with the application process and introduce them to the steps involved in the enrollment process. Discussion of major programs, use of standardized test scores (SAT/ACT and/or CLEP), if applicable, a review of academic records, including college transfer credits, and the role of the College's placement test are covered in this initial introduction. You may apply online at ncc.edu/apply.

Note: Students seeking military credit must contact the Registrar's Office.

Daniel Maldonado, Admissions Counselor
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STUDENT VETERANS OF AMERICA (NCC CHAPTER)

NCC Veterans Association (Veterans Club)

An organization open to all veteran students at Nassau Community College. Our primary aim is one of a social nature, but overlaps into the academic area as well. We strive to raise awareness and understanding of the military/veteran experience at the college. Club meetings are Thursdays, 11:30 a.m.–12:45 p.m.

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SUBMISSION OF DD-214

Veterans must submit a copy of their Member 4 DD-214 to the **Admissions Office OR the Registrar's Office**. Timely submission of this document can ensure your successful enrollment.

REGISTRAR'S OFFICE

Application/Certification For Military and Veterans Educational Benefits

All evaluations of military credentials for college credit are done in the Registrar's Office. DANTES (Defense Activities for non-traditional education support, JST/Joint Services Transcript (formerly SMART), AART (Army/American Council on Education Registry Transcript) and all training will be considered for transfer credit.

The Certifying Officials will certify for veteran educational benefits. Veterans, or dependent children or spouse, must submit their Certificate of Eligibility (COE), NOBE or E Benefits page to one of the certifying officials. Once you have registered for classes, contact a certifying official to get your enrollment certified. The enrollment certification process must be repeated every term after registration for classes.

Please contact one of the certifying officials, located in the Student Services Center.

Ellen La Manna, VA Certifying Official
Mary Goedel, VA Certifying Official
Laura Benko, VA Certifying Official

Email: Veterans@ncc.edu
Veteran's Certifying Officials (SCO): (516) 572-7368
Registrar Main Line: (516) 572-7355

FINANCIAL AID

Federal and New York State Financial Aid (other than Veteran benefits):

- Complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid at fafsa.gov. NCC's school code is 002873.
- Complete the NYS Tuition Assistant Program (TAP) application at attapweb.org. NCC's school code is 2113.
- Complete the NYS Veterans Tuition Award (VTA) application at hesc.ny.gov.
- Apply for college-wide scholarships online at ncc.edu/aboutncc/givetoncc/scholarships/

Doreen Davis, Associate Director
Student Services Center
(516) 572-7397 x24645
Doreen.Davis@ncc.edu or financialaid@ncc.edu

GRANTS/BURSAR/STUDENT ACCOUNTS

Get all the information needed concerning residency requirements, payment options and the tuition liability/refund policy. Payments may be deferred for students receiving monthly veteran's benefits.

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Student Services Center
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Lauren Quigley, Accounting Assistant
Student Services Center
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STUDENT HEALTH OFFICE

Be sure to submit **official** copies of your immunization records to this office. Veterans who show proof of honorable discharge on the DD-214 document, within 10 years of attendance of college, can be given an extension until the end of the semester. The military extension allows the veteran to obtain their immunization records from the military. They must complete the request form (180) and send to their branch of the military. Active military is not included.

NCC forms for submission of the MMR and the state-required meningitis forms are available online at www.ncc.edu/campuservices/health_services.

Also, take advantage of the information and services available through the Health Office that include “on-the-spot” assistance with medical issues or questions and referral to outside clinics as needed.

Student Health Office
Kimberly Hurst, RN
Student Health Office
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(516) 572-9637
HealthOffice@ncc.edu
Kimberly.Hurst@ncc.edu

STUDENT PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT/EMPLOYER SERVICES

You can reach your career goals through workshops and one-on-one counseling. Find internships, summer jobs, student aide jobs and full or part time work.

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