



# The MCRD Education Center

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## Services Provided

**Tuition Assistance Program and Orientation Brief**

**Academic Planning and Career Advisement**

**Leadership Scholar Program**

**Marine Corps COOL Program**

**USMAP/Military Apprenticeship**

**Proctor College Exam – Distance Learning Information**

**Joint Service Transcript (JST) access and evaluation**

**Financial Aid and GI Bill Resource Information**

**Military Testing Section Information and Referral**

**Academic Skill Course Information and Administration**

**Marine & Family Program Information and Referral**

## Online Resources

MCRD Education Webpage:

<https://sandiego.usmc-mccs.org/marine-family-support/education>

Joint Knowledge Online (JKO): <https://jkodirect.jten.mil>

Joint Services Transcript (JST): <https://jst.doded.mil/jst>

Military Apprenticeship Program (USMAP):

<https://usmap.netc.navy.mil/usmap/>

USMC COOL: <https://www.cool.osd.mil/usmc/overview/index.htm>

Officer Programs: <http://www.marines.com/officer>

MYCAA: <https://mycaa.militaryonesource.mil/mycaa/>

GI Bill/Financial Aid: [www.gibill.va.gov](http://www.gibill.va.gov) <https://studentaid.gov/>

Free Online Tutoring: <https://military.tutor.com/>

Academic Review Sites: [www.khanacademy.org](http://www.khanacademy.org)

<https://www.dantes.doded.mil/>

TA Decide: <https://www.dodmou.com/TADECIDE/>

## Local Marine and Navy Education Centers

MCRD San Diego 619-524-8158/1275

MCB Camp Pendleton 760-725-6660/6414

MCAS Miramar 858-307-1801

Navy Education go to [www.navycollege.navy.mil](http://www.navycollege.navy.mil)

## VA Representatives, Bldg. 14

Robert Hill, Office Phone: (619) 929-3741

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Hours: 0730-1600 on Tuesdays

## Testing Schedule and Locations

**CLEP (College Level Examination Program) and DANTES-DSST (Subject Standardized Tests)**

Email [testingservices@nu.edu](mailto:testingservices@nu.edu) or call 858-541-7951

**DLPT, DLAB, ASVAB, ARC/RCAT, EDPT, AFCT, GCT**

MCRD Bldg. 622 (IPAC), Room 121

Walk ins welcome Monday through Wednesday; call 619-524-6123 to confirm availability

**MASP (Military Academic Skills Program) and TABE Administration**

MCB Camp Pendleton - 760-725-6414

## On-base College Programs

**National University** (4 week term)

Center Assistant: (619) 563-7482 [www.nu.edu](http://www.nu.edu)

**Columbia College** (8 week term)

Academic Advisor: (866) 594-2330 [www.ccis.edu](http://www.ccis.edu)

**For updates on visiting colleges** call the Education Office at (619) 524-8158 or 1275.

## **Tuition Assistance (TA) Funding Policy and Eligibility Requirements (MCO 1560.25)**

*TA authorization is contingent upon command approval and meeting eligibility requirements*

**TA Cap:** \$4,500.00 /FY \$250 per semester hour, \$166.67 per quarter hour, \$16.67 per clock hour

### **FIRST TIME TA APPLICANT**

- Must be eligible for promotion (determined by command)
- Minimum GT score of 100 (Online Academic Skills Course required if GT below 100)
- Complete the Personal Readiness Seminar (P-US1395) through Joint Knowledge Online (JKO)
- Limited to 1 course initially, unless Marine has documented 60 academic credits and 2.5 GPA
- TA application must be submitted, command approved and authorized by the education office **PRIOR** to course start date

**WEBTA Link:** <https://myeducation.netc.navy.mil/webta>

**Submit Grade(s) to:** [sfly\\_ta.navy@navy.mil](mailto:sfly_ta.navy@navy.mil) or [john.goodson@usmc.mil](mailto:john.goodson@usmc.mil)



## **Virtual TA Orientation Brief**

**RSVP the month of training!**

**Register at:**

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/ta-orientation-brief-tickets-142607666369>

**2023 Dates:**

<b>JAN 11<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>FEB 08<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>MAR 08<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>APR 12<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>MAY 10<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>JUN 14<sup>th</sup></b>
<b>JUL 12<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>AUG 09<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>SEP 13<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>OCT 11<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>NOV 8<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>DEC 13<sup>th</sup></b>

**Time:  
0800-0930**



## **In-Person TA Orientation Brief**

**No appointment required, walk-ins welcome! Offered once a month at the MCRD Education Center, BLDG 111.**

**2023 Dates:**

<b>JAN 25<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>FEB 22<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>MAR 22<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>APR 26<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>MAY 24<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>JUN 28<sup>th</sup></b>
<b>JUL 26<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>AUG 23<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>SEP 27<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>OCT 25<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>NOV 22<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>DEC 27<sup>th</sup></b>

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