

Coastline Community College (<http://military.coastline.edu>)

Coastline Community College is a two-year community college located in Fountain Valley, California. Coastline specializes in Associate Degree programs for service members world-wide. Coastline is accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC), a nationally recognized regional accrediting agency. It is also recognized as an approved Navy College Program Distance Learning Partnership institution (NCPDLP). Coastline's distance learning program for military personnel was created especially for individuals who cannot attend college courses in the traditional classroom environment. Coastline's AA Degree and available in many military occupational related areas. Coastline's degree programs recognize the maximum credit awarded for military training and experience (a maximum of 40 semester hours of credit). Courses are delivered via Internet, CD, and Independent Study Labs and incorporate text materials, instructor contact, assignments and proctored exams. Short 8-week courses are offered five times per year. Coastline also provides NCPACE courses, 12-week courses in a hand held palm pilot (PDA) format.

A newly developed Spouse Program allows dependents to enroll in Associate Degree Distance Learning programs with a reduced tuition benefit (currently \$59 per credit hour, with free textbooks).

For additional information contact the representative for Coastline Community College Dr. David Drye. Office hours: are Wednesday and Thursday from 0800-1500 hours.

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Fort Hays State University's Virtual College
www.fhsu.edu/virtualcollege

Fort Hays State University located out of Hays, Kansas is one of the Navy's Distance Learning partners and offers associates, bachelors and masters degrees. Fort Hays State University is regionally accredited by the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools. The over 500 courses are available on-line leading to 11 degree programs. The representative is Dr. David Drye. Contact information is:

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Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College (MGCCC) (www.mgccc.edu)

Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College offers preparatory courses for bachelors or arts and bachelors of sciences which could lead to associates degrees. Career and technical programs are also available at other local campus locations. Classes at NCBC are held on base in Building 62 and normally do not meet during the Naval Field Exercises. Distance learning courses are also available.

The Resident Director for Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College, Naval Construction Battalion Center is:

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The University of Southern Mississippi Gulf Park
(<http://www.usm.edu/currentstudents/otherteachingsites/>) and
<http://www.usm.edu/gc/keesler.html>

The University of Mississippi has several teaching sites on the gulf coast and offers on-base programs at Keesler AFB. The representative supporting the Naval Construction Battalion Center is Ms Jennifer Williams. Ms Williams can be reached at (228) 376-8479 and email address is Jennifer.S.Williams@usm.edu. She is available for face-to-face counseling twice monthly at the Navy College Office. Call 871-2785 for dates and times.