



Military General Education Credit Evaluation/Degree Requirements – Review everything



Review JST/CCAF/Experiential Learning/College Transcripts/Military Certificates/Military Orders/Field Manuals, DD214

- JST – Reviewed by Transfer Center - follow ACE recommendations
- Award credit for MOS already reviewed and awarded by college/department
- MTAG's – follow state approved courses
- MOS/ACE not previously reviewed – send to department chair for evaluation

Area Studies/ Cultural Diversity

Post 9/11 Implementation in Fall 2009 increased our student veteran population substantially

Fall 2008 = 661 Fall 2009 = 1073 Fall 2010 = 1217

This increase led to visibility on campus of the veteran population

Students were vocal in their pursuit of Area Studies/ Cultural Diversity Credit

The Military Services Center requested meetings and evaluations, but the student group approached the President and then the Provost appointed a committee

This committee comprised of deans and student veterans was able to provide evidence that overseas duties could meet the curriculum requirements and the credits were approved and became policy

DD214 – evaluated by Military Services Center

- Physical Education – 1 credit for completing basic
- Electives - 2 to 3 months = 1 cr., 3 to 4 months = 3 cr., 4 to 4.5 months = 5 cr., 4.5 months or more = 6 cr.

2009 - 2017

All students who attend The University of Akron are required to complete 2 courses in Area Studies or Cultural Diversity as part of the General Education requirement. The student's DD214 is reviewed and Area Studies /Cultural Diversity General Education course requirements will be applied based on overseas deployment. We recognize this experience as educational and apply it to the transcript.

The factors considered when reviewing the DD214 are as follows

- Length of deployment (must be at least 90 days)

- Location of deployment (must be one of the topic areas that our World Civilization courses cover)

3400:285 - 290 World Civilizations: China, Japan, SE Asia, India, Middle East, Africa, Latin America

2017 - Current

GE Curriculum changes were implemented and students are no longer required to have 4 credits of Area Studies/Cultural Diversity. This was replaced with 1 course of Global Diversity which continues to be awarded based on length and location of deployment exhibited on the DD214.

Criminal Justice Technology Military Police/MOS-31B-002

Accept ACE recommendations for several core and elective courses, including but not limited to the following:

Intro. Criminal Justice, Intro to Security Administration, Intro to Corrections, Evidence & Criminal Legal Process , Intro to Police Studies, Crime Prevention: Theory, Practice and Management, The Police Experience , Physical Security: Systems, Dsgn., & Control, Computer & Information Security, Criminal Investigation, Basic Forensic Methods, Critical Incident & Intervention for Criminal Justice, Police Administration, Community Corrections.

Emergency Management Homeland Security

- EMHS program has a “four year” traditional pathway that includes a 15 credit specialty block. The military can count as part or all of that specialty block, eliminating a full semester.
- We have two classes in GIS. Depending on their level of expertise, we can directly sub out those classes.
- If an incoming student has 60 credits of college transfer, we can eliminate our requirement for Bridge Courses into the “2+2” or step- up pathway into the EMHS program. The military will serve as enough to eliminate that bridge which could save them 12-15 credits.
- As we currently do, we can examine experience or training to see if any other credits can be substituted.