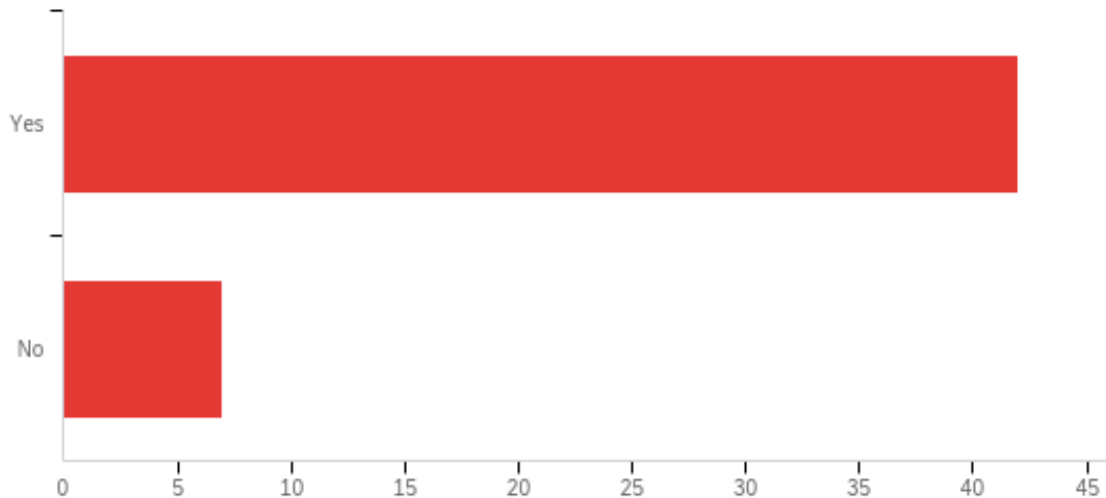


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Military Credit Evaluation Survey

August 26th 2020, 6:26 am MDT

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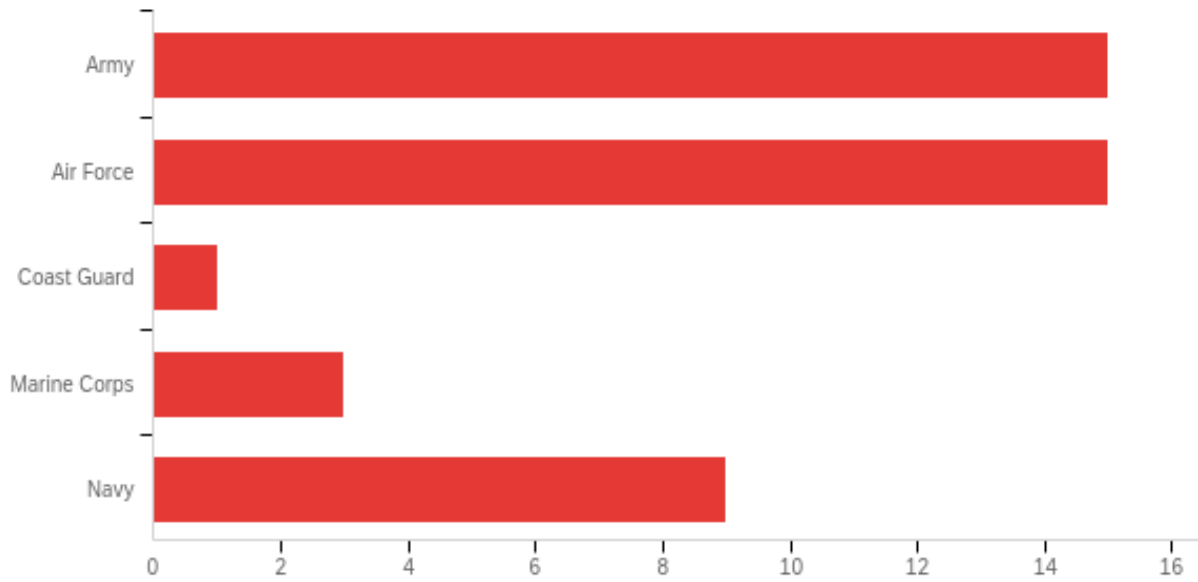


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| # | Answer | % | Count |
|---|--------|--------|-------|
| 1 | Yes | 85.71% | 42 |
| 2 | No | 14.29% | 7 |
| | Total | 100% | 49 |

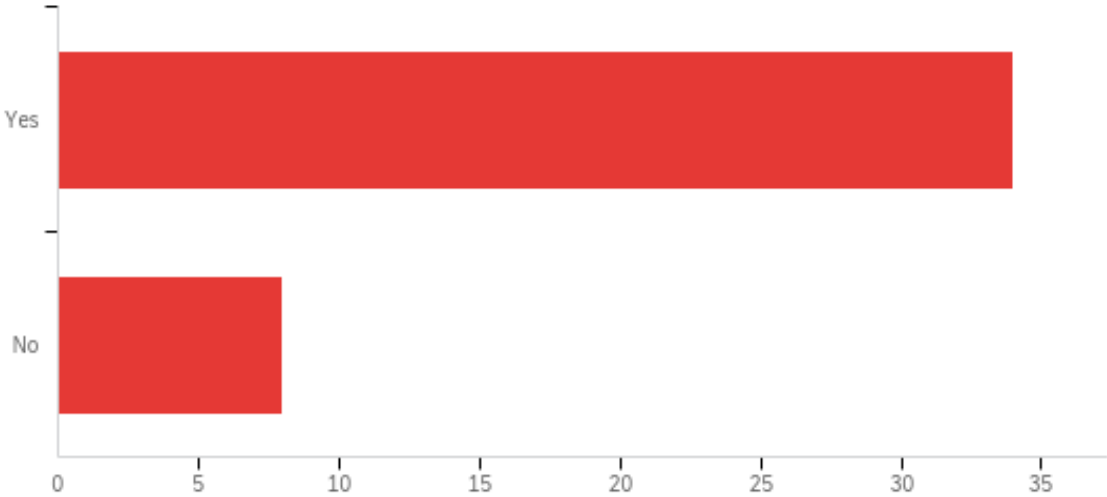
Q1 - Which branch of the military do/did you serve in?



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| 1 | Which branch of the military do/did you serve in? | 1.00 | 5.00 | 2.44 | 1.53 | 2.34 | 43 |

| # | Answer | % | Count |
|---|--------------|--------|-------|
| 1 | Army | 34.88% | 15 |
| 2 | Air Force | 34.88% | 15 |
| 3 | Coast Guard | 2.33% | 1 |
| 4 | Marine Corps | 6.98% | 3 |
| 5 | Navy | 20.93% | 9 |
| | Total | 100% | 43 |

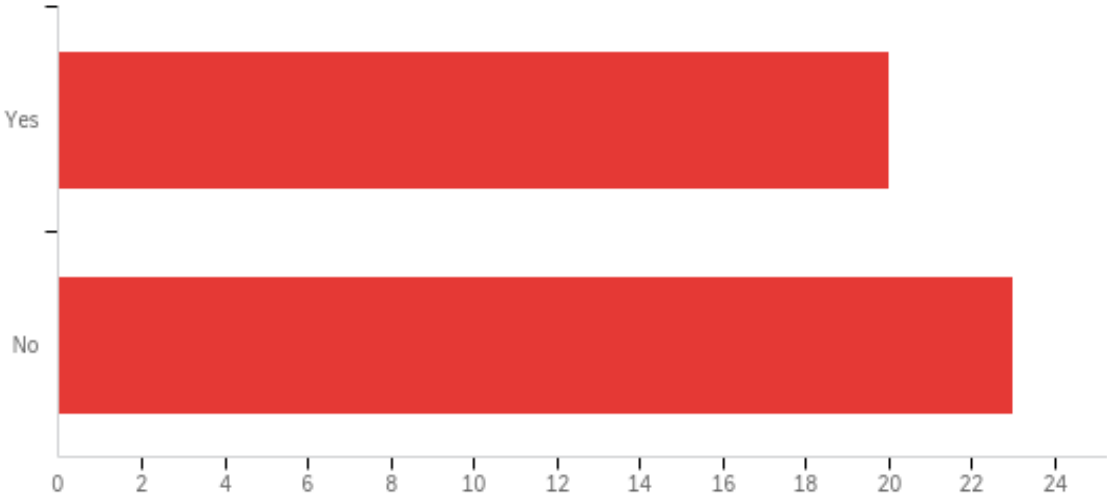
Q2 - Did you turn in your JST transcripts for credit evaluation?



| # | Field | Minimum | Maximum | Mean | Std Deviation | Variance | Count |
|---|---|---------|---------|------|---------------|----------|-------|
| 1 | Did you turn in your JST transcripts for credit evaluation? | 1.00 | 2.00 | 1.19 | 0.39 | 0.15 | 42 |

| # | Answer | % | Count |
|---|--------|--------|-------|
| 1 | Yes | 80.95% | 34 |
| 2 | No | 19.05% | 8 |
| | Total | 100% | 42 |

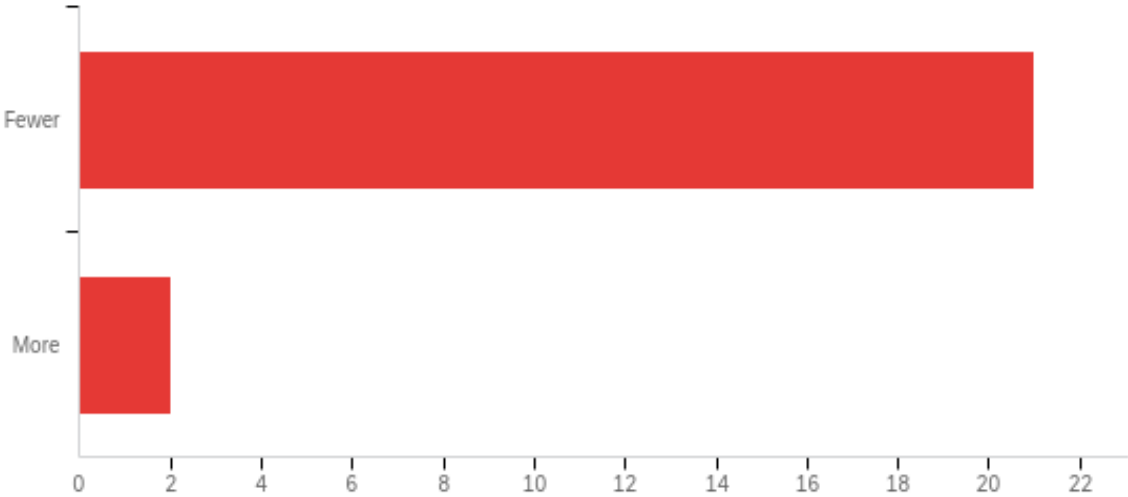
Q3 - Did you receive the amount of credits which you anticipated receiving?



| # | Field | Minimum | Maximum | Mean | Std Deviation | Variance | Count |
|---|--|---------|---------|------|---------------|----------|-------|
| 1 | Did you receive the amount of credits which you anticipated receiving? | 1.00 | 2.00 | 1.53 | 0.50 | 0.25 | 43 |

| # | Answer | % | Count |
|---|--------|--------|-------|
| 1 | Yes | 46.51% | 20 |
| 2 | No | 53.49% | 23 |
| | Total | 100% | 43 |

Q4 - Did you receive fewer or more credits than you anticipated receiving?



| # | Field | Minimum | Maximum | Mean | Std Deviation | Variance | Count |
|---|---|---------|---------|------|---------------|----------|-------|
| 1 | Did you receive fewer or more credits than you anticipated receiving? | 1.00 | 2.00 | 1.09 | 0.28 | 0.08 | 23 |

| # | Answer | % | Count |
|---|--------|--------|-------|
| 1 | Fewer | 91.30% | 21 |
| 2 | More | 8.70% | 2 |
| | Total | 100% | 23 |

Q5 - Did you receive any credits from your military career which hindered your progress towards a degree? How/Why?

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No

some of my credits counted at one school for my aa and the other University still in Florida did not take them for my bachelors.

N/A

No

not that I know of

No. I applied to UWF as a graduate student not as a transfer student.

No, not that I am aware of at this time.

No but, it puts you cloase to excess credits and having to pay extra .

NO

No

No

No

Yes, they didn't count enough towards my degree.

No

no

No

no

No, most of the credits I received were used to fill in elective credits at the university

My JST transferred 27 upper level credits, but without a course syllabus none of them can be applied. It's almost more a slap in the face to say that we acknowledge you have this experience and we'd give you these 27 credits - but actually we won't. And there's no available recourse.

N/a

no

No

I don't think so. A lot of the credits that transferred were college credits that I accomplished while active.

No

No

No

None hindered my progress

No

Never was asked about past military experience or education for Ch 31.

No

No

Most of them were turned into electives that resulted in excess hours

No.

Yes, my credits counted towards my overall amount of credits and now I run the risk of excess hours for no reason.

Q6 - Based upon your military experiences only (not what is suggested in your JST or CCAF transcripts) which courses/academic areas would you have expected to receive prior learning credit for?

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Airman Leadership School

Writing required by Gordon Rule, Civic Literacy (POSX041 American Government), American Politics (POS2041), and Algebra (MAC1105)

Biology, Anatomy, Physiology,

No. I applied to UWF as a graduate student not as a transfer student.

None; going for a Health Science degree and that's not my current job in the Army

Leadership, public speaking, management ect

PE ROTC Management

I don't know

Elective credits

None

More general education and humanities.

Police Academy

Electives

Leadership School/Academy

if anything maybe some, elective credits

My NCO preparatory course

Technical Writing, Environmental Health or Health Science, Emergency Medicine and/or basic nursing.

N/a

management

Management credit somewhere for our professional military development courses such as Non-commissioned officer academy.

None

More credits for leadership and problem solving. Especially since I completed combat deployments.

all the foreign language and cultural credits

Circuits, electronic circuits, digital logic, communication systems, solid state electronic devices, basic electric energy engineering, intro to e

None

As a US Navy Hospital Corpsman First Class with 20 years of experience and training, I had to fight to get my Anatomy and Physiology course to be accepted for credit. None of my other medical training was taken. I debated going into the nursing field but the non-acceptance of my experience pushed me into another direction.

None, I went to college prior to coming into the military and had more than enough credits.

I would expect credit just for my JST

Electronics (Many many different areas) Professional Ethics Psychology credit

AIT

All of my IT and networking classes that are the exact same information that I am learning in my IT classes now.

Q7 - What thoughts on postsecondary education credit for military training would you like to share with the workgroup?

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Attend the NCO Academy as soon as possible. Don't put it off!

we need to get things straight across the board

I don't believe the JST is as accurate as it should be, especially since the military training changes frequently. I would also like to see an option for discussion or providing additional proof that credit should be given when a SM feels they have the experience.

Many like me receive certifications that are the exact same as civilians that require earned college credits to earn these certificates. An example of this is my certification as a Paramedic. However, the military pays for programs that train individuals and award these certificates however do not award college credits. Having a CCAF in practical nursing didn't seem to add much to my list of completed credits towards my Bio-Med science program either.

Recognizing Professional Military Education towards credit-level course work.

I would like to see more college credit for my current MOS (EOD) like other MOS's get

My workplace does not prioritize education, so it is difficult to take classes as leadership in the workplace changes. Whether my leadership values us going to school or not can change in the middle of a semester as we have high turnover. On top of that, I switch from 12hr days to 12hr night shifts every 3 months, so I have to quickly reorganize how and when I study. These are just a couple challenges for me personally.

They are good but, 90% of the ones i got weren't used for my degree.

The Air Force gives members college credit for PME.

NA

It sucked being told that the college would only offer 4 credit hours total despite having 30+ military credits available and having to re-evaluate a set in place plan for moving and career choices because I wasn't where I should have been for degree completion.

It's a joke! It literally doesn't matter how many or what kind of credits you have hardly any schools accept them, and when they do they're mostly "free electives".

Leadership training should count, Analysis and Assessments

none

None

none

As a Law Enforcement Specialist in the USAF, I attended many training courses associated to that field, however hardly any received credit at the University. I feel any standardized training courses in a specified career field should be acknowledged for credit.

Being able to challenge course exams, professional exams or have demonstrate interviews/oral boards would help recognize professional achievement and demonstrate knowledge levels for course equivalency.

N/a

So much what we go through in basic management classes are what we have gone through as supervisors in the military already.

I have none at this time.

If all my training and experience in my military career directly aligns with my degree of choice more credit should be given to the upper level courses

I didn't receive any relevant military education credit for my degree. This was expected though as my program is an engineering program.

Alot of the on the job training and skills we learned need to be evaluated better. When I was deployed to Iraq, I worked opposite of my Flight Surgeon who was a credentialed Medical Doctor and saw patients on my own, performed medical procedures and directed medical responses to trauma that is far above the level of an EMT. I can't even get credit for my EMT experience.

I failed all the classes I was enrolled in when I went to basic training. Would it be possible to change those grades from F to W and recalculate my GPA? I have my enlistment documents and I retok those classes and passed them all.

Like to know more about how the VA can help us use the Bills for us in master's degree work.

At a minimum, our credits should be taken from our JST; for instance, UWF required me to take med terminology again when it is very plainly shown on my JST. When questioned, I got no answer, only that someone said it was required.

There are many areas of the JST that are looked over. There are many hundreds of hours in a 20 year career that go into training. That training, when it comes to UWF, seems null and void. Does the military not meet and/ or exceed the expectations set forth by UWF? UWF prides itself on how well its veterans are treated. Treat them better and give them credit where credit is due.

The classes that translate to college courses is dependent on your MOS for the army. It would be nice to know how each MOS would translate into different college courses, so I could plan accordingly.

I think the biggest thing is that the university should look deeper into the information that was covered in the military classes instead of just brushing them off to the side and making them "free elective credits".