

# ACTIVE DUTY CHECKLIST



## HOW ONLINE LEARNING WORKS

If you're looking for an exceptional online learning experience, you've come to the right university – one that understands why an investment in your education is an investment in your professional future.

Learn how classes are presented online, how you'll interact with professors and classmates, and about Drexel's many online resources.

**VISIT: [ONLINE.DREXEL.EDU/DEMO](https://online.drexel.edu/demo)**



Currently, Drexel has more than **6,700** unique students from **all 50 states** and more than **12 countries** pursuing a fully online program.

## TAKE OUR ONLINE TEST DRIVE

Experience first-hand what it's like to study online at Drexel University.

Through this interactive classroom session, applicants and prospective students will:

- Participate in discussion threads and collaborate with fellow Test Drive participants.
- Learn how to utilize online campus resources, like career services and the digital library.
- Interact with our Drexel Ambassadors, including faculty, staff, alumni and current students.
- Gain confidence in an online classroom.

## Active Duty Checklist

- Apply and receive your student ID number
  - Be sure to be in touch with your enrollment counselor to periodically check on the status of your application
- Send official transcripts and documents
- Set meeting with TA point of contact
- Complete FAFSA (fafsa.ed.gov)
  - Tuition assistance may not cover the entire tuition cost at Drexel, please plan accordingly
  - Ensure your military discount has been applied to your account
- As a military service member or veteran, Drexel waives the \$100 matriculation fee

## Top Military Skills

When making the transition from a military career to a civilian career, it is important to identify the soft skills you will have learned in the military that are valuable for civilian careers. These skills such as communication, organization, and development of leadership qualities can prove invaluable to employers. By highlighting these soft skills on your resume and cover letter, you can position yourself as an asset to prospective employers.

## Using Your Tuition Assistance

Tuition Assistance benefits are a way for the military services to provide education benefits to servicemembers on active duty. Tuition Assistance benefits are administered by each branch of the service and are typically earned based on service. Each branch determines their own award and amounts, eligibility, restrictions, and application process.

Learn more:

[benefits.va.gov/gibill/tuition\\_assistance.asp](https://benefits.va.gov/gibill/tuition_assistance.asp)



## Greetings from the Office of Veteran Student Services!

Our goal is to create a truly military-friendly campus and online community through our welcoming and informative approach.

Our current military community includes:

**Drexel Veterans Association**

**Drexel Veteran Alumni Network**

**Veteran Colleague Resource Group**

**Drexel Dependents**

Please visit:

[Online.Drexel.Edu/Military](https://Online.Drexel.Edu/Military)

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