Information Sheet for
Service Members, Veterans, Spouses and Other Family Members

Useful tools

The **College Scorecard** is located at: https://collegescorecard.ed.gov. Using the college scorecard, students and their families can look up the cost and assess the value of colleges and universities. Each scorecard highlights five key pieces of data about a college: costs, graduation rate, loan default rate, average amount borrowed, and employment. Information is provided by the Department of Education in a standardized easy to read format. It is designed to help you compare schools and choose one that is well suited to your needs.

The **College Navigator** is located at: http://nces.ed.gov/collegenavigator. Provided by the Department of Education, College Navigator is a college search tool which helps you to find colleges and career schools that may fit your needs. You can search for schools by location, degrees offered, programs/majors, tuition and fees, setting, size, and much more. College Navigator allows you to compare schools, save your session, and export your results into a spreadsheet.

You will receive notification about your **Financial Aid Offer and Financing Plan** once you have been admitted to Milligan University and we have received the electronic results of your FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Aid). The FAFSA can be completed at www.studentaid.gov. Milligan's school code 003511, must be included on your FAFSA so that we will receive your results. The Financial Aid Offer and Financing Plan will provide you personalized financial aid information and net costs. This tool provides an easy way to make clear comparisons among financial aid offers you may receive from other schools.

The **Paying for College** webpage can be accessed at: http://www.consumerfinance.gov/paying-for-college. This tool helps you make a plan to pay for costs that your offer doesn't cover. You can save your information and return to the completed worksheet at a later time.

Point of contact - Office located in Derthick -103

The point of contact for Veterans Education Benefits is the Assistant Registrar and School Certification Officer, Kathryn Daugherty. Email - kedaugherty@milligan.edu Phone – 423.461.8787

Financial Aid Counselors – Office located in McCown Cottage -1st floor

Last name A-K – Stephanie Justice Email - smjustice@milligan.edu Phone – 423.975.8050

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Financial Aid Resources and Information

You may access information about types of financial aid available by visiting Milligan Financial Aid at https://www.milligan.edu/admissions/financial-aid/. You will be assigned a Financial Aid Counselor who can guide you through the financial aid process.

Milligan University encourages students to consider Federal student loans before applying for Private loans. For information about both Federal loans and Private loans visit https://www.milligan.edu/admissions/financial-aid/.

The Department of Education offers several student loan repayment plans. A complete listing of repayment options is available at https://studentaid.gov/manage-loans/repayment/plans.

To learn about circumstances in which student loans can be forgiven visit https://studentaid.gov/manage-loans/forgiveness-cancellation.

Milligan students have the right to refuse all or borrow less than the maximum student loan amount offered to them. Milligan's Cohort Default Rate (rate of students who defaulted on their student loans) is 0%. The national average is also 0% due to the federal loan repayment pause. On average 44% of Milligan students use federal student loans to assist them in paying for college.

Course Materials

The Milligan University Bookstore provides a complete list of text books and course materials at https://bookstore.milligan.edu. Books may be purchased at the university bookstore or at any physical or virtual retail store.

P. H. Welshimer Memorial Library and Emmanuel Christian Seminary Library

The P. H. Welshimer Memorial Library and the Emmanuel Christian Seminary Library provide an array of print, media and electronic information resources accessible on or off campus, 24 hours a day/7days a week from the Library's website at https://library.milligan.edu. Librarians are available to assist you with your resource and research needs through in-person consults, telephone, or online reference services.

Re-admissions Policy

Service members who did not attend, or did not continue to attend, because of service in the uniformed services may seek readmission to a Milligan University program of study with the same academic status as when previously admitted. Please see the Admissions section of the catalog for information about readmission procedures. Milligan's catalog can be found at https://www.milligan.edu/catalog/.

Transfer Credit Policy

The catalog describes the requirements for the completion of the various programs of study including the total number of hours required for completion of the degrees along with the general education requirements, major and/or minor requirements, and elective courses. In addition, the University Registrar evaluates previous coursework from other accredited institutions and relevant military training and provides a summary of the findings. When awarding credits for military service, the University follows the recommendations of the American Council on Education Guide to the Evaluation of Educational Experiences in the Armed Forces. This evaluation is provided within 60 days after the individual has selected a degree program and all required official transcripts have been received.