



SOUTHEAST MISSOURI
STATE UNIVERSITY · 1873



MILITARY RECEIVE IN-STATE TUITION

SAVE AS MUCH AS \$5,000 A YEAR

As a service member, veteran, spouse or dependent of a service member or veteran, you may qualify for in-state tuition, regardless of where you live.

SERVICE MEMBER/VETERAN

- / Anyone who is wearing or has worn a United States Armed Forces uniform
- / Must be Honorably or Generally Discharged

SPOUSE

- / Currently married to, widowed from, or receiving transferred CH 33 or CH 35 VA education benefits

DEPENDENT

- / Under 24 years of age or currently receiving transferred CH 33 or CH 35 VA education benefits

Military and Veterans Services
semo.edu/veterans

SUBMIT DOCUMENTATION TO VA Certifying Official
One University Plaza, MS 1150
University Center Room 302
Cape Girardeau, MO 63701
(573) 651-2263
veterans@semo.edu



HOW CAN I RECEIVE IN-STATE TUITION?

Submit the following documentation for consideration.*

Veterans Submit ONE

- Military ID (active duty or retired)
- Certificate of Eligibility (COE) letter
- DD 214 long form

Spouse Submit ONE

- Military ID
- COE letter
- DD 214 long form AND copy of marriage certificate

Dependent Submit ONE

- Military ID
- COE letter
- DD 214 long form AND copy of birth certificate
- DD 214 long form AND copy of most recent parent IRS tax transcript

* Additional documentation may be required after review.

WHAT IS THE DEADLINE TO BE CONSIDERED?

Fall semester - Aug. 22

Spring semester - Jan. 25

Summer semester- May 16

Documentation submitted after the deadline will be reviewed and determined for the following semester. In no case will a residency ruling be retroactive.

HOW LONG AM I ELIGIBLE FOR IN-STATE TUITION?

To receive in-state tuition, a spouse or dependent must remain continuously enrolled at Southeast, once documentation has been verified to qualify them for fee-paying purposes. Dependents who are receiving in-state tuition continue to receive that tuition as long as they remain continuously enrolled, until graduating, or until leaving Southeast for a full fall or spring semester. If the student returns and completes any type of admission form, his/her documentation will be verified again, and he/she will not receive in-state tuition unless the definitions stated above are still met.