

United States Armed Forces / Old Dominion University
Military Pathway
Catalog Years 2024-2027
Bachelor of Science in Educational Foundations and Leadership – Training Specialist

Requirements Potentially Met Outside Classroom		
Military Course, Certification, Experience, or Exam	ODU Equivalent Course	Credits
Lower-Division General Education Requirements		
CLEP ^{1 2 3} College Composition (NOT Modular)	ENGL 110C English Composition	3
DSST Technical Writing	ENGL 231C Writing, Rhetoric, and Research: Special Topics	3
CLEP College Math, College Algebra, or Precalculus	MATH 101M, MATH 102M, or MATH 162M	3
DSST Fundamentals of Algebra or Principles of Statistics	MATH 102M or STAT 130M	
CLEP Foreign Languages or military linguist or DLIFLC grad	Language and Culture requirement ⁴	6
CLEP Principles of Macroeconomics or Microeconomics	ECON 201S or 202S Principles of Macroeconomics or Microeconomics	3
CLEP Any one of six History exams	Interpreting the Past requirement	3
CLEP American or Analyzing & Interpreting Literature	Literature requirement	3
CLEP Biology ⁵	Nature of Science requirement	8
Subtotal		32
Department or Major Requirements		
CLEP or DSST Multiple Choices	Lower- or Upper-Division General Education requirements	various
CLEP Financial Accounting	ACCT 201 & 202 Principles of Financial and Managerial Accounting	6
CLEP Introductory Psychology	PSYC 201S Introduction to Psychology	3
CLEP Principles of Management or current/previous E7-E9	MGMT 325 Contemporary Organizations and Management	3
CLEP Principles of Marketing	MKTG 311 Marketing Principles and Problems	3
DSST Human Resource Management	MGMT 340 Human Resource Management	3
DSST Principles of Supervision or current/previous E6-E9	SEPS 302 Workforce Supervision	3
Faculty review of exams, training, transcripts, and experience	Training electives	various
Master Training Specialist or Master Instructor	SEPS 389 Education and Training of Adults	3
Master Training Specialist or Master Instructor	SEPS 400 Instructional Systems Development	3
Master Training Specialist or Master Instructor	SEPS 402 Instructional Methods in Occupational Studies	3
Master Training Specialist or Master Instructor	SEPS 405 Directed Work Experience (approval required)	4
Subtotal		34+
Requirements Potentially Met Outside Classroom		90

Notes:

- Prior learning credit not to exceed 60 credit hours is also available in specific situations at a cost of 20-50% of the current tuition rate: <https://www1.odu.edu/academics/academic-records/evaluation-of-credit/prior-learning>
- E8 earns MGMT 325 & 330 and E9 earns MGMT 325, 330, and 410 to help meet UDGE requirements.

¹ A passing CLEP or DSST examination score will satisfy the ODU requirement. See <https://clep.collegeboard.org/> and <https://www.odu.edu/academics/academic-records/score-analysis/clep-dantes> for details.

² A student may forego the CLEP or DSST option and satisfy the requirements by taking the actual courses. If a course is taken elsewhere check first for transfer equivalency here <https://transfer2.odu.edu/equivalency/>.

³ Modern States offers CLEP preparation here <https://modernstates.org/>.

⁴ ODU's Language and Culture requirement can be satisfied by three years of a foreign language or two years of two foreign languages in high school. Students whose native language is not English are exempt from taking a foreign language for general education.

⁵ Biology is the only CLEP exam that will satisfy all eight credit hours for ODU's Nature of Science requirement.

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Requirements Met at ODU or Elsewhere

A minimum of 30 credits must be taken at ODU and 120 credits total to earn degree

Short Title	Course Title	Credits
Training Specialist Major Requirements		
HC 1REQ	Human Creativity requirement (cannot be met by SEPS 223A)	3
HMSV 339	Interpersonal Relations (meets Oral Communication requirement)	3
PL 1REQ	Philosophy and Ethics requirement	3
PSYC 303	Industrial/Organizational Psychology	3
SEPS 450	Assessment, Evaluation, and Improvement	3
SEPS 481	Professional and Career Development	3
STEM 251G	Computer Literacy: Communication and Information (meets Information Literacy and Research requirement)	3
STEM 350 or 351	Communication Technology Processes or Communication Technology	3
STEM 365	Safety and OSHA Certification	3
STEM 370T	Technology and Society (writing intensive; meets Impact of Technology requirement)	3
Training electives	Training electives not met elsewhere	various
Electives	Electives to meet Lower- or Upper-Division General Education requirements not met elsewhere	various
Requirements met at ODU or elsewhere		30+
Total credits for degree		120

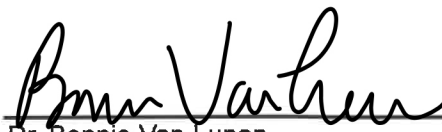
Next steps:

- Submit application at <https://www.odu.edu/apply/applications>. Online students - use application fee waiver code provided by your ODUGlobal enrollment coordinator.
- Order your high school, college, CCAF, and/or joint service transcripts sent to admissions@odu.edu or Old Dominion University, Undergraduate Admissions, 1004 Alfred B. Rollins Jr. Hall, Norfolk, Virginia 23529-0050.
- Electronically sign your application.
- Monitor your application portal for status updates until an admission decision is made.
- Accept your admission offer and set up your ODU account/email as directed by Admissions.
- Complete orientation and meet with your academic advisor prior to course registration.
- Finalize your degree plan with your academic advisor based on this pathway.



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