United States Armed Forces / Old Dominion University **Military Pathway** Catalog Years 2024-2027 **BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN OCCUPATIONAL AND TECHNICAL STUDIES – TRAINING SPECIALIST**

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
Current or previous E6-E9	STEM 251G Computer Literacy: Communication and Information	3
CLEP Principles of Macroeconomics or Microeconomics	ECON 201S or 202S Principles of Macroeconomics or Microeconomics	3
CLEP Any History exam	Interpreting the Past requirement	3
CLEP American or Analyzing & Interpreting Literature	Literature requirement	3
CLEP Biology ⁵	Nature of Science requirement	8
	Subtotal	35
Departm	ent or Major Requirements	
Faculty review of exams, training, transcripts, and experience	Training electives	various
CLEP Financial Accounting	ACCT 201 Principles of Financial Accounting	3
CLEP Introductory Psychology	PSYC 201S Introduction to Psychology	3
CLEP Principles of Marketing	MKTG 311 Marketing Principles and Problems	3
Current or previous E6-E9 or DSST Principles of Supervision	SEPS 302 Workforce Supervision Management	3
Current or previous E7-E9 or CLEP Principles of Management	MGMT 325 Contemporary Organizations and Management	3
Current or previous E8-E9	MGMT 330 Organizational Behavior	3
Current or previous E9	MGMT 410 Leadership in Organizations (meets elective requirement)	3
DSST Human Resource Management	MGMT 340 Human Resource Management	3
Select specialties	SEPS 389 Education and Training of Adults	3
Select specialties	SEPS 400 Instructional Systems Development	3
Select specialties	SEPS 402 Instructional Methods in Occupational Studies	3
Select specialties	SEPS 405 Directed Work Experience (approval required)	4
Select specialties	STEM 351 Communication Technology	3
	Subtotal	43+
	Requirements Potentially Met Outside Classroom	78+

Note: 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://ww1.odu.edu/academics/academic-records/evaluation-of-credit/prior-learning

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 <u>https://modernstates.org/</u>.

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

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

Short Title	Course Title	Credits
Training Specialist Major Requirements		
HMSV 339	Interpersonal Relations (meets Oral Communication requirement)	3
Human Creativity	Human Creativity requirement (cannot be met by SEPS 223A)	3
Philosophy and Ethics	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 365	Safety and OSHA Certification	3
STEM 370T	Technology and Society (writing intensive; C or better required; meets Impact of Technology requirement)	3
Electives	Training, lower-, or upper-division electives not met elsewhere	6+
	Requirements met at ODU	30+
Total credits for degree		120

Next steps:

- Submit application at <u>https://www.odu.edu/apply/applications</u>. 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 <u>admissions@odu.edu</u> 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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