

#### Military-Connected Benefits and Certifications

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### **Military Leave of Absence**

#### The following guidelines are for the U.S. Military Students, Academic Advisors, and College Deans:

- 1. Students should take the completed MLOA application form to their Academic Advisor to review the academic ramifications of taking a leave for an unspecified period. The College Dean signs the form as verification that the student has been advised.
- 2. Students living in UA residence halls should contact the Residence Life office at (520) 621-6501.
- 3. Students receiving financial aid through the UA Office of Financial Aid should contact their financial aid counselor.
- 4. When students are called to active duty after classes begin, they should contact the Office of the Registrar at (520) 621-3113 for a complete withdrawal from the current term, in addition to filing the MLOA for subsequent terms.
- 5. Students submit the completed MLOA application, signed by their College Dean, to the Office of Registration and Transcripts, Administration Building, Room 210, along with a copy of their military orders indicating the date on which the students must report for active duty.
- 6. Students who are approved for the MLOA are encouraged to return to the University of Arizona following their active military service; students with this status need not apply for or pay readmission fees. They may register for classes during Priority Registration for the semester before they plan to return.
- 7. At the time the MLOA is approved, students should be informed that, should their student status change during their leave (e.g., they complete courses elsewhere or take CLEP exams), they are responsible for submitting official transcripts to update their University of Arizona records.
- 8. First semester freshman who take a MLOA will follow the General Catalog in effect upon their return. First semester transfer students and continuing students who take a MLOA abide by the University's Choice of Catalog Policy.

# It is the responsibility of the Office of Registration and Transcripts to verify that a student meets the following criteria:

- Be registered for the previous semester or have an approved withdrawal through the Office of the Registrar before the following semester's Leave of Absence.
- Have a cumulative GPA of at least 2.000.
- Have their University account paid in full.
- Have no pending disciplinary action.

Approval or Denial notifications will be sent to the student's University of Arizona email account from the Office of Registration and Transcripts.

If you have any questions, please call (520) 621-3113 or email REG-reghelp@arizona.edu

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Students Name: Student Identification number:	
Students address during Leave: Students last term enrolled:	
Students College:	
Students Major:	
College Dean's Signature:	Date:
ordered to active duty may be granted a Military Leave of and up to one (1) year after returning from active duty. St	ilitary, National Guard or other armed forces reserve unit who is called or Absence (MLOA) from the University of Arizona for the period of active duty udents with the MLOA need not apply for readmission or pay readmission as during their priority registration period prior to the term when they plan to
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I have attached to this form a copy of my milit	ary orders indicating the date on which I must report to active duty
Student Signature:	Date: