

As of 23 Nov 2016

Transition Assistance Workshop

Transition Assistance workshops are mandated for all military personnel transitioning from active duty service. These workshops cover resume writing, interview skills, job search skills, VA benefits, financial readiness, and much more. These workshops are also available to spouses of transitioning military on a space available basis. TAP workshops take place over 5 continuous days from 8:00 am to 4:30 pm. To get more information, reserve a seat, or get started in the program call 913-684-2227 or email usarmy.sfl-tap.leavenworth@mail.mil. Upcoming workshops will be starting on:

9 – 13 Jan

20 Jan – 3 Feb*

6 – 10 Feb

6 – 10 Mar

* Denotes Executive TAP Workshop.

Federal Application Seminar

The Transition Assistance Program will host a monthly class on submitting applications using the USA Jobs website. The Civilian Personnel Advisory Center (CPAC) will provide the guidance and instruction. This class covers how to navigate the USA Jobs portal and how to submit a federal resume to apply for government employment. To sign up for this workshop call 913-684-2227 or email usarmy.sfl-tap.leavenworth@mail.mil. Classes will be held 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in classroom 131 in the Resiliency Center on:

26 Jan

16 Feb

30 Mar

27 April

Entrepreneur Workshop

The Entrepreneur Workshop is coordinated and executed through the greater Kansas City Small Business Administration. This 2-day workshop explains the basics of developing a business plan, legal and financial aspects of business ownership, advantages and disadvantages of purchasing a franchise, help that is available to prospective entrepreneurs, and explains how to overcome some of the stressors of business ownership. If you are interested in attending, please call 684-2227 or email usarmy.sfl-tap.leavenworth@mail.mil to reserve your seat. The workshops will be held in classroom 131 in the Resiliency Center from 8:30 am to 4:00 pm on:

14 – 15 Feb

4 - 5 Apr

30 - 31 May

Education Workshop

The Soldier for Life Transition Assistance Program will be hosting an Education Workshop for those that plan on pursuing further education after transitioning from the military. The workshop will provide in-depth information on education benefits available using various GI Bills, guidance on how to select a school, and information on other program or benefits for Veteran use. If you are interested in attending, please call 684-2227 or email usarmy.sfl-tap.leavenworth@mail.mil to reserve your seat. The workshop will be held from 8:30 am to 4:00 pm in classroom 131 in the Resiliency Center on:

23 – 24 Feb

11 – 12 Apr

8 – 9 Jun

Vocational / Technical Workshop

Soldiers seeking employment in a technical or vocational field will benefit greatly from this workshop. Veterans Affairs provides the training for this 2-day workshop and will help with determining career goals, interests, and skill gaps. They will help identify reputable, high-quality career technical schools or credentialing organizations. The VA will discuss options that are available for apprenticeships, becoming a journeyman, or receiving credentials that allow for union membership. Once a career course of action is decided upon, the instructors will assist attendees with submitting applications for training, benefits, or membership. To sign up for

this workshop call 913-684-2227 or email usarmy.sfl-tap.leavenworth@mail.mil. The Workshop will be held from 8:30 am to 4:00 pm in classroom 131 located in the Resiliency Center on:

21 – 22 Feb

6 – 7 Apr

6 – 7 Jun

Kauffman FastTrac NewVenture Entrepreneur Course

Soldier for Life - Transition Assistance Program is taking reservations for the 1st session for 2017 of the hugely popular Kauffman FastTrac NewVenture Entrepreneur course. The course is designed for those who are serious about starting their own business after the military and want to learn how to develop a viable business plan and build a network of mentors. The FastTrac course normally costs between \$800 and \$1,000 per seat, but through a partnership we are able to offer it free of charge. The course will meet once a week on Friday's from 9:00 to 12:00 a.m. for 10 weeks (excluding the 17 February holiday weekend) in classroom 106 within the Resiliency Center starting **20 January – 31 March 2017**. There are only 20 seats available for this course. Applicants will be notified at least two weeks prior to the course start date if they have been selected to attend. If you are interested in attending, email usarmy.sfl-tap.leavenworth@mail.mil or call 913-684-2860.

Transition Education Counselor

The Transition Assistance Program now has a Transition Education Counselor in the center that can assist with selecting a school or discipline, with documenting current educational achievements, and with programs or benefits that are available after separation from active military service. To set up an appointment with the Transition Education Counselor, please call 913-684-2539.

Financial Counseling Available

Transition Assistance has its own Accredited Financial Counselor on staff that can help with assessing your current and future financial situation. There are many expenses that are incurred as a civilian that military members don't plan for; our financial counselor can help identify and prepare for those expenses. Individuals or couples can make an appointment by calling 913-684-2227.