
[See ETP Guidance sheet for full instructions.](#)

MyCAA Education & Training Plan (ETP)

School Contact Information:

School Name and Campus:

Campus Street Address:

Campus City, State, ZIP Code:

Campus Phone Number:

School Website URL:

Student Information:

Student Name:

School Issued Student ID:

Program Name:

Program Type:

Program Duration:

Scheduled Start Date:

Estimated Completion Date:

Course Delivery Format

Program Overview:

The CompTIA Security+ course provides students with the basic knowledge and skills necessary to become an IT security professional. This course is designed to fully prepare students to sit for and pass the CompTIA Security+ certification exam. Students will gain the knowledge and skills necessary to identify risk and participate in risk mitigation activities as well as provide infrastructure, application, operational and information security. They will also acquire the knowledge necessary to apply security controls to maintain confidentiality, integrity and availability, as well as how to identify appropriate technologies and products. Finally, students will gain an awareness of applicable policies, laws and regulations with regard to IT security.

Certification/Licensure Eligibility upon Program Completion:

• There are several National Certification exams that are available to students who successfully complete this program:

- CompTIA Security+ (SY0-401) Certification Exam

NOTE: CompTIA® recommends candidates for the CompTIA A+ Exam have a minimum of two years of experience in IT administration with a focus on security

- Microsoft Office Specialist (MOS) Certification Exam.

Tuition Cost + Student Cost:

Tuition Cost	Student Cost	Total	

Course Breakdown:

Enter each course or block of study in the table below for which MyCAA financial assistance is being requested. Insert additional rows as needed to accommodate all required coursework.

Course/Program Code	Course/Program Title	Course Credits (if applicable)
	Certified Information Systems Security Professional Certificate	
	Program with Externship	

School Official Certification:

By my signature below, I certify the above information is true, accurate, complete, and being submitted on behalf of the institution named in this document.

Signature/Title of Authorized School Official

Date

School Official Printed First and Last Name

School Official E-mail and Phone Number

End of form

Spouse Education and Career Opportunities MyCAA Scholarship Education and Training Plan Guidance

Prior to requesting My Career Advancement Account (MyCAA) financial assistance (FA), schools/organizations and military spouses are required to work together to develop an Education and Training Plan (ETP). Before any funding can be approved, this plan will be uploaded by the spouse to their MyCAA Account for review in PDF format. Spouse Education and Career Opportunities (SECO) program staff will review the plan to ensure it contains coursework that will help the spouse pursue gainful employment in a portable, MyCAA approved career field and occupation of their choosing. Decisions on the approval or disapproval of these plans can take up to 14 calendar days and may require the spouse to consult with a SECO Career Coach.

Education and Training Plan Completion Instructions:

NOTE: Document must be completed by school official.

Before entering data into the ETP template, it is recommended that the template be saved as an original and that a copy is used for data entry. The completed form must be provided to the student in PDF format.

Section 1 - School Contact Information

1. Enter school name **including campus that student will attend**.
2. Enter campus address, phone number, and website.

Section 2 - Student Information

1. Enter student name (student name must match name exactly as registered in DEERS).
2. Enter student's school issued ID # if applicable. If school does not issue student ID, N/A can be entered in this field.
3. Enter program name as listed in school catalog.
4. Enter program type as certificate, associate degree, or license (see further guidance below as needed).
5. Enter program duration (total estimated length of the program in days, weeks, months, or years (see further guidance below as needed).
6. Enter scheduled or approximate program start date (consider MyCAA approval may take up to 14 calendar days when scheduling student start date).
7. Enter estimated program completion date.
8. Enter the delivery of the courses or program (on-site, distance learning/online, both)

Section 3 - Program Overview

1. Enter a complete program description including any specific information required according to guidance below.

Section 4 - Certification/Licensure Eligibility

of this program (i.e. NCLEX, CNA, Dental Hygienist, Radiology Technician, Pharmacy Technician, etc.).

Section 5 - Tuition Cost

1. Enter total cost of tuition to include a breakdown of per credit hour charges if applicable.

Section 6 - Course Breakdown

1. Enter each course or block of study for which MyCAA financial assistance is being requested in this section.

2. To allow for multiple courses, additional rows can be added to this section by selecting the row # to the left of any empty row in the data table and right clicking. From there click on insert and an additional row will be added.

3. Only courses listed in this section can be approved for MyCAA funding. It is recommended that a range of possible "elective" courses that meet academic requirements be listed to ensure this coursework is considered for approval. **Once the plan has been approved, the student is not able to add additional coursework to this document.**

4. A course or program code for each course or block of study must be listed (column 1 of this section) along with the course/program title (column 2 of this section) to be considered for approval. If your institution/organization doesn't have a course code, then a course code will have to be created.

Example of Subject=ENG for English

5. Enter number of credits for each course (if applicable) in column 3 of this section. Formula for converting contact hours to semester hours: Divide total number of contact/class hours by 45 = semester hours

Section 7 - School Official Certification

1. The ETP must be generated by an authorized school official. Authorized individuals are determined by the school. The school official must sign the document attesting to the validity of the information presented in the document.

Additional Guidance by Program Type:

Associate Degrees

1. The concentration or major for the associate degree cannot be in general studies or liberal arts unless there is a specific concentration, such as general studies- teaching.

2. All previously completed coursework or transferred credits from another institution should be noted and listed accordingly on the document.

Certificates

1. All courses, blocks of study, or modules must be listed on the ETP document.
2. Program and/or course codes issued by the school must be listed on the document.
3. All "self-paced" programs will need to clearly list the longest recommended duration for completion on the document.

Credentials

1. All courses, blocks of study, or modules must be listed on the ETP document.
2. The name of the credential must be listed on the ETP document.
3. The credential must be needed for employment.
4. No bachelor's degree courses will be accepted.

Licenses/Certifications

1. These ETP documents are for tests/exams only.
2. The name of the license must be listed on the document (i.e. CPA license).
3. The document must include language indicating the license will require additional study if applicable.
4. The document must include the cost of the testing fee or a breakdown of all associated
5. **CEUs to maintain a standing license or certification** must identify the specific classes and must be accompanied by a copy of a valid license.

GED/ESL

1. This coursework must be part of a certificate or associate degree related to an approved occupation/career goal.
2. Program plans including GED/ESL coursework must detail how these courses support the approved career goal.

NOTE: Spouses will receive a notice through their MyCAA account when their plan has either been approved or deferred. Notification may take up to 14 calendar days. Each spouse must request MyCAA financial assistance (FA) on a course-by-course basis after the ETP is approved and course start/end dates are known. FA must be requested no more than 60 days prior to the course start date.

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