

CORE PROGRAMS

School Transition

SL's support transitional issues affecting military connected students and assist in facilitating solutions

Deployment/Parental Absence Support

SL's provide families and school personnel with resources focused on parental absence, to include the cycle of deployment and academic, social and emotional impact.

Installation, School and Community

Communication

SL's are the installation subject matter expert to Commander/Commander staff/parents for all local Pre-K-12 education issues regarding military child education

Home School Support

SL's share information on home school issues, concerns, local policies, and regulations of state/local education agencies and connect home school families to their community

Community Relations, Partnerships and

Outreach

SL's create a network of parents, community partners, and military/civilian personnel to support the installation/community and school systems

Academic Planning and Post-Secondary Preparations

SL's leverage installation/school resources (e.g., Education and training flight) to provide graduating military students' access to post-secondary information and opportunities

Special Education Support

SL's connect families with appropriate resources needed to navigate school systems



Our Mission

Child & Youth Education Services (School Liaison) is committed to outreach, advocacy, and partnership initiatives that generate real-time solutions for military-connected students in grades Pre-Kindergarten through grade 12 as they face global educational challenges and transitions.

Student Focused...Partnership Driven



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Why is the School Liaison Program Important?

Provides important information regarding local schools and available services to a PCSing military member and family.

Educates local school counselors and staff about the unique needs of military children.

Provides parents with the tools needed to overcome obstacles to education that stem from the mobile military lifestyle.



Laws that protect military students:

Every Student Succeeds Act

Military Interstate Children's Compact

Commission

McKinney Vento Act

IDEA

FAPE - Free Appropriate Public Education

Wright's Law

State Specific Education Codes

Local Education Agency Policies

Colorado Homeschool Law

American Disability Act (ADA) 1974

Resources for Parents and School Personnel

School Liaisons may assist parents with:

Information on local schools

Home schooling regulations

Graduation Requirements

Schools and Community outreach

Agency referrals and much more

School Liaisons may assist schools with:

Military students in transition

Understanding deployments

Learning the military lifestyle

Parent workshops relating to academic achievement

Successful education and school transitions for parents i.e. workshops

Youth Sponsorship Programs

CYB - MFLC Support

Emergency & Contingency Planning

Volunteer opportunities



School Liaison Program: Community Resources

- Colorado Department of Education
<http://www.cde.state.co.us/>
- Military Child Education Coalition
<http://www.militarychild.org>
- Military Interstate Children's Compact Commission
<http://www.mic3.net>
- Military One Source
<http://www.militaryonesource.mil/>
- Specialized Training of Military Parents (STOMP) www.wapave.org
- School Quest
www.schoolquest.militarychild.org
- Operation Homefront
<https://operationhomefront.org>
- Home School Information
www.hslda.org/militaryfamilies
- Scholarships for Military Families
<https://studentaid.gov>
<http://www.collegescholarships.org>
www.militaryscholar.org
- Tutoring Services (Free for Military)
www.tutor.com
- NICHE
<https://www.niche.com/k12/rankings>
- Military HomeFront
www.militaryhomefront.dod.mil
- Peterson SFB School Liaison: <http://www.21fss.com>
- IDEA - Building the Legacy IDEA
<http://idea.idea.ed.gov>