

College Program Frequently Asked Questions:

- **What does hybrid mean?**
 - Hybrid means that 50% of the course is online and 50% or more is completed in the classroom at the designated class time.
- **How much do the courses cost?**
 - These courses are \$130 per credit hour.
- **When is payment due for the courses?**
 - Payment is due for these courses by the end of the semester. For example, if you are taking classes in the Fall semester, the payment will not be due until December. The full amount for courses must be paid before you can take any courses in the Spring semester. Until the balance is paid in full, a hold will be placed on your final grades and transcripts.
- **Where do I get my books?**
 - If a textbook is required as noted on the schedule, you will receive it on the first night of class from the instructor. The book must be returned to the instructor at the end of the cycle or if the class is dropped. If the book is not returned, a charge will be placed on your account and you will no longer be able to take classes until you pay it or return the book.
- **How often do the classes run?**
 - Classes are held for 8 weeks at a time and there are five cycles a year. There are two 8-week cycles in the Spring and Fall semesters and there is one 8-week cycle in the Summer semester.
- **What days of the week are classes held?**
 - The classes are held 1-2 nights a week between Monday and Friday for 3 hours. The day for each class does vary each cycle, you will need to look at a schedule to determine the day of your class. Any holidays for the cycle are also posted on the schedule*
- **If I am a civilian, can I take these courses even though they are held on Fort Riley?**
 - Anyone can take the night courses, you do not need to be affiliated with the military in order to attend. We can work with you to obtain a post access Visitor's pass, if needed.
- **Can my high school child take these classes?**
 - Yes as long as the child is in the summer of their sophomore year or older.
- **When will the next schedule be out?**
 - The college program class schedules are usually released 1 week after the previous cycle has started.
- **If I am active duty, will Tuition Assistance (TA) pay for the full cost of the course?**
 - Tuition Assistance will cover the full cost of tuition (\$130 per credit hour) for the course as long as the course is required for the declared degree program. If using TA, the soldier will only be responsible for any listed fees for the course (ex. Lab fee). The soldier will not have to purchase a book for the class because Barton provides them. If you are utilizing TA, then it must be requested the day before the class is first scheduled to meet.
- **What changes have you made due to COVID-19?**
 - Due to COVID-19, Barton is offering classes in a Fuzion delivery method. What this means is you have the option to choose how to participate. If you wish to attend class In-Person at the designated time and location, you will enroll into the In-Person CRN. If you wish to remain home and attend class via Zoom at the designated time, you will enroll into the LiveOnline CRN. If a Textbook is required as noted on the schedule, all students will check the book out on the first night of class with the instructor. If you wish to make other arrangements to pick up your textbook, please contact the instructor.

*Class cancellations due to weather/unexpected events will be posted to the respective Facebook page and via the RAVE notification system. Sign up for RAVE notifications through your Barton Portal.

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