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Clarion was named a Military Friendly School with a gold distinction, and Edinboro earned a silver distinction for 2022-23.

PennWest accepts CLEP and DSST exams for course credit. You are eligible to receive up to 30 credits through successful scores on these exams. This is equivalent to one year of full-time coursework!

WE’LL SHOW YOU THE MONEY
At PennWest, by being former military, you increase your eligibility for scholarships and tuition discounts. Benefits also extend to current military and veterans’ dependents.

30 CREDITS
We take tremendous pride in knowing that our three PennWest campuses – California, Clarion and Edinboro – were deemed Military Friendly for 12 years straight.

YOUR LIFE EXPERIENCE MAY QUALIFY YOU TO RECEIVE CREDIT THROUGH OUR LIFE EXPERIENCE PROGRAM.

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THE FACTS OF LIFE

With Honors
PennWest’s campuses honor our veterans with various traditions including dinners, solemn observations, recognitions and ceremonies.

WELCOME ABOARD
EACH CAMPUS HAS A MILITARY AND VETERANS AFFAIRS POINT OF CONTACT TO HELP YOU TRANSITION TO ACADEMIC LIFE WITH EASE.

IT FEELS LIKE HOME
Two of our campuses have designated veterans’ lounges, but all of our campuses have places where you can study and unwind on campus.

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