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Veterans Upward Bound (VUB) is a free-of-charge program that helps veterans who have not completed a bachelor's degree prepare for enrollment at the college of their choice.

VUB assists veterans across Maine, regardless of school choice, who are beginning or returning to post-secondary education. The program is tailored to meet individual needs in a variety of ways, including the following areas:

- Assistance in completing college admission/financial aid applications
- Academic & skills assessments
- Tutoring and computer-based instruction
- Academic, financial aid, career, and personal counseling
- Classroom instruction in reading, writing, and math, as well as computer basics, study skills, and other essential subjects

ELIGIBILITY

U.S. military veterans who served at least 181 consecutive days on active-duty

OR

who were activated from a reserve component of the Armed Forces for more than 30 days

AND

- had any discharge except dishonorable
- · do not have a four-year college degree
- would like help in preparing for the school of their choice