

414th BSB EDUCATION CENTER COLLEGE NEWSLETTER Aug - Oct 2004

NEWS FLASH

* Want more educational MGIB benefits? All eligible soldiers can contribute up to \$600 for additional Basic MGIB benefits. A contribution of \$600 will increase your current benefits by \$5,400.

*Army Tuition Assistance (TA) pays up to \$250 per credit hour with an annual cap of \$4,500. The money may be used toward any accredited traditional and distance education courses. TA funds may NOT be issued after the course has begun or on a reimbursable basis.

*DANTES has updated their web site, which list agencies that evaluate foreign transcripts for U.S. college equivalency. Visit the website at www.dantes.doded.mil



Pioneer Education Center:

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Colleges

University of Phoenix Phone: DSN 322-5416
Univ. of Maryland Phone: DSN 322-9046
Central TX College Phone: DSN 322-5410
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical DSN 322-5436

COLLEGE BULLETIN Term 1 (Aug - Oct 04)

Univ. of Maryland Univ. College
UMUC Term 1 classes begin on 23 Aug 04. Registration for UMUC Term 1 is 9-20 Aug 04. Course schedules are available on site and on-line.

Central Texas College:
Term 1 registration runs 9-20 Aug. Classes run 23 Aug-15 Oct. The following courses are being offered in Hanau: Emergency Care Attendant, Crime in America, Juvenile Justice Systems, Brake Systems and Hospitality Financial Mgt.

University of Phoenix
Offers a new Masters Degree programs in Curriculum & Instruction and MA degree in Education without the observation hours. Contact the rep for additional information.

Embry Riddle Aeronautical Univ.
ER has moved to Bld. 11, Pioneer Monday -Friday; 0900-1630

Buedingen News

Welcome Back 1/1 Cavalry

Stop by the Education Center to get an update on on-site college courses, college opportunities, and college information. **Registration begins 9-20 August for classes starting on 23 August.** Don't forget to register **BEFORE** going on leave to reserve a seat in the upcoming classes.

*"Tell me I forget.
Teach me and I
remember. Involve
me and I learn"*

-Benjamin Franklin

Staff Highlights

New Members on site:

- Michael Johnson, Test examiner
- Karen Martinez, CTC registrar
- Charles Miller, UMUC registrar

Farewell to:

- Bob Pinion, Buedingen ESS (retired)
- Veronica Fields, Hanau ESS (PCS)
- Stephani Smith, CTC registrar
- Christina Benham, Test Examiner



ARABIC HEADSTART

Learn basic information about the Middle East; its culture; its people and language. Class is free and open to all US ID card holders. Each class is limited to 20 students. To enroll or to coordinate a unit class; call the education center at DSN 322-8380

Want to improve your GT score or enhance your basic skills?

Enroll in the FAST class today.

The Functional Academic Skills Training course (FAST) provides soldiers with on-duty instruction in reading, math and language skills. It is recommended for personnel with a GT score below 100

Class Dates:

5 - 23 August 04

7 - 27 September 04

4 - 26 October 04

Time: 0800-1200

Days: Monday - Friday