



## Distance Education Anywhere. Anytime.

Students enrolled will

- complete a degree in a fully online program
- earn a degree or certificate from a nationally accredited and respected institution
- acquire the education and skills to better serve military personnel and their family members
- prepare for a career serving military families around the world

### Get started today on a degree in

Youth Development  
Family Financial Planning  
Family and Community Services

#### For more information:

The Military Academic  
Advancement Partnership  
[www.gpidea.org/maap](http://www.gpidea.org/maap)

#### Other available programs of study include the following:

Bioenergy and Sustainable Technology  
Community Development  
Dietetics  
Family and Consumer Sciences Education  
Food Safety and Defense  
Gerontology  
Merchandising

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The Department of Defense (DoD) has joined together with the Department of Agriculture and Great Plains Interactive Distance Education Alliance (Great Plains IDEA) to provide quality distance education programs to service members, their spouses and children, and civilian professionals. The Military Academic Advancement Program (MAAP) provides students with resources to earn an advanced degree in community services and help support the military community.

MAAP works through the Great Plains IDEA, an inter-institutional academic association of accredited public research universities, to offer quality online degree programs to the military community. These anytime, anywhere degree programs can help you obtain a career in a community support program.



## Get Started

If working to further serve the military community sounds like an amazing opportunity to you, MAAP is here to help you make that a reality.

### 1 Family and Community Services

a 36 credit-hour master's degree program focusing on support services for individuals, families, and communities

### 2 Family Financial Planning

a 42 credit-hour master's degree program, an 18 credit-hour graduate certificate meeting the educational requirements to take the Certified Financial Planner™ Certification Examination, or an 18 credit-hour graduate certificate in Financial Counseling and Housing, qualifying students to take the Accredited Financial Counselor exam

### 3 Youth Development

a 36 credit-hour master's degree program in Youth Development, a 13 credit-hour Youth Development Specialist certificate, or a 13 credit-hour Youth Program Management and Development graduate certificate



*Once you've selected your program, your next step is to choose a school to call "home."*

## Choose Your University

The MAAP is offered by schools around the country:

- Iowa State University
- Kansas State University
- Michigan State University
- University of Missouri
- Montana State University
- University of Nebraska-Lincoln
- North Carolina State University
- North Dakota State University
- Oklahoma State University
- South Dakota State University
- Texas Tech University

*Get your degree, become a professional service provider and help our military families thrive!*