

SERVING THOSE WHO SERVED

Career Resources for Student Veterans

MILITARY TO CIVILIAN TRANSITION

EXPLORE CAREERS

Whether you are looking for a career directly using skills gained in the military or are transitioning to something new, it is important to explore your options and find the right fit opportunity for you.

Know Yourself

Assess your **skills**, **interests**, **personality**, and **values** to get a clearer picture of types of opportunities you might be seeking. Try to think about **big picture qualities** that make a job or company the right fit for you.

Resources

My Next Move for Veterans Search careers by keywords, industry, and civilian careers like your military job.
<https://www.mynextmove.org/vets>

CareerOneStop Search jobs and careers by keywords, industry, or careers like your military job.
<https://www.careeronestop.org/site/veterans.aspx>

Virginia Education Wizard Career interests, work values, and skills assessments, built especially for veterans.
<https://www.vawizard.org/wizard/veterans>

Try It Out

JOB SHADOW Shadowing someone allows you to see what a typical day in that job might look like. You may also meet connections who can help you find other opportunities.

TALK TO PEOPLE Learning happens informally through random, interesting people you meet and through intentional conversations. Use your network to meet people doing the job you seek.

TEST IT OUT Try out opportunities through internships, part-time jobs, or getting involved with something that uses a similar skill set.