

Seminole State College:

For students who submit a Joint Services Transcript (JST) with credit recommendations from the American Council on Education (ACE), the JST is broken down into a few different areas: Military Courses, Military Experience (Occupations), and Other Learning Experiences.

Military Courses and Military Experience (Occupations) are reported similarly on the JST and are evaluated at Seminole State College in the same manner. Each course is evaluated by considering the course title, description provided, ACE credit recommendation units, and level. For the level, the American Council on Education (ACE) divides these into four categories: L for lower level (1000-2000 level), U for upper level (3000-4000 level), G for graduate, and V for vocational. At Seminole State College, we only consider awarding credit for levels L and U. If the content of the description matches a class active in our catalog by at least 80% and the ACE credit recommendation equals or exceeds the credit hours associated with that specific class, a direct equivalency is granted. For example, if the content description and course title is First Aid/CPR and the ACE credit recommendation is at least 3 SH, we would award HSC 2400: First Aid and CPR at Seminole State College. If a course cannot be granted a direct equivalency, we would award a prefix specific general education or elective course. For example, if the course title is Sociology but the content description does not match our course description or the course is less than our credit hour threshold, we would award SYG 1996, which is a prefix specific course that can satisfy a general education requirement. Additionally, if a course is titled Marksmanship for 1 SH, we would award MSL 1990, which is a military sciences prefix specific elective course.

Regarding the Other Learning Experiences section, this area details any course or occupation that does not have a credit recommendation granted by the American Council on Education (ACE). At Seminole State College, we honor this section and do not award any credit for this experience.