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Useful links:

[IVC Veterans](#)

The Irvine Valley College Veterans Services Center website has lots of useful information.

[VA eBenefits](#)

If you ever want to know how many months of benefits you have left, or if you have a payment coming, this is the place to look.

[Dept of Veterans Affairs](#)

For information on the many benefits available to you, check out the US Dept of Veterans Affairs site.

Outside Agencies on Campus

Kelandra Anthony, VA Voc Rehab

Every Wednesday and Friday

See her about Voc Rehab benefits or anything related to career development.

Veterans Personal Counseling Availability

Feeling stressed? Dealing with anger? Or just need someone to talk to? Come in and see a member of our counseling team. They are here for you!

Dr. Miatta Snetter, US Vets

Every Thur, 9am-5pm

All information shared is confidential.

Call 949-451-5296 to Schedule appointments.

Contact Us

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Assistant Dean

Eric Garcia:

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Scholarships – Apply Now!!!

Application deadline = **February 10th, 2019**



Every year, Irvine Valley College gives hundreds of thousands of dollars in scholarships to students. Several of the scholarships are specifically for veterans. This is not an opportunity you can afford to miss. It's a pretty simple application that will put you in the pool for numerous scholarships. **Apply Now!!!**

FYI, you can become eligible for more scholarships by purchasing the \$10 ASB sticker at the Bursars Office.

<http://financialaid.ivc.edu/scholarship/>

February Meet and Greet

Wednesday February 13th @ 11am – 2pm in the Vets Office



The 2nd Wednesday of every month, we host a Meet and Greet for veterans to get together, eat some food, and connect with partnering agencies. This month **John Castillo** from AMVETS will be here to help with **disability claims**.

- Meet people involved with supporting veterans.
- Enjoy some **Chipotle!**

Disability Claim Help

February 13th, 9am – 1:00pm IVC Veterans Services Center



John Castillo from AMVETS will be in the office to help you with any issues related to your disability claim. Call us at 949-451-5296 to schedule your appointment.

Transfer Applications



If you applied to transfer in Fall 2019, make sure to regularly check your email. Many CSUs have already started asking for transcripts.

Additionally, some private schools have started accepting Fall 2019 applications.

Stop in if you have any questions. Our veterans counselor (**Eric Garcia**) is a great resource.

Summer 2019 Priority Registration

April 1st



Registration for Summer 2019 registration is going to start in April, but the [class schedule](#) is already posted. It's never too early to start planning your classes.

If you need help or want to adjust your Academic Plan, please make an appointment to meet with our Veterans Academic Counselor (**Eric Garcia**).

IVC Veterans Club – Join!



The IVC Veterans Club would love to have you join. It serves to provide veterans with Mentorship, Professional Development, Event Gathering, and Networking opportunities.

Club President: [Donald Theriault](#) Club Advisor: [Ted Weatherford](#)

Need Tutoring?

Inside the IVC Vets Office



Czarina, Writing

Wednesdays 4pm-7pm

No appointments needed to get help with your writing skills here in the center. Czarina, our writing tutor, can guide you through the writing process and give you feedback on your assignments.



Prof. Gupta, Math

Every Thursday Afternoon

Professor Gupta is a long-time IVC Math Professor with a PHD from Stanford University. He has been a great help to many previous veteran students and is here to help you.

Dr. Snetter can help you feel better



Balancing home and school responsibilities can sometimes be overwhelming. We just want to remind you that Dr. Snetter is here to help. If you'd like to sit down and talk with her, give us a call or stop by and we can make an appointment.

Dr. Snetter is here every Thursday

Veterans Food Bank

Inside the IVC Vets Office



If you find yourself in need of food, the IVC Veterans Office has a stocked food bank and resource list to help make sure you don't have to go hungry.