# SRJC Veterans Affairs New Student Checklist

## □ <u>Application</u>

- Complete your admission application at <u>www.santarosa.edu</u>.
  - Navigate to Admissions and then click on New or Returning Students.

#### □ <u>Orientation</u>

• Register for Counseling 270 at <u>www.santarosa.edu/portal</u> or call (707) 527-4451 for information regarding Drop in Orientation.

### □ <u>Financial Aid</u>

• Apply for financial aid at <u>www.fafsa.ed.gov</u>.

#### □ <u>Assessment</u>

• Students should review their placement options at <u>https://assessment.santarosa.edu.</u>

#### □ <u>Counseling</u>

- Make an appointment to see a Veterans Counselor by calling (707) 527-4326.
  - Bring a copy of your DD214.
  - Bring official transcripts from any previous college coursework.

#### □ <u>Registration</u>

- Register for classes at <u>www.santarosa.edu/portal</u>.
- Once you have registered, you must complete a Certification Request form if you wish to use your VA educational benefit.
- Please note, VA will only pay for courses required to complete your program of study.

## Key Points of Contact

- SRJC Veterans Affairs: Plover Hall, Room 516, (707) 527-4326
  - Academic Counseling
  - o Disability Resources
  - Questions regarding VA educational benefits
  - o Veterans Club
  - VA Healthcare questions
- Financial Aid: <u>www.santarosa.edu/finaid</u> or call (707) 527-4471