

To ensure that we can sustain the high-level support for our Military-Connected Student Population, Veteran Services is seeking SFAC's ongoing support and a one-time allocation to cover our programming expenses. This request is in response to the growing demand for programming from our military-connected student community. With the ongoing reduction of troops involved in overseas war efforts and the University of Houston's increasing popularity as a top choice for military personnel, veterans, and their dependents, we anticipate a continuous rise in the numbers we serve. We are enthusiastic and prepared to meet the challenge of guiding our Military-Connected population toward success.

Summary of Request Base One Time Funding Allocation Request FY 2026 Continued one-time for VS Core Programming 68,000

6% admin Charge: \$4080 Total: \$72,080

| VS Annual Programming | | Cost: |
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| Student Success Programming: AIMS Supplies/ Marketing | | \$2000 |
| "Mil Connected Student Transition focused programming" | | \$2000 |
| Orientation Support: Marketing, Supplies. Cougar Red Friday | | |
| Division Student Support Collaboration w/Division Partners: Wednesday Lunches/ DOS/ ISSSO/ SC North Block Party | | \$3500 |
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| Recruitment Activities: Marketing materials, travel, | | |
| etc. Weeks of Welcome Programming: | | \$3500 |
| Commuter Cook-Off/ Welcome | | |
| Breakfast, Family Weekend, etc. | \$14,000 | |
| Food/ Marking Swag/ supplies | | |
| Career Programming: Lunch & | | \$1000 |
| Learns, Corporate Collaboration | | |
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| Combined Campus Collaborations (fresh check, National night out, various other events) | | \$1000 |



| Cultural Competency Training | | \$500 |
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| VS Snack Pantry | Total \$10,000 | \$2000 |
| Student Services: Printing/Computer lab/ Lounge M&O | | \$3000 |
| Staff Training Meetings | | \$1000 |
| Student Staff Development and Training | | \$2500 |
| Green Zone | | \$500 |
| Internal/ external awareness training Sexual Assault Prevention, Suicide Prevention, Mental Health Awareness, Women in combat, Black History, LGBTQ | | \$500 |

| Graduation Events: expanding to include Dependents Spring and Fall Cording Ceremonies: Reception/ Coins/ Cords/ Stoles & Supplies | \$8000 |
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| 9/11 memorial Events / Student leadership luncheon | \$5000 |
| Veteran-Specific Programming Veterans Day: Luncheon, Activities, Supplies | \$6,000 |
| Memorial Day | |
| Service Appreciation Days | |
| Student Leadership Conference / Development Programs: Travel/ Conference Fees/ Lodging for Students and Staff: National Conference | \$15,000 |
| AIMS Program: Supplies/ Recruitment Swag/ Uniform Tops/ Stoles for Graduates/ Leadership Luncheon/ Orientation Breakfast | \$10,000 |