

VETERANS-EDUCATORS' SYMPOSIUM (VES)

In partnership with the University of Louisville, the Kentucky Department of Education Office of Educator Licensure and Effectiveness (OELE) is offering a one-day, FREE workshop for United States veterans who are newly certified as Teachers in Kentucky.

Benefits

- Skills Training – Gain skills that have been identified as essential in becoming a successful educator
- Insight – Gain valuable insight from an experienced veteran who has been in the classroom
- Networking – Take advantage of opportunities to network with other veterans new to teaching



Preparing for your
Classroom



Classroom
Management



Instructional
Strategies



Transition into
Teaching



Student/Teacher
Relationships



Trauma Informed
Practices



Character Fitness

About VEST

Veteran Education Symposium for Teachers (VEST) is an initiative between the UofL VALLO program and the Kentucky Department of Education to improve teacher retention rates of veterans across the state. The UofL program supports this overarching goal by providing the military veteran with the necessary knowledge and skills focusing on pedagogy and curriculum. This program offers an alternative certification track for military veterans working as a fully licensed teacher in the Commonwealth of Kentucky while obtaining the necessary teacher dispositions that make these veterans successful. The VEST program is also seeking additional components such as a mentorship experience as additional guidance during the military veterans first few years in this new career.

Learn More or Sign Up for VEST Session

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