

## SERC Library: Topical Literature Search

### Military-Connected Students in the Classroom: Recent Educational Research November 2017

This resource guide highlights current research information pulled from literature and the Library's educational database service for schools, programs, service providers and families to increase their awareness of ways in which families and schools can work together to support the unique academic and social-emotional needs of students from military families. It should be noted that it does not represent the full scope of resources and information available on this topic nor serve as an endorsement of any particular resource.

#### Introductory Article:

#### **Making Room for the Military: Students whose parents serve at home and abroad need academic flexibility and help reducing stress**

Elfman, L. (2017). MAKING ROOM for the MILITARY: Students whose parents serve at home and abroad need academic flexibility and help reducing stress. *District Administration*, 53(11), 26.

Military-connected students--compared to civilian classmates--have moderately elevated rates of just about all risk factors, including suicidal thoughts, substance abuse and bullying, according to a University of Southern California survey of middle and high schools in that state.

The Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) now requires schools to identify students whose parents are active members of the military. Meanwhile, school districts that cover military bases have developed supports that include helping students transition to new schools, quick assessment tests, tutoring and school counselors trained in specific types of social-emotional support.

"It's not military kids who are the problem. The problem is most civilian schools do not have a keen awareness if these children are in their schools or of what their families have endured." (Astor, 2017)

#### The following are some useful websites:

- 1) Military Interstate Children's Compact Commission ([www.mic3.net](http://www.mic3.net))
- 2) Military Child Education Coalition ([www.militarychild.org](http://www.militarychild.org))
- 3) Military Kids Connect ([militarykidsconnect.dcoe.mil](http://militarykidsconnect.dcoe.mil) and [www.youtube.com/user/MilitaryKidsConnect](http://www.youtube.com/user/MilitaryKidsConnect))
- 4) The Military Impacted Schools Association ([militaryimpactedschoolsassociation.org](http://militaryimpactedschoolsassociation.org))

#### **To learn more:**

<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=f5h&AN=125987794&site=eds-live&scope=site>

For access to additional educational resources available through the SERC Library from its electronic journal database service and topical research LibGuides as well as in-person from the various instructional, assessment and other collections, please consider becoming a Library member. Membership is free and you can join online by following the link provided below.

<http://www.ctserc.org/index.php/library/library-about/library-membership>

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### Links to Information

**Coping with Stress: Supporting the Needs of Military Families and Their Children**

<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=tfh&AN=108813920&site=eds-live&scope=site>

**Experiences of Military Youth During a Family Member's Deployment: Changes, Challenges, and Opportunities**

<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=edb&AN=101644609&site=eds-live&scope=site>

**Exploring the Role of Social Connectedness Among Military Youth: Perceptions from Youth, Parents, and School Personnel**

<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=mfi&AN=53913471&site=eds-live&scope=site>

**Impact of Geographic Mobility on Military Children's Access to Special Education Services**

<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=bh&AN=95034405&site=eds-live&scope=site>

**Resilience among Military Youth**

<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=mfi&AN=90642225&site=eds-live&scope=site>

**Schoolwide Impact of Military-connected Student Enrollment: Educators' Perceptions**

<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=bh&AN=95034407&site=eds-live&scope=site>

**Staying Strong With Schools: A Civilian School-Based Intervention to Promote Resilience for Military-Connected Children**

<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=mfi&AN=117285309&site=eds-live&scope=site>

**Supporting Middle School Students Whose Parents Are Deployed: Challenges and Strategies for Schools**

<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=eric&AN=EJ1009794&site=eds-live&scope=site>

**Supporting Students In Military Families During Times Of Transition: A Call For Awareness And Action**

<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=tfh&AN=125428643&site=eds-live&scope=site>

**The Effects of Military Deployment on Early Child Development**

<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=mfi&AN=100060485&site=eds-live&scope=site>

**The Experience of Military Families with Children with Autism Spectrum Disorders During Relocation and Separation**

<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=mfi&AN=103287245&site=eds-live&scope=site>

**The Promotional Role of School and Community Contexts for Military Students**

<http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=hh&AN=89770015&site=eds-live&scope=site>