

2026-27 Military-Connected Program Calendar



The Military Child Education Coalition® (MCEC®), in collaboration with the Texas Education Agency (TEA) is excited to invite you to a series of professional development trainings for the 2026-27 school year. These trainings are thoughtfully designed to equip professionals with valuable insights, practical tools, and best practices to effectively support military-connected students.

FALL 2026

When	Event	Register
September 16 1:00-2:30 p.m. CDT	Purple Star Campus Support Professional Learning Community and Office Hours- Session 1 [A Roadmap to Purple Star Campus Designation]	Open to all Registration
October 6 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. CDT	Student 2 Student® Advisor Training	Open to all Registration
November is National Veterans and Military Families Month		
November 4 6:00-7:00 p.m. CST	College-Bound Readiness for Military Families in Texas: Webinar for Parents and Military Stakeholders	Registration
November 18 1:00-2:30 p.m. CST	Purple Star Campus Support Professional Learning Community and Office Hours- Session 2 [Creating a Successful Purple Star Webpage for Military Families]	Open to all Registration

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SPRING 2027

When	Event	Register
January 20-21 1.5 Day	2027 Texas Military-Connected Student Support Summit El Paso, Texas	Open to all Registration
February 17 2:00-3:00 p.m. CST	Military Professional Development Supporting Military Children Through School Transitions: Foundations	Open to all Registration
March 3 1:00- 4:00 p.m. CST	Student 2 Student® Advisor Training	Open to all Registration
March 24 1:00-2:30 p.m. CDT	Purple Star Campus Support Professional Learning Community and Office Hours- Session 3 [Purple Star Best Practices: Application Review]	Open to all Registration
April is the Month of the Military Child (MOMC)		

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