



# SUMMER SESSION 2026 CATALOG



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## Calendar

### First Session: May 19 – June 18, 2026

All registration and fees for Summer Session I due by noon.	May 14
Barracks move-in: 1:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	May 18
Classes begin	May 19
Last day for late registration	May 20
Last day to add or drop courses	May 20
Memorial Day – No Classes	May 25
Saturday Class Session	May 30
Last day to withdraw with a “W”	June 8
Last day to withdraw with a “W” or “WF”	June 11
Last day of classes	June 16
Final Exams	June 17 – June 18

### Second Session: June 23 – July 24, 2026

All registration and fees for Summer Session II due by noon.	June 16
Barracks move-in: 1:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	June 21
Classes begin	June 23
Last day for late registration	June 24
Last day to add or drop courses	June 24
Independence Day (Observed) – No Classes	July 3
Last day to withdraw with a “W”	July 14
Last day to withdraw with a “W” or “WF”	July 17
Last day of classes	July 22
Final Exams	July 23 – July 24

### Summer Transition Program: July 7 – July 25, 2026

All registration and fees for STP due by noon.	June 17
Barracks move-in	July 6
Classes begin	July 7
Last day of classes	July 24
Final Exams	July 25

## VMI Summer Session Mission

The VMI Summer Session facilitates cadets' progression toward degree completion by offering courses for academic credit during the summer, consistent with the Academic Program Mission. Specific goals include:

- To enhance cadet retention and optimize graduation rates.
- To provide opportunities for cadets to enrich their education.
- To enable cadets to attend the VMI Summer Session and attend ROTC summer camps, engage in internships, and earn income.

The primary objectives of the Summer Session are to:

- Offer courses of academic rigor consistent with the standards during the regular academic year.
- Provide cadets with the opportunity to meet VMI readmission standards, curricular requirements, scholarship requirements, and athletic eligibility requirements by enabling them to earn credit for subjects in which they stand deficient.
- Facilitate transfer from one curriculum to another.
- Enable VMI cadets to receive credit for courses in advance of their class.
- Provide opportunities for cadets to enrich their education by earning multiple majors and/or minors and by participating in undergraduate research, study abroad, and internship experiences.
- Offer academic support activities.
- Operate the Summer Session in a manner that is fiscally self-sustaining.

## Non-discrimination Statement

Consistent with Federal and State law, the Virginia Military Institute does not discriminate against employees, cadets, or applicants on the basis of race, color, sex, age, veteran status, national origin, or disability in its programs and activities. Every VMI staff member, faculty member and cadet has the right to work and study in an environment free from discrimination and should be treated with dignity and respect. VMI complaint and grievance procedures provide employees and cadets with the means for resolving complaints that this Statement has been violated. VMI is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Anyone having questions concerning discrimination or the application of Title IX regulations should contact Title IX Coordinator, 212 Carroll Hall, VMI, Lexington, VA 24450, (540) 464-7072. Any cadet or prospective cadet having questions about disability services for students should contact the Director of Disability Services, Miller Academic Center, VMI, Lexington, VA 24450, (540) 464-7661. For employment-related disability services, contact the Employee Disability Services Coordinator in the VMI Human Resources Office, Lexington, VA 24450, (540) 464-7322.

# Registration Requirements

## Admission Requirements

VMI cadets, graduates of accredited secondary schools, and students in good standing at other colleges may enroll in either or both terms of the Summer Session. High school students who have been promoted to the twelfth grade and have the written approval of their high school principals are eligible to attend the VMI Summer Session; however, they will not be permitted to live in Barracks.

**PLEASE NOTE.** The following individuals are ineligible to attend the VMI Summer Session:

- Former cadets dismissed from the Institute for any reason.
- Cadets suspended from the Institute for disciplinary reasons.
- Cadets who resigned from the Institute with major disciplinary actions pending.
- Students who will matriculate as new cadets in August 2026 unless approved in writing by the Superintendent. Appeals for exceptions must be made in writing to the Director of Summer Session, Dr. Laura Xie, 543 Scott Shipp Hall, Lexington, Virginia 24450, outlining the rationale for the exception. Appeals will be submitted to the Superintendent for review and the applicant notified of the decision.

## Virginia Senior Citizen's Higher Education Act

Pursuant to Virginia Senior Citizen's Higher Education Act, any individual over the age of 60, who is a Virginia domiciliary for a minimum of one year and earns less than \$23,850 annually, and who otherwise meets the summer admission criteria of the Virginia Military Institute (see Summer Session Catalog) may attend free of tuition and fees. The admission criteria for summer session are substantially more lenient than the criteria for VMI's full-time, academic year program. VMI does not offer a part-time enrollment option during the regular academic year. Application and receipt of documentation (State and Virginia tax returns with W-2 form(s), documentation of disability status or IRS Letter of Non-Tax Filing documentation for the previous year) must be completed and approved prior to the start of any summer session term.

## Registration

### **Current Cadets in Good Standing** (*excluding study abroad and research participants*):

Cadets currently enrolled for the spring 2026 semester at VMI and in good standing must register for the Summer Session directly through Post View. Cadets who are not currently enrolled at VMI must submit the online Non-VMI Cadet Summer Session Application available on the Summer Session webpage.

The Post View registration link for the Summer Session will open at 12:00 p.m. on Monday, March 23. Registration for Summer Session I will remain open until noon on Thursday, May 14, and registration for Summer Session II will remain open until noon on Tuesday, June 16.

The registration link will first direct cadets to instructions on completing the registration process. Cadets must select courses, indicate barracks residency, choose a meal plan, and provide vehicle registration information. All charges will be reflected in the cadet's online account balance.

**Cadets are not considered registered and may not attend classes until all fees are paid in full.** Cadets with unpaid fees after the applicable payment deadline will be dropped from the class rolls and risk losing their seats. Reinstatement of classes, schedule changes (not due to course cancellations), or late registration after the deadline will require an in-person visit to the Registrar's Office and a \$70 late registration fee.

There will be no centralized registration in the days immediately preceding the beginning of each Summer Session. Cadets may still register during this period; however, the \$70 late registration fee will apply, and cadets must contact each office individually to complete the registration process, including the Summer Session & Registrar's Office (303 Shell Hall), Cadet Accounting (310 Smith Hall), and VMI Police (202 BOQ).

After online registration closes, any changes to registration information, including adding or dropping courses or meal plans, must be made in person at the Summer Session Office, 303 Shell Hall.

Summer Session charges must be paid in full by noon on Thursday, May 14 for Summer Session I and by noon on Tuesday, June 16 for Summer Session II. Payments may be made online or by phone using MasterCard, VISA, Discover, or American Express (a 2.6% convenience fee applies to credit card payments). Payments may also be made online via e-check at no additional cost, or in person at the Cadet Accounting Office, 310 Smith Hall, prior to the deadline.

### **Students in Good Standing from Other Institutions**

Students in good standing from other colleges, including students who have been recently accepted for admission, may register for VMI Summer Session courses by completing the online Non-Cadet Summer Session Application available on the VMI Summer Session webpage.

Applicants must provide the Registrar with a letter from an official at their home institution confirming their good standing or acceptance for admission as a new student. Students seeking to enroll in a course with prerequisites must also submit an official transcript verifying completion of the required course or an approved equivalent. Transfer of credits earned at VMI should be approved by the student's home institution prior to registration.

All required documentation, including the letter affirming good standing or admission, and all applicable fees must be received by the registration deadline. Students are not considered registered and may not attend classes until both documentation and payment have been received.

Payment may be made in person at the VMI Cadet Accounting Office (310 Smith Hall) or by telephone using MasterCard, VISA, Discover, or American Express. A 2.6% convenience fee will be added to all credit card payments.

Students with unpaid fees after the payment/registration deadline will be dropped from class rolls and risk losing their seats. Registration, reinstatement of classes, or schedule changes (not due to course cancellations) after the deadline will require an in-person visit to the Registrar's Office and will incur a \$70 late registration fee.

After completing their courses, students may order an official transcript online at [vmi.edu/transcripts](https://vmi.edu/transcripts).

## **Students Participating in Study Abroad Programs**

Please refer to the Office of Global Education website for program information.  
[vmi.edu/academics/academic-program/office-of-global-education/](https://vmi.edu/academics/academic-program/office-of-global-education/)

## **Students Participating in Summer Undergraduate Research**

The Summer Undergraduate Research Institute (SURI) is a component of the VMI Summer Session. Accordingly, cadets participating in SURI must be registered for the Summer Session and enrolled in the appropriate SURI course.

Cadets interested in participating in SURI must first apply through the VMI Center for Undergraduate Research (VCUR), located in 615 Preston Library, by submitting a SURI Proposal via the VCUR Portal. Cadets accepted into the program must then register for their SURI course by completing the VCUR Cadet Registration for SURI form through eTrieve. If applicable, cadets may request a room and meal plan on this form. Vehicle registration (parking pass) must be completed separately by the cadet through eTrieve.

All registration steps and any required payments must be completed no later than noon on Thursday, May 14. Registration completed after this deadline will incur a \$70 late registration fee.

In addition to their SURI research credits, cadets may enroll in a maximum of four additional academic credits per Summer Session, excluding laboratory courses. Cadets may not enroll in both SURI and a laboratory course during the same session. Any additional tuition charges for credits beyond SURI are the responsibility of the cadet.

For additional information, please visit the SURI website.  
[vmi.edu/academics/research/undergraduate-research/](https://vmi.edu/academics/research/undergraduate-research/)

## Add/Drop and Late Registration

Students may add, drop courses, or complete late registration (subject to the applicable late fees listed above), through Post View according to the following schedule:

- Summer Session I: Add/drop and late registration deadline – 3:30 p.m., May 20, 2026
- Summer Session II: Add/drop and late registration deadline – 3:30 p.m., June 24, 2026

For additional assistance, students may visit the VMI Registrar's Office in 303 Shell Hall.

## Guaranteed Courses

To facilitate planning and to better meet the needs of our students, several courses in the Summer Session are designated as guaranteed courses. A guaranteed course will be offered regardless of enrollment. The following courses are guaranteed.

- BI-102 General Biology II
- CE-203/ME 201 Statics
- CE/ME-206 Solid Mechanics
- EC-201 Principles of Microeconomics
- EC-202 Principles of Macroeconomics
- EC-203 Quantitative Tools for Economics and Business
- ERH-102 Writing and Rhetoric II
- HI-103 World History I
- HI-104 World History II (Session II only)
- MA-123 Calculus & Analytic Geometry I
- MA-124 Calculus & Analytic Geometry II
- MA-215 Calculus & Analytic Geometry III
- MA-220 Probability and Statistics for Engineers and Scientists
- MA-331 Elementary Differential Equations

# Cancellation Policies

## Course Cancellation Policy

Non-guaranteed courses will be offered only if sufficient enrollment is achieved. Courses with fewer than seven students will normally be canceled.

To accommodate as many students as possible, course cancellations will follow the procedure outlined below. At 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, May 14 (Summer Session I) and at 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, June 16 (Summer Session II), two lists of courses – “Cancelled Courses” and “Courses Subject to Cancellation” – will be posted on the Summer Session website. Students enrolled in cancelled courses will be notified by email. Students may also contact the Summer Session Office at 540-464-7213 to inquire about the status of a course.

## Cancelled Courses

Courses with an enrollment of four or fewer students as of the registration deadline for each Summer Session will be cancelled.

Cadets enrolled in a cancelled course who do not wish to add another course are not required to take any further action. The Cadet Accounting Office will automatically credit the cadet’s account or process a refund. Cadets who have paid for room and board or registered a vehicle and wish to withdraw from the Summer Session should contact the Summer Session Office.

Cadets who wish to add, drop, or change a course after the registration and payment deadline must contact the Summer Session Office.

## Course Subject to Cancellation

Courses with an enrollment of five or six students as of the registration deadline for each Summer Session will be subject to cancellation.

If late registration or add/drop activity increases enrollment to an acceptable level by 3:30 p.m. on the second day of classes – Wednesday, May 20 for Summer Session I and Wednesday, June 24 for Summer Session II – the course will be offered. Otherwise, the course will be cancelled. Final determinations will be posted on the Summer Session website and may also be confirmed with the Summer Session Office.

Cadets enrolled in a course that is ultimately cancelled are not required to take any further action if they do not wish to add or drop a course. In such cases, the Cadet Accounting Office will credit the cadet’s account or process a refund. Cadets who have paid for room and board or registered a vehicle and wish to withdraw from the Summer Session must contact the Summer Session Office.

# Tuition and Fees

## Tuition and Fee Payment Policy

**NOTICE:** Tuition and fees are based upon appropriations by the General Assembly. These appropriations are subject to state revenue collections and may be increased or decreased by the Governor. The VMI Board of Visitors approves tuition and fees at its May meeting for the following summer and regular sessions but reserves the right to adjust tuition and fees at any time during the year. Students who fail to pay tuition, fees, or any other financial obligations to the Institute as required will be dismissed from the Summer Session (and, in the case of cadets, from the Institute). The Institute also reserves the right to withhold grades, credits, transcripts, and diplomas until all financial obligations have been satisfied.

Payment Deadlines:

- First Summer Session: Fees must be paid by noon on Thursday, May 14, 2026.
- Second Summer Session: Fees must be paid by noon on Tuesday, June 16, 2026.
- Summer Transition Program: Fees must be paid by noon on Wednesday, June 17, 2026.

VMI does not bill parents or students. Cadet Accounting accepts payment for Summer Session tuition and fees by cash, check, e-check, or credit card (MasterCard, Visa, Discover, or American Express). A 2.6% convenience fee will be assessed for credit card payments.

Students are not registered and may not attend classes until all fees are paid. After the payment deadline, students with unpaid balances will be dropped from class rosters and may lose their seat in registered courses.

Late registration, reinstatement after being dropped for nonpayment, or course changes (except those resulting from course cancellations) after the payment deadline require a visit to the Registrar's Office and will incur a \$70 late registration fee.

## Refund Policy

Summer Session tuition is partially refundable only upon official notice of withdrawal submitted to the Director of the VMI Summer Session.

Tuition will be refunded in full if withdrawal occurs before the end of the add/drop period. After the add/drop period and through the sixth day of classes, 25% of tuition will be refunded. No tuition will be refunded on or after the following dates:

- Thursday, May 28, 2026, for Summer Session I
- Wednesday, July 1, 2026, for Summer Session II

## Summer Session Fees

**NOTE:** The 2026 tuition and fees listed below are subject to final approval by the VMI Board of Visitors at its May meeting.

In-State Tuition per credit hour	\$384
Out-of-State Tuition per credit hour	\$1,184
Housing [per five-week term]	\$800
Meal Plans [per five-week term]	
5 meals – <i>Lunch, Monday through Friday</i>	\$360
10 meals – <i>Lunch and Dinner, Monday through Friday</i>	\$680
15 meals – <i>Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner, Monday through Friday</i> <sup>1</sup>	\$870
Auxiliary Fee per session <sup>2</sup>	\$82
Barracks Security Deposit per session (refundable) <sup>3</sup>	\$100
Parking Permit per session	\$40
Late Registration Fee	\$70

## Summer Transition Program Fees

**NOTE:** The 2026 tuition and fees listed below are subject to final approval by the VMI Board of Visitors at its May meeting.

In-State Tuition per credit hour	\$422
Out-of-State Tuition per credit hour	\$1,288
Housing [per three-week term]	\$480
Meal Plans [per three-week term]	
19 meals – <i>Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner, Monday through Friday &amp; Brunch, Dinner, Saturday and Sunday</i>	\$654
Auxiliary Fee per session <sup>1</sup>	\$144
Parking Permit per session	\$40
Late Registration Fee	\$70

1. Offered only if 25 or more students enroll in the 15-meals-per-week plan.
2. The auxiliary fee covers medical services and access to athletic facilities. All students attending the VMI Summer Session are required to pay the auxiliary fee.
3. The barracks security deposit will be refunded without interest, less any applicable charges for fines or damages, at the end of the session to all non-VMI cadets. Security deposits paid by VMI cadets during the regular academic session will apply to the summer session and are refundable upon graduation or termination of cadetship.

In accordance with the Senior Citizens Higher Education Act of 1974, qualifying senior citizens are exempt from paying tuition.

## Food and Housing

Summer Session students have the option of living in the barracks or in Lexington and the surrounding area during the Summer Session.

### Barracks Availability

Due to summer maintenance and repairs, barracks rooms are **NOT GUARANTEED** and are assigned on a **first-come, first-served basis**.

To secure a room in the barracks, students must complete room and meal registration through Post View or the non-cadet online application.

Students should be aware that maintenance and repairs may cause disruptions to normal barracks living conditions.

### High School Students

Per VMI Policy, high school students registered for Summer Session courses or programs are **NOT PERMITTED** to reside in barracks.

### Barracks Regulations

- Visitors are not allowed in barracks. Exceptions may be granted by the Commandant's Office or the Director of the Summer Session.
- Students must keep rooms clean and in good order.
- Rooms may be inspected at any time by Institute officials.
- Rooms will be inspected at the end of each term.
- Personal items may not be stored in the barracks after graduation by students returning for Summer Session.

### Between-Session Weekend Housing

Students wishing to remain in barracks during the long weekend between sessions must:

- Coordinate with both Commandant's Office and Cadet Accounting Office.
- Pay an additional fee (room charges cover only the 5-week session).
- Complete coordination and payment before the weekend between sessions.

### Security Deposit

All Summer Session barracks residents must pay a \$100 security deposit (cadets must have this amount available in their accounts). Deposit is due prior to occupancy. After the end-of-term inspection, deposit will be refunded (without interest), minus any charges for repairs, cleaning, and fines.

Failure to clean the room or properly check out at the end of the term will result in partial or full forfeiture of the security deposit for all occupants of the room.

## Restricted Areas

Barracks are used to house multiple summer programs. Participants in other programs will live in designated areas. These designated areas are **off limits** to students not assigned to those programs.

## Move-In Information

Summer Session I Students who have registered and paid for a room in the barracks may move-in between 1300 and 1900 hours on Monday, May 18, 2026. Please report (check-in) with Lt. Henry Boulter of the Commandant's Staff.

Summer Session II Students who have registered and paid for a room in the barracks may move-in between 1300 and 1900 hours on Sunday, June 21, 2026. Please report (check-in) with Lt. Henry Boulter of the Commandant's Staff.

If you must move in late due to extenuating circumstances, please notify the Commandant's Staff in advance.

## Meal Plan Requirement

Students living in barracks **MUST** purchase a meal plan. Four meal plans are available for Summer Session students:

- 5 meals/week – Lunch only (Monday – Friday)
- 10 meals/week – Lunch and dinner (Monday – Friday)
- 15 meals/week – Breakfast, lunch, and dinner (Monday – Friday)

Summer Transition Program (STP) students will be assigned a different meal plan.

Only students who have purchased a meal plan are permitted to enter the mess hall.

## Important Meal Plan Policy

Meal plans are restrictive and fixed.

- 5-meal plan → lunch only
- 10-meal plan → lunch and dinner only
- 15-meal plan → breakfast, lunch, and dinner (weekdays only)

Meals cannot be exchanged or substituted. For example, students with a 5-meal plan cannot skip lunch and eat breakfast instead. Individual meals cannot be purchased separately.

## Mess Hall Dining Schedule

### Weekday Schedule – Summer Session and Summer Transition Program

Program	Breakfast	Lunch	Dinner
SS-I	6:30 a.m. – 7:30 a.m.	11:15 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
SS-II and STP	6:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.	11:15 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

### Weekend Schedule – Summer Transition Program Only

Program	Brunch	Dinner
STP	11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

## Parking on Post

Parking permits must be registered for and paid for prior to arriving for Summer Session.

### Current Cadets

To obtain a parking permit, students must first register their vehicle through Post View under the Summer Session tab. After completing the vehicle registration, they should submit payment for Summer Session tuition and fees, including the parking permit fee, through Post View. Once the payment has been processed, the parking permit will be sent to the student's VMI Post Office Box for pickup.

### Cadets Not Currently Enrolled at VMI and Students from Other Colleges

To obtain a parking permit, students must indicate on their Non-VMI Cadet Summer Session Application that they will be bringing a vehicle and provide the requested vehicle information. They must also submit payment for summer tuition and fees, including the parking permit fee, through Post View. Once these steps are completed, the parking permit must be picked up at the VMI Police Department.

### Summer Transition Program (STP) Students

To obtain a parking permit, students must indicate on their STP application that they will be bringing a vehicle and provide the requested vehicle information. They must also submit payment for STP tuition and fees, including the parking permit fee, through Post View. Parking permits will then be distributed at STP check-in.

# The Academic Program

The academic policies governing the Summer Session parallel those governing the regular academic year at VMI. The same standards of instruction and performance are maintained. Instruction is typically provided by members of the VMI faculty.

## Grades

Final grade reports are posted electronically. For non-cadets, grade reports are also mailed to the student's address of record. Official transcripts are released to colleges, high schools, employers, or other parties only upon written request. Transcripts may be ordered online through the National Student Clearinghouse.

All courses taken by a cadet and grades earned in the VMI Summer Session will be recorded on a cadet's transcript.

For cadets enrolled in the VMI Summer Transition Program, only grades of D or better will be included in a cadet's cumulative GPA. A grade of F is never counted in the GPA earned from the Summer Transition Program. A cadet may request that a D grade earned in the Summer Transition Program not be counted toward graduation and for that reason not be included in his or her GPA. This request (submitted using a Summer Transition Program "D" Drop Request form) will be approved only if it is received by the Registrar's Office before the end of the drop/add period of the semester following the Summer Transition Program.

## Course Withdrawal Policy

If a student withdraws from a course before the 16th class day, the instructor will assign a grade of W.

If a student withdraws on or after the 16th class day, the instructor will assign a grade of either W or WF based on the student's academic standing at the time of withdrawal.

Students may not withdraw from a course after the 19<sup>th</sup> class day.

## Class Attendance

Due to the intensive nature of Summer Session coursework, class attendance is required. Only the Director or Deputy Director of the Summer Session may excuse a student from class. In cases of serious illness or emergency, the Director may waive attendance requirements. Students remain responsible for all assignments, readings, and lecture material. Work missed due to unexcused absence may receive a grade of zero.

Faculty maintain attendance records. A student will be administratively withdrawn from a course and assigned a W or WF when absences, whether excused or unexcused, reach the 30% of scheduled class or laboratory meetings. For a three-credit course, 30% equals 12.6 class periods. Each class day consists of two class periods.

A student withdrawn from all courses may not attend classes and may not use VMI facilities.

## Final Examinations

Final examinations for Summer Session terms are administered according to the schedule below. Changes may be made only under extenuating circumstances or emergencies and require approval from the Director of the Summer Session.

Cadets may not reschedule final examinations or depart early for routine medical appointments, travel plans, or summer employment.

### Summer Session I Final Examination Schedule

Date	Time	Sections
June 17	8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Reading Time
	1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	All classes that begin at 7:30 a.m.
June 18	8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	All classes that begin at 9:45 a.m.
	1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	All classes that begin at 12:30 p.m.

### Summer Session II Final Examination Schedule

Date	Time	Sections
July 23	8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	Reading Time
	1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	All classes that begin at 7:30 a.m.
July 24	8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	All classes that begin at 9:45 a.m.
	1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	All classes that begin at 12:30 p.m.

### Summer Transition Program Final Examination Schedule

Date	Time	Sections
July 25	8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.	All classes

## Student Conduct

Students enrolled in the Summer Session are required to pursue their studies within VMI regulations. Willful disruption of the educational process, destruction of property, interference with the orderly process of the Institute, or interference with the rights or privileges of others will not be tolerated. Students enrolled in the Summer Session assume an obligation to conduct themselves in a manner compatible with the regulations of VMI – their actions directly reflect on VMI and they should conduct themselves as responsible adults.

For improper student conduct (i.e., conduct which discredits or injures the reputation of the Institute in any way), officials of the Institute may impose penalties. Penalties may include admonition, oral and written reprimand, probation, restitution, monetary fines, rescission of privileges, forfeiture of fees, dismissal from the Summer Session term, dismissal from the Summer Session as a whole, or other corrective action deemed appropriate by the Commandant or the Director of the Summer Session.

In the case of cadets or students who have received appointments to VMI, serious misconduct during the summer session could result in punishment that carries over to the subsequent fall semester in the form of Blue Book penalties. Penalties for the severest forms of misconduct may include suspension or dismissal from the Institute.

## General Regulations

Students are subject to disciplinary action for conduct including, but not limited to:

1. Failure to abide by published regulations or to obey a just order from an Institute official.
2. Physical abuse of any person or conduct that threatens or endangers the health of any person.
3. Harassment, in any form and at any time or place. VMI complies fully with Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972. Violations involving alleged sexual harassment should be reported to a Summer Session official or to the IG office. Please refer to General Order #16.
4. Damage to the property of the Institute or to the property of students, faculty, staff, or visitors. In addition to disciplinary sanctions, offenders may be charged for damages.
5. Unauthorized entry into, or use of, Institute facilities.
6. Intentional disruption or obstruction of teaching, research, administration, disciplinary procedures, or other Institute activities.
7. Possession of firearms or weapons on Post (including BB guns, pellet guns, air pistols, bows and arrows, slingshots, and switchblades or knives with blades of over three inches in length).
8. Possession of explosives and fireworks on Post.
9. Consumption or possession of alcoholic beverages on Post. Any Summer Session alcohol offense on Post may result in dismissal from the Summer Session.
10. Violation of the Virginia Code that controls drugs and alcohol. Illegal drugs may not be used or possessed. Violators will be dismissed from the Summer Session. In addition, VMI cadet violators may be dismissed from VMI.
11. Inappropriate dress, lewd or obscene behavior, or public nudity in any form on or off Post.
12. Violation of Institute policies or regulations, including rules concerning the use of Institute facilities.
13. Violation of regulations pertaining to the operation and parking of motor vehicles on Post. Students riding bicycles on Post must obey all traffic laws.
14. Use of skateboards, roller blades, roller skates, scooters, or similar equipment on Post.
15. Alteration, fabrication, or misuse of Institute documents and records or like acts which adversely affect the educational interests and mission of the Institute.
16. Any violation of federal, state, or local law if such directly affects the Institute.
17. Debts: Students eighteen years of age or older are legally responsible for all debts and contractual obligations they incur. Failure to pay any valid indebtedness promptly is cause for dismissal from the Summer Session and the Institute if the offender is a cadet.
18. Practicing golf on Post.
19. Walking or engaging in athletic activities on the football field.
20. Living on post or consuming meals without previously paying the appropriate fees may lead to prosecution for an honor offense.

**NOTE:** Other parts of this catalog, especially the "Appendix," contain more detailed explanations and additional rules, regulations, and guidelines. Students are expected to be knowledgeable about them when they enroll.

## The Honor Code

The Honor Code is the heart of the VMI system. Honor, like many idealistic concepts, defies exact definition. The honor system at VMI is not so much a set of rules—although rules are published and distributed to every cadet—as it is a way of living. Lying, cheating, and stealing are considered violations of the Honor Code. Any work submitted by a student is considered to be the student's own work and that he or she has received no unauthorized help.

During the regular session the Honor Code is enforced and guarded by the Corps. Alleged violations are prosecuted by the Honor Court and heard by a jury of cadets selected at random from the Corps. During the Summer Session, alleged violations will be heard by a Board of Inquiry made up of Summer Session students, faculty, and administrative personnel. Findings are reported to the Superintendent.

During the Summer Session, only students participating in the meal plans are permitted to eat in the Mess Hall. Eating or drinking food provided for the plan without prior payment is a violation of the Honor Code. Participants are permitted to eat all that they want in the dining facility during the scheduled mealtime. Taking large amounts of food or drink from the dining facility to consume later in the day is not permitted as doing so would be equivalent to getting two meals for the price of one and would not be in the spirit of the Honor Code. Those participating in the meal plan will be allowed to leave the dining facility with no more than 16 ounces of drink, one piece of fruit, and an ice cream cone. Residing anywhere on Post, other than as guests in the residence of staff and faculty, is also considered a violation of the Honor Code.

All students enrolled in the VMI Summer Session, including those in the study abroad programs, will abide by the Honor Code. Students found guilty of lying, cheating, or stealing will be dismissed. Students are honor-bound to report to the Director of the Summer Session any violation or any suspicion of a violation of the Honor Code. *Failure to report suspected violations, under the VMI Honor Code, is also an honor violation.* For more information about the Honor Code, please consult the "Appendix."

## Dress and Appearance

Although relaxed uniform standards are authorized during the Summer Session, a neat personal appearance will be required of all Summer Session students.

**Summer Session I & II** students are required to maintain a neat personal appearance. Appropriate dress for men consists of jeans or slacks, dress shorts, and shirts with sleeves designed for outer garment wear. Appropriate dress for women consists of jeans or slacks, skirts, dresses, dress shorts, and blouses. Garments may not be excessively frayed or perforated. Both men and women are expected to wear either shoes or sandals. Students may not wear caps, tank tops, abbreviated tops, and cutoffs. Athletic apparel (i.e., gym shorts, gym shirt, tennis shoes, and sweat suits) must be well maintained and clean. Athletic apparel should not be worn in Academic Buildings, Administrative Buildings, Dining Hall, etc. after practice or physical training (clothing soiled and/or unclean). Wearing all types of body piercings, other than earrings by females, is unauthorized. Students are also prohibited from using tobacco products or consuming food in classrooms. Beverages may be consumed in the classroom as long as the container has a lid. ***Male students must be clean shaven.***

These standards apply to students from other colleges as well as to VMI cadets. Corrections will be made if necessary and probation or dismissal may result for continued violation of the dress standards.

## Motor Vehicles

A student enrolled in the VMI Summer Session may keep or park a motor vehicle on post only if the parking fee is paid and the vehicle is properly registered with the VMI Police. Vehicles must be parked in designated areas only (for more information on parking regulations, please consult the "Appendix").

Failure to properly register a motor vehicle or to park in designated parking areas shall result in the student losing the privilege of parking the motor vehicle on Post. Improper parking will result in fines or the motor vehicle being towed to a privately owned storage facility off Post. The owner of the towed vehicle shall be responsible for paying all towing fees and/or storage fees charged by the towing company. The location of towed vehicles can be ascertained by calling the VMI Police (540-464-7017).

## Facilities

All VMI academic and recreational facilities are in operation during the Summer Session. The Military Store and bookstore are open at specified times for cash and credit card sales. The VMI Infirmary will have limited sick call hours on weekdays only. Also available for research purposes is the George C. Marshall Research Library. During the Summer Session, the VMI laundry is not in operation.

## Recreational and Cultural Opportunities

The City of Lexington is a pleasant setting for summer study. The VMI Post is designated a Historic Landmark and within walking distance there are many attractions that each year draw thousands of tourists to the area. The Lime Kiln Theater offers excellent plays and concerts each summer. The area surrounding Lexington is also appealing. Within a few minutes' drive of VMI is Goshen Pass, a beautiful gorge carved into the mountains by the Maury River. The pass has many well-maintained picnic areas and hiking trails. The Maury, with quiet pools for swimming, also provides white water that makes tubing a favorite student sport. Equally close for hiking and camping is the Appalachian Trail, which parallels the Blue Ridge Parkway and Skyline Drive. On the VMI Post are running and jogging trails, a gymnasium with basketball courts, a swimming pool, an indoor track, a well-equipped weight room, and racquetball courts.

## Summer Session I (May 19 – June 18, 2026)

Courses marked with an asterisk (\*) will be taught. All other courses will be taught only if they have sufficient enrollment (see Course Cancellation Policy). Students may enroll for a maximum of 7.5 credit hours during each term. Class periods, including a ten-minute break, are scheduled for two hours. Classes meet Monday through Friday. Laboratory periods are scheduled below.

### Applied Mathematics

#### MA-123\* – Calculus & Analytic Geometry I

**Instructor:** Col. John A. David

**Location:** Mallory Hall 413

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

**Credit Hours:** 3

Plane analytic geometry with single variable differential calculus. Limits, derivatives, applications of derivatives, and derivatives of transcendental functions and basic integration formulas. Prerequisite(s): Placement test score of 21+ or Pass Grade in MA-114.

#### MA-311\* – Elementary Differential Equations

**Instructor:** Maj. Megan Miller

**Location:** Mallory Hall 412

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 9:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

**Credit Hours:** 3

Ordinary differential equations; applications; Laplace transforms; Systems of ODEs. Prerequisite(s): MA 124.

### Biology

#### BI-101 – General Biology I

**Instructor:** Shannon A. Carter

**Location:** Maury-Brooke 314

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 9:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

**Credit Hours:** 4

MTR 2:40 p.m. – 5:40 p.m. (Lab)

Lecture material will be derived from the concepts presented in the text. BI 101 will focus upon basic biochemistry and the structure and function of the principal biomolecules; cell structure and function, membrane characteristics and the transport of material across the cell membrane; cell division including the process of fission, mitosis, and meiosis; the structure of DNA and the process of protein synthesis; basic Mendelian and non-Mendelian genetics. Laboratory topics will complement lecture material as well as include use of the scientific method activities as a means of reinforcing lecture material and preparing for an original research project to be conducted at the end of BI-102.

### BI-245X – Epidemics and Society

**Instructor:** Dr. Eileen T. Hinks

**Location:** Maury-Brooke 208

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

**Credit Hours:** 3

This course will examine the relationships between devastating disease outbreaks and the evolution of human societies. Classic epidemics such as the “Black Death” of the Middle Ages and the Irish Potato Famine will be analyzed and also compared to modern challenges such as HIV AIDS and Influenza. The course will utilize both text and primary sources to demonstrate the powerful relationship between invisible microbial pathogens and the development of today’s political and religious landscape. Prerequisite(s): No prerequisites. Civilizations and Cultures (X).

### BI-352 – Selected Topics: Sex and the Brain

**Instructor:** Lt. Col. Molly H. Kent

**Location:** Maury-Brooke 216

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

**Credit Hours:** 3

Selected topics to be discussed by faculty or visiting professors. Topics will be determined upon adequate student interest. When Offered: This course will not necessarily be offered each academic year.

## Business

### ~~BU 220 – Principles of Management~~ *Cancelled Due to Low Enrollment*

~~**Instructor:** Col. Jennifer P. Pullin~~

~~**Location:** Scott Shipp Hall 205~~

~~**Date/Time:** MTWRF 9:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.~~

~~**Credit Hours:** 3~~

~~The principles and processes of management focused on the managerial functions of planning, organizing, leading, and controlling, with an emphasis on ethics and social responsibility.~~

### ~~BU 330 – Management Information Systems~~ *Cancelled Due to Low Enrollment*

~~**Instructor:** Col. Jennifer P. Pullin~~

~~**Location:** Scott Shipp Hall 205~~

~~**Date/Time:** MTWRF 12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.~~

~~**Credit Hours:** 3~~

~~An introduction to the field of management information systems, to include basic information systems’ concepts, the use of MIS in systematic problem solving, and managerial implications involved with hardware, software, telecommunications, and database management. Prerequisite(s): BU-220.~~

### ~~BU 335 – Web 2.0 for Business~~ *Cancelled Due to Low Enrollment*

~~**Instructor:** Col. Jennifer P. Pullin~~

~~**Location:** Scott Shipp Hall 205~~

~~**Date/Time:** MTWRF 7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.~~

~~**Credit Hours:** 3~~

~~The purpose of this course is to learn how the internet impacts the way business is done. New technology is making business more efficient, allowing them to increase their customer base, and helping them to~~



## Economics

### EC-202\* – Principles of Macroeconomics

**Instructor:** Col. Srimayi B. Sen

**Location:** Scott Shipp Hall 208

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

**Credit Hours:** 3

Principles of Macroeconomics will introduce the basic concepts and tools of macroeconomics and illustrate their applications to real-world policy. It is designed to provide cadets with a framework to analyze aggregate issues such as unemployment, growth rate, inflation, and monetary and fiscal policy.

## English, Rhetoric, and Humanistic Studies

### ERH-101 – Writing and Rhetoric I

**Instructor:** George A. Abry Jr.

**Location:** Scott Shipp Hall 471

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

**Credit Hours:** 3

This course introduces the essential principles of rhetoric, develops cadets' ability to analyze complex texts rhetorically, and refines their writing strategies, paying special attention to their critical reflection on their writing processes. Such essential practices as invention, arrangement, and revision will be emphasized in their writing of expository essays. Minimum grade of C required.

### ERH-102\* – Writing and Rhetoric II

**Instructor:** Dr. Mattie Q. Smith

**Location:** Scott Shipp Hall 472

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

**Credit Hours:** 3

This course engages cadets in reading, thinking, and writing about contemporary civic issues from a rhetorical perspective. Cadets learn to write persuasive essays for public audiences in which they ethically incorporate research from appropriate secondary sources, as well as critically reflect on their writing processes. Minimum grade of C required. Prerequisite(s): ERH-101 with a minimum grade of C.

### ~~ERH-103 – Fundamentals of Public Speaking~~ **Cancelled Due to Low Enrollment; Offered as an Independent Study**

**Instructor:** Douglas N. Smith

**Location:** Scott Shipp Hall 420

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 9:45 a.m. – 10:35 a.m.

**Credit Hours:** 1

~~Emphasizing organization and delivery, this course introduces basic rhetorical theory and teaches cadets to consider audience, purpose, context, and occasion as both speakers and listeners. While there are no prerequisites, cadets are encouraged to complete ERH-102 with a minimum grade of C prior to taking ERH-103.~~

### ERH-206WX – American Literary Traditions

**Instructor:** Maj. Stephen M. Hoyle  
**Date/Time:** MTWRF 12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

**Location:** Scott Shipp Hall 409  
**Credit Hours:** 3

An introduction to major American literary movements by focusing on texts that illustrate how writers have shaped and been shaped by traditions and cultures. Note: Writing Intensive (W) and Civilizations and Cultures (X) course. Prerequisite(s): ERH-102 with a minimum grade of C.

## History

### HI-103\* – World History I

**Instructor:** Dr. Semih Gokatalay  
**Date/Time:** MTWRF 9:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

**Location:** Scott Shipp Hall 365  
**Credit Hours:** 3

A study of the world's major civilizations prior to 1500, concentrating on their primary values and institutions, and their cultural contacts. Particular attention devoted to the Middle East, China, India, the Mediterranean world, and Western Europe.

### ~~HI-104 – World History II~~ *Cancelled Due to Low Enrollment*

**Instructor:** Timothy Dowling  
**Date/Time:** MTWRF 7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

**Location:** Scott Shipp Hall 306  
**Credit Hours:** 3

~~A study of the world's major civilizations since 1500, the rise and expanding influence of the West, and the interaction between the West and non-West.~~

## Human Performance and Wellness

### ~~HPW-325 – Understanding Sports Injuries~~ *Cancelled Due to Low Enrollment*

**Instructor:** Col. Michael S. Krackow  
**Date/Time:** MTWRF 7:30 a.m. (14 class meetings)

**Location:** Cormack Hall 129B  
**Credit Hours:** 0.5

~~The purpose of this course is to provide an overview in the preventing, recognition, and treatment common sports injuries that occur within the active population. Course content will include anatomical terminology, and mechanisms of injuries. Note: All required HPW courses must be completed prior to taking electives. Prerequisite(s): HPW-102, HPW-105, HPW-202/HPW-201, and HPW-205.~~

### ~~HPW-412 – Weight Training~~ *Cancelled Due to Low Enrollment; Offered as an Independent Study*

**Instructor:** Chris Steck  
**Date/Time:** MTWRF 9:45 a.m. (14 class meetings)

**Location:** Cormack Hall 129A  
**Credit Hours:** 0.5

~~This will be an activity course designed to give cadets “hands-on” exposure to various types of resistive training programs. Cadets will actively participate in a variety of predetermined functional lifting programs relative to all of the components (strength, power, endurance) of muscular development. Note: All required HPW courses must be completed prior to taking electives. Prerequisite(s): HPW-102, HPW-105, HPW-200/HPW-201, and HPW-205.~~

## Mechanical Engineering

### ME-201\* – Statics

**Instructor:** Maj. John V. Wilkins Jr.

**Location:** TBA

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

**Credit Hours:** 3

Vector and scalar methods in the composition and resolution of forces; moments of forces; equilibrium in two or three dimensions; simple structures including trusses and frames; shear and moment in beams; distributed loads; friction; centroids and centers of gravity. Corequisite(s): MA-124 unless previously completed.

## Modern Languages

### SP-101 & 102 – Elementary Spanish I & Elementary Spanish II

This section is an intensive, combined course that requires enrollment in BOTH SP-101 and SP-102 during Summer Session I to receive 6 credits (3 credits for each course). Each course will run for 2.5 weeks, 4 hours a day. Withdrawing from either section will result in withdrawal from both courses and result in zero credits. Students must withdraw from both courses by May 20th for a full refund and May 27th for a 25% refund. No refunds will be given after May 27th, regardless of whether or not the student has completed the SP 101 portion. Students will receive separate grades for SP-101 and SP-102.

#### SP-101: Elementary Spanish I (May 19 – June 2)

**Instructor:** Silvia Tort-Ranson

**Location:** Scott Shipp Hall 566

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 9:45-11:45a.m. & 12:30-2:30p.m.

**Credit Hours:** 3

An introduction to the fundamentals of Spanish. Primary emphasis on the acquisition of the basic language skills (comprehending, speaking, reading, and writing) within the context of civilization and culture. Secondary emphasis on the culture where Spanish is spoken. Intended for beginners with no previous experience in the language. Corequisite(s) for Summer 2026: SP-102.

#### SP-102: Elementary Spanish II (June 3 – June 18)

**Instructor:** Silvia Tort-Ranson

**Location:** Scott Shipp Hall 566

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 9:45-11:45a.m. & 12:30-2:30p.m.

**Credit Hours:** 3

A continuation of SP-101. Corequisite(s) for Summer 2026: SP-101.



A laboratory course to investigate the concepts covered in PY 120 or PY 160. Computer generated graphs, spreadsheets, and regression analysis are required for most experiments. Note: Satisfies core curriculum science requirement. Corequisite(s): PY 120 or PY 160.

**PY 160—General Physics I** *Cancelled Due to Low Enrollment; Offered as an Independent Study*

**Instructor:** Maj. Durig E. Lewis

**Location:** Mallory Hall 211

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 7:30 a.m.—9:30 a.m.

**Credit Hours:** 3

This calculus-based sequence constitutes a general course in physics covering the topics of mechanics, thermodynamics, waves and sound, electricity and magnetism and optics. This sequence is for physics, chemistry, applied mathematics, and engineering majors. Note: Satisfies core curriculum science requirement. Prerequisite(s): MA 123. Corequisite(s): MA 123 and PY 155.

## Summer Session II (June 23 – July 24, 2026)

Courses marked with an asterisk (\*) will be taught. All other courses will be taught only if they have sufficient enrollment (see Course Cancellation Policy). Students may enroll for a maximum of 7.5 credit hours during each term. Class periods, including a ten-minute break, are scheduled for two hours. Classes meet Monday through Friday. Laboratory periods are scheduled below.

### Applied Mathematics

#### **MA-124\* – Calculus & Analytic Geometry II**

**Instructor:** Maj. Blain A. Patterson

**Location:** Mallory Hall 412

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 9:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

**Credit Hours:** 3

A continuation of MA-123. Integration and its applications, methods of integration, L'Hopital's Rule, improper integrals, infinite sequences and series, Taylor Polynomials. Prerequisite(s): A grade of C or higher in MA-123.

#### **MA-215\* – Calculus with Analytic Geometry III**

**Instructor:** Lt. Col. Sarah E. Patterson

**Location:** Mallory Hall 413

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 9:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

**Credit Hours:** 4

TR 2:30 p.m. – 4:05 p.m. (Lab)

A continuation of MA-124; Conic sections, parametric equations, polar coordinates, vectors, vector-valued functions, partial derivatives, improper and multiple integrals. Prerequisite(s): A grade of C or higher in MA-124.

#### **MA-220\* – Probability & Statistics for Engineers & Scientists**

**Instructor:** Dr. Denis A. Aliyev

**Location:** Mallory Hall 412

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

**Credit Hours:** 3

This is a calculus-based treatment of probability and statistics designed for scientists and engineers. Topics would include: classification of data by graphical and numerical methods; intro to probability to include definitions and theorems; discrete random variables including binomial and Poisson distributions, expectation and variance calculations; continuous random variables to include uniform, exponential, normal, Weibull, Gamma, and Chi-squared distributions; hypothesis testing and least-squares linear regression. Prerequisite(s): MA-124.

## Biology

### BI-102\* – General Biology II

**Instructor:** Dr. Eileen T. Hinks

**Location:** Maury-Brooke 314

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 9:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.  
MTR 2:40 p.m. – 5:40 p.m. (Lab)

**Credit Hours:** 4

This course is a continuation of BI-101. Lecture material will be derived from the concepts presented in the text. BI 102 will focus upon evolutionary principles including selection, speciation, phylogeny and homology; ecological principles including population and community dynamics, niche theory, competition, trophic levels and symbiosis; and the structure and functioning of specific organ systems. Laboratory topics will complement lecture material as well as include use of the scientific method activities as a means of reinforcing lecture material and preparing for an original research project to be conducted at the end of the semester.

## Business

### BU-230 – Principles of Marketing

**Instructor:** Col. Raymond J. MacDermott

**Location:** Scott Shipp Hall 203

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

**Credit Hours:** 3

Analysis of the marketing function in business enterprise, including product development, pricing, distribution, and promotion for domestic and global markets. Includes study of market research, environmental scanning and analysis techniques.

### BU-306X – International Business

**Instructor:** Col. Clifford T. West Jr.

**Location:** Scott Shipp Hall 205

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

**Credit Hours:** 3

This is a course designed to increase the student's awareness of the fundamentals of the international business environment, and focuses on the issues and problems confronting managers in international business. The international business environment includes viewing national differences in political economy and cultures, global trade, monetary policies, strategies and structures of international businesses, and how basic business functions are best performed on an international basis. Prerequisite(s): EC-201, EC-202, BU-220, and BU-230.

### **BU-310 – Business Finance**

**Instructor:** Brig. Gen. Robert W. Moreschi  
**Date/Time:** MTWRF 12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

**Location:** TBA  
**Credit Hours:** 3

The approach is from the viewpoint of management in making financial decisions for the firm. Business risk and valuation, capital budgeting, cost of capital, and the decision-making process are the four areas emphasized. Prerequisite(s): MA-106 (or equivalent) and BU-210 or BU-212 with a grade of C or better.

## **Chemistry**

### **CH-262 – Public Health Issues**

**Instructor:** Dr. Eileen T. Hinks  
**Date/Time:** MTWRF 7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

**Location:** Maury-Brooke 208  
**Credit Hours:** 3

The course introduces students to the field of public health and its role in their lives and their community. Students will explore a variety of topics including, but not limited to: (1) the mission/goals of public health (2) the role of epidemiology in public health (3) clinical studies and ethical issues; (4) risk factors for disease (5) global nutritional and disease issues (6) food safety, food borne diseases and investigating food born outbreaks; (7) cardiovascular diseases, diabetes, and obesity; (8) genetically engineered foods and foods from cloned animals; and (9) body image and eating disorders. Topics can be modified to address other contemporary issues in the field of public health. Prerequisite(s): One of the following: CH-111, CH-117, CH-137, BI-101 or by instructor approval.

## **Civil and Environmental Engineering**

### **CE-206\* – Solid Mechanics**

**Instructor:** Maj. John V. Wilkins Jr.  
**Date/Time:** MTWRF 7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

**Location:** TBA  
**Credit Hours:** 3

A study of the behavior of non-rigid bodies when subjected to external tension, compression, bending, torsional loads or a combination of these loads. Development of mathematical expressions that relate to external loads, member properties, and internal stresses, strains, and deflections. Includes elastic and plastic stress theory. Prerequisite(s): CE-203 or ME-201 all with a minimum grade of C.

## Computer and Information Science

### CIS-476W – Internship in Computer Science

**Instructor:** Col. Imran Ghani

**Location:** Internship Site

**Date/Time:** MTWRF Business Hours

**Credit Hours:** 3

A supervised on-the-job experience at a company or agency in an entry level/intern position requiring application of knowledge and skills in one or more facets of Computer Science. May be repeated to total of 3.0 hours credit. No more than 3.0 hours of internship (CIS 476) may count toward a bachelor's degree.

To qualify for academic credit, the internship must last:

- 100-199 work hours for 1.0 credit hour
- 200 to 299 work hours for 2.0 credit hours
- 300 or more work hours for 3.0 credit hours

Note: Writing Intensive Course (W). Prerequisite(s): Junior standing (a completion of 35 CIS credits) with GPA of 2.75 in major and 2.5 overall, approval of Application for CIS 476 Internship in Computer Science, and placement in an entry level/internship position at a company or agency requiring knowledge and skills in Computer Science. Position is to be a paid position at a minimum 70% of standard entry level, except as approved by department head.

## Economics

### EC-201\* – Principles of Microeconomics

**Instructor:** Maj. Steven W. Landgraf

**Location:** Scott Shipp Hall 205

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 9:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

**Credit Hours:** 3

Principles of Microeconomics is an introduction to the study and critical analysis of the process by which individuals, firms and governments make choices and decisions as they allocate scarce resources. You will learn what a market is, how markets shape the world around us, how they work and how they fail, and how governments can make markets less or more efficient.

### EC-203\* – Quantitative Tools for Economics and Business

**Instructor:** Capt. Zebulen A. Riley

**Location:** Scott Shipp Hall 268

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

**Credit Hours:** 3

A study and application of the quantitative analytical tools and concepts used in solving economics and business problems. The course emphasizes the use of data and software to illustrate and quantify economic and business relationships in order to better choose and assess leadership decisions. Prerequisite(s): MA-106 and MA-126 both with a grade of C or better.

### **EC-304 – Econometrics**

**Instructor:** Capt. Zebulen A Riley

**Location:** Scott Shipp Hall 268

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 9:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

**Credit Hours:** 3

A study of the application of economic theory, mathematics, and statistical inference as applied to the analysis of economic phenomena. Heavy emphasis is placed on the use of simple and multiple regression and the violation of the classical assumptions. Prerequisite(s): EC-201 and EC-203, both with a grade of C or better.

### **EC-418 – Public Choice**

**Instructor:** Capt. Zebulen A Riley

**Location:** Scott Shipp Hall 268

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 12:30 p.m. – 14:30 p.m.

**Credit Hours:** 3

Public Choice analyzes issues in political science and the policy process through the lens of neoclassical economic principles and methodology. At the core of it, Public Choice analyzes the role of government in the economy and the problems of collective decision making. Thematically, issues covered in class include the role and function of government and governmental decision making; the intersection between public and private interests; the connection between voters, politicians, and the economy; and the effect and evolution of governmental institutions. Prerequisite(s): EC-201 and EC-202, both with a grade of C or better.

## **English, Rhetoric, and Humanistic Studies**

### **ERH-103 – Fundamentals of Public Speaking**

**Instructor:** Douglas N. Smith

**Location:** Scott Shipp Hall 420

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 12:30 p.m. – 1:20 p.m.

**Credit Hours:** 1

Emphasizing organization and delivery, this course introduces basic rhetorical theory and teaches cadets to consider audience, purpose, context, and occasion as both speakers and listeners. While there are no prerequisites, cadets are encouraged to complete ERH-102 with a minimum grade of C prior to taking ERH-103.

### **ERH-201WX – Rhetorical Traditions I**

**Instructor:** Maj. Brandon M. Johnson

**Location:** Scott Shipp Hall 405

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 9:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

**Credit Hours:** 3

An introduction to the early history of rhetoric, from the ancient Greeks to the Renaissance. Emphasis is placed on defining rhetoric and the ways in which ethical, religious, political, economic, and cultural beliefs and values shape its traditions, terms, and realms of influence. Note: Writing Intensive (W) and Civilizations and Cultures (X) course. Prerequisite(s): ERH-102 with a minimum grade of C.

## History

### HI-104-01\* – World History II

**Instructor:** Christopher B. Gallagher

**Location:** Scott Shipp Hall 365

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 9:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

**Credit Hours:** 3

A study of the world's major civilizations since 1500, the rise and expanding influence of the West, and the interaction between the West and non-West.

### HI-104-02 – World History II

**Instructor:** Christopher B. Gallagher

**Location:** Scott Shipp Hall 365

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

**Credit Hours:** 3

A study of the world's major civilizations since 1500, the rise and expanding influence of the West, and the interaction between the West and non-West.

## Human Performance and Wellness

### HPW-325 – Understanding Sports Injuries

**Instructor:** Col. Michael S. Krackow

**Location:** Cormack Hall 129B

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 7:30 a.m. (14 class meetings)

**Credit Hours:** 0.5

The purpose of this course is to provide an overview in the preventing, recognition, and treatment common sports injuries that occur within the active population. Course content will include anatomical terminology, and mechanisms of injuries. Note: All required HPW courses must be completed prior to taking electives. Prerequisite(s): HPW-102, HPW-105, HPW-202/HPW-201, and HPW-205.

### HPW-412 – Weight Training

**Instructor:** Chris Steck

**Location:** Cormack Hall 129A

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 9:45 a.m. (14 class meetings)

**Credit Hours:** 0.5

This will be an activity course designed to give cadets "hands-on" exposure to various types of resistive training programs. Cadets will actively participate in a variety of predetermined functional lifting programs relative to all of the components (strength, power, endurance) of muscular development. Note: All required HPW courses must be completed prior to taking electives. Prerequisite(s): HPW-102, HPW-105, HPW-200/HPW-201, and HPW-205.

## International Studies

### IS-387– Sports and Global Politics

**Instructor:** Lt. Col. Timothy J. Passmore

**Location:** Scott Shipp Hall 504

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 9:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

**Credit Hours:** 3

This course assesses the role that sport plays in domestic and international politics in a globalized world. It considers key ways that the major paradigms of politics and sports intersect, including the use of sport for nation-building and branding, as a soft power tool for reputation- building, and as an influential feature in interstate diplomatic relations. Other issues covered include the role of sport in armed conflict, ethnic relations, democratization, women's rights, and economic development, while specific attention will be paid to global sporting phenomena such as the Olympic Games and the World Cup. Students will engage with scientific research and historical case studies through a combination of class discussion, reading, and film presentation. Special Topics/Pilot Course (Not fully approved for permanent catalog).

## Mechanical Engineering

### ME-206\* – Solid Mechanics

**Instructor:** Maj. John V. Wilkins Jr.

**Location:** TBA

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

**Credit Hours:** 3

A study of the behavior of non-rigid bodies when subjected to external tension, compression, bending, torsional loads, or combination of these loads. Development of mathematical expressions that relate external loads, member properties, and internal stresses, strains, and deflections. Includes elastic and plastic stress theory. Prerequisite(s): MA-124, ME-109, ME-110 and a grade of C or higher in ME-201.

### ME-350X – History of Technology

**Instructor:** Maj. John V. Wilkins Jr.

**Location:** TBA

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 9:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

**Credit Hours:** 3

A study, from both an historical and current perspective, of the role of technology in influencing both the development of distinctive cultural practices and the spread and globalization of specific cultures (western, eastern, and the Americas) in order to gain a better understanding of the cultural catalyst that technology has played in the past and may play in the future. Note: Civilizations & Cultures Course (X).

## Physics

### PY-156 – General Physics Lab II

**Instructor:** Maj. Durig E. Lewis

**Location:** Mallory Hall 220

**Date/Time:** MTR 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

**Credit Hours:** 1

A laboratory course to investigate the concepts covered in PY 121 or PY 161. Computer generated graphs, spreadsheets, and regression analysis are required for most experiments. Note: Satisfies core curriculum science requirement. Corequisite(s): PY-121 or PY-161.

### **PY-161 – General Physics II**

**Instructor:** Maj. Durig E. Lewis

**Location:** Mallory Hall 214

**Date/Time:** MTWRF 7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

**Credit Hours:** 3

This calculus-based sequence constitutes a general course in physics covering the topics of mechanics, thermodynamics, waves and sound, electricity and magnetism and optics. This sequence is for physics, chemistry, applied mathematics, and engineering majors. Note: Satisfies core curriculum science requirement. Prerequisite(s): PY-160. Corequisite(s): PY-156.

## **Summer Study Abroad 2026**

The Office of Global Education offers foreign study programs for academic credit throughout the VMI Summer Session. In addition, VMI-affiliated programs such as the Virginia Program at Oxford (VPO) will also be available. For more information on study abroad programs, please contact Col. Jeff Kendrick, Director, Office of Global Education, Virginia Military Institute, Lexington, VA 24450, 540-464-7067 or Capt. Nolan Lipscomb, Assistant Director, Office of Global Education, Virginia Military Institute, Lexington, VA 24450, 540-464-7421.

Please refer to the Office of Global Education website for program information:

[vmi.edu/academics/academic-program/office-of-global-education/](https://vmi.edu/academics/academic-program/office-of-global-education/)

# VMI Summer Session Honor System

## Standard Operations Procedure

The purpose of this section is to set forth the procedures for the administration of the VMI Honor System during the VMI Summer Session.

### The VMI Honor Code

The Honor Code is the daily application of the principles of ethics, honesty, and personal integrity by each student to the problems with which he/she is confronted. It pervades every activity of life—personal, academic, athletic, and military—and presents a rigid standard by which all students must live. Because the Honor Code is such an integral part of the life of each student, its very existence depends on the vigilance of every student at VMI. Therefore, every reasonable suspicion of a violation of the Honor Code must be reported immediately. A student who has knowledge of a breach of the Honor Code, and who does not report the same, is himself/herself guilty of Toleration, a violation of the Honor Code.

### Reporting Breaches of the Code

The keystone of the VMI Honor Code is the fact that each student is honor-bound to report to the Honor Court any breach or reasonable suspicion of a breach of the Honor Code that comes under his/her observation or is in any way brought to his/her attention. Breaches involving students taking summer courses at VMI must be reported to the Director of the Summer Session, if a summer session student, or to the Director of the Summer Transition Program, if a STP student, and to no other person. Breaches involving students taking courses in Foreign Study Programs sponsored by the Summer Session must be reported to the Resident Program Director and to no other person.

### Administration of the Honor Code

It is inconsistent with a code of personal honor for there to be exhaustive written rules as the sole basis of determining honorable conduct. Hence, there are but few absolute rules for the administration of the Honor System.

### Definitions of the terms "Certified" and "Official Statement"

**Certified.** When applicable to a student's act or written or oral statement or report, the term "certified" means that his/her statement is true to the best of his/her information and belief in every significant particular.

**Official Statement.** Means a written or oral statement made by a student to another student or an officer of the Institute who receives the statement in the course of acting in an official capacity. All official statements are certified.

### Special Boards of Inquiry

All students attending the VMI Summer Session are subject to the VMI Honor Code. Because the Honor Court is not present to investigate and adjudicate suspected violations of the Code a Special Board of Inquiry (SBOI) is convened to address violations that occur during the Summer Session. Additionally, graduating First Class cadets may make a request to the Superintendent to conduct an SBOI in lieu of a trial by a cadet jury. The

Superintendent Representatives present the request and circumstances to the Superintendent who may authorize an SBOI on a case-by-case basis.

## **Work for Grade Policy**

Development of the spirit as well as the skills of academic inquiry is central to the mission of VMI's Academic Program. As a community of scholars, posing questions and seeking answers, we invariably consult and build upon the ideas, discoveries, and products of others who have wrestled with related issues and problems before us. We are obligated ethically and in many instances legally to acknowledge the sources of borrowed material that we use in our own work. This is the case whether we find that material in conventional resources, such as the library or cyberspace, or discover it in other places like conversations with our peers.

Academic integrity requires the full and proper documentation of any material that is not original with us. It is therefore a matter of honor. To misrepresent someone else's works, ideas, images, data, or other intellectual property as one's own is stealing, lying, and cheating all at once.

Because the offense of improper or incomplete documentation is so serious, and the consequences so potentially grave, the following policies regarding work for grade have been adopted as a guide to students and faculty in upholding the Honor Code under which all students live.

## **Work for Grade**

The term "work for grade" is defined as any work presented to an instructor for a formal grade or undertaken in satisfaction of a requirement for successful completion of a course or degree requirement.

## **Student's Own Work**

The term "student's own work" means that the student has composed the work from his/her general accumulation of knowledge and skill except as clearly and fully documented and that it has been composed especially for the current assignment. No work previously submitted in any course at VMI or elsewhere will be resubmitted or reformatted for submission in a current course without the specific approval of the instructor.

In all work for grade, failure to distinguish between the student's own work and ideas and the work and ideas of others is known as plagiarism. Proper documentation clearly and fully identifies the sources of all borrowed ideas, quotations, or other assistance. The student is referred to the VMI-authorized handbook for rules concerning quotations, paraphrases, and documents.

In all written work for grade, the student must include the words "HELP RECEIVED" conspicuously on the document, and he or she must then do one of two things: (1) state "none," meaning that no help was received except as documented in the work; or (2) explain in detail the nature of the help received. In oral work for grade, the student must make the same declaration before beginning the presentation. Admission of help received may result in a lower grade but will not result in prosecution for an honor violation.

Students are prohibited from discussing the contents of a quiz/exam until it is returned to them or final grades are posted. This enjoinder does not imply that any inadvertent expression or behavior that might indicate an individual's feeling about the test should be considered a breach of the certification. The real issue is whether students received information, not available to everyone else in the class, which would give them an unfair advantage. If an individual inadvertently gives or receives information, the incident must be reported to the class instructor and to the Director of the Summer Session.

Every student bears the responsibility for familiarizing himself/herself thoroughly with the policies stated in this section, with any supplementary statement posted by the academic department offering a course he or she is taking, and with any special conditions provided in writing by the professor for a given assignment. If there is any doubt or uncertainty about the correct interpretation of a policy, the student should consult the instructor of the course. There should be no confusion, however, on the basic principle that it is never acceptable to submit someone else's work, written or otherwise, formally graded or not, as one's own.

The violation by a student of any of these policies will, if he/she is found guilty, result in his/her being dismissed from VMI. Neither ignorance nor professed confusion about the correct interpretation of these policies is an excuse.

## **SBOI Procedures**

1. A faculty member who discovers an apparent violation of the honor code will report the violation to their department head. The department head will decide whether the collected evidence justifies referral to the Director of the Summer Session. If the department head decides that the evidence does not justify referral, then he or she will conclude the investigation. Otherwise, the department head will submit a written report to the Director of the Summer Session. The report must contain both a recommendation for action and all relevant documents, including a statement signed by the faculty member who reported the violation. If the department head is absent, the faculty member should report directly to the Director of the Summer Session. Students should report all suspected honor violations to the Director of the VMI Summer Session or, in the case of students studying abroad to the Resident Program Director.
2. The Director of the VMI Summer Session or Resident Program Director, with assistance as necessary, conducts a preliminary investigation and reports his preliminary findings in writing through the Dean to the Superintendent. The report to the Superintendent will have the evidence attached and be reviewed by the VMI General Counsel. If a Special Board of Inquiry is recommended, proposed charge(s) and specification(s) are included in the report.
3. If the Superintendent believes that the matter should go forward, then he or his representative will have a charge sheet prepared, setting forth the charge(s) and specification(s) and listing the witnesses against the accused. Appended to the charge sheet will be a copy of all available evidence including written statements of the faculty member or student who discovered the apparent violation and the report of the Director of the VMI Summer Session or Resident Program Director.
4. The accused, along with a member of the faculty or staff (preferably his/her academic and/or class advisor) is brought before the Superintendent or his representative to be officially charged with a violation of the VMI Honor Code. If the accused student is not a cadet, the Superintendent or his representative will designate such an advisor to serve in this capacity. At this time, the accused is informed of his/her rights and presented with the charge(s) and specification(s), the list of witnesses, and a copy of all available evidence. The accused is encouraged to contact his/her parents or guardian in the presence of his/her faculty or staff advisor. After reviewing the evidence and conferring with parents and the advisor, the accused must inform the Superintendent or his representative of his/her intent to have the case heard in a Special Board of Inquiry or admit guilt. If a hearing is requested, the date for the hearing is established at this time.
5. An admission of guilt results in immediate dismissal from VMI.

6. If the accused decides to have the case heard, the Superintendent appoints a Special Board of Inquiry by special order. In selecting members of the Board, the Superintendent or his representative uses a list of available faculty and staff members submitted to him by the Director of the Summer Session. No member of a department in which an alleged violation occurred is eligible. Student members are selected from the current Summer Session roster at random and asked typical questions (see Appendix III as a guide) to eliminate students who may exhibit potential bias or conflict of interest, either in favor of the Prosecution or in favor of the accused. The Defense Advocate may review the questions to be asked and submit additional questions to Superintendent Representatives for the student Board members no later than 7 days prior to the Board being convened.
7. The Board of Inquiry consists of 3 faculty/staff members, one of whom is appointed President of the Board, 3 students, a faculty/staff Prosecutor, and a Recorder from the faculty or staff who has no vote. The purpose of the Board is to determine the true facts and report findings and recommendations to the Superintendent. Questions related to procedural issues or admissibility of evidence should be directed to the Superintendent Representatives to the Honor Court.
8. The accused student is informed that he/she may choose to represent himself or herself or may secure representation from another cadet or a Defense Advocate. The accused will be provided a list of eligible VMI faculty/staff members willing to serve as a Defense Advocate. The accused cadet will also be provided a list of available pro-bono attorneys and that if an attorney is retained at his/her discretion for advice that such an attorney may be present at conferences, meetings, interviews, and the SBOI, but may not actively advocate or participate on the accused's behalf in any proceeding (i.e., speak on record). The accused and his/her Defense Advocate are given sufficient time to prepare a defense.
9. The Special Board of Inquiry is convened. Using the SBOI Procedures as a guide, the President of the Board conducts the proceedings in which all facts are presented to and explored by the Board. Witnesses are presented by the Prosecution and by the Defense for questioning. These witnesses may attest to the character of the accused, or they may have knowledge of the event or of the circumstances surrounding it. The Board is under no restriction as to who may appear before it. The VMI General Counsel will be present for the SBOI. The sequence for the hearing follows:
  - a. The case against the student (Prosecution)
  - b. The case for the student (Defense)
  - c. Any additional questions (Rebuttal and Board questions)
  - d. Review of important points pro and con (closing arguments and deliberations)
10. After closing arguments, the Board begins deliberations. When each Board member has come to a decision as to the guilt or innocence of the accused, a vote is taken on each specification. Two not guilty votes result in an acquittal for that specification, however a student need only to be found guilty on a single specification to be convicted.
11. Upon completion of the Board's proceedings, a written report containing the essential facts in the case, together with all evidence and the recommendation of the Board, will be sent to VMI General Counsel for review and then to the Superintendent for action. At the request of the Superintendent, the Prosecutor and President are present to discuss the outcome of the Special Board of Inquiry during the Superintendent's review process. The Superintendent informs the accused of his final decision upon completion of his review.

## Foreign Study Programs

Students involved in foreign study programs sponsored by the VMI Summer Session are subject to the VMI Honor Code. Suspected violations should be reported to the Resident Program Director. The Resident Program Director conducts an investigation and forwards all evidence to the Superintendent through the Director of the VMI Summer Session in accordance with the procedures found in paragraph 2 above. If the Superintendent believes that the matter should go forward, then a charge sheet will be prepared in accordance with the procedures found in paragraph 3 above and the accused is brought before the Resident Program Director to be officially charged with a violation of the VMI Honor Code in accordance with the procedures found in paragraph 4 above. The accused student will be permitted to remain in the program, but a grade of "I" will be assigned for all of his/her courses. A Board of Inquiry will be convened upon the accused student's return to VMI. If acquitted, the student will receive a grade and credit for the course. If convicted, he/she will not receive credit for the course and, in the case of a VMI cadet, will be dismissed from VMI.

## Appendix: Summer Session General Information

### Administration

The Director of the Summer Session is Dr. Laura Xie. The Deputy Director for the first term is Col. Tom Timmes and for the second term Col. Merce Brooke. The Summer Session office is located in 303 Shell Hall and is open from 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. Phone: (540) 464-7213.

### Academic Center

The Miller Academic Center in 202 Carroll Hall will be open from 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., Monday through Thursday and 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. on Fridays. Cadets are invited to stop by or make an appointment to talk with staff to discuss any questions or concerns about their academic performance or need to enhance relevant skills.

### Barbershop

Hours TBA.

### Bookstore

The VMI Bookstore will be open from 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

### Center for Cadet Counseling

The Center for Cadet Counseling (CCC) offers a range of services designed to develop awareness, values, knowledge and skills necessary for Cadets to make healthy choices, meet future challenges and lead meaningful lives. Services include health and wellness programs, individual assessment and counseling, crisis intervention, and consultation. Cadet Health and Wellness services and programs encourage cadets to strive for balance and well-being through various education, prevention, and awareness activities. Topics of interest to Cadets include maintaining emotional wellness, stress management, alcohol and drug abuse prevention, and building healthy relationships. Staff at the CCC view Cadets from a strength-based perspective and routinely encourage Cadets to develop resiliency skills to help them bounce back more quickly from adversity and rigors of the VMI system. Counseling services are confidential and conducted by licensed mental health professionals. For more information, please call 540-464-7661 or visit our webpage: [vmi.edu/cadet-life/health-and-safety/cadet-counseling/](http://vmi.edu/cadet-life/health-and-safety/cadet-counseling/).

### Disability Services

The Office of Disabilities Services (ODS) is committed to meeting ethical and legal responsibilities to ensure equitable educational access to cadets with documented disabilities. We support the academic success, personal growth and development of life and leadership skills for cadets in a manner that promotes self-

awareness, self-determination, and self-advocacy. ODS also serves as a resource to the VMI community to encourage awareness and understanding regarding disabilities issues in higher education. Cadets with documented disabilities are encouraged to schedule a meeting with the Director of ODS as early as possible to allow adequate time for review of documentation, to allow for a thorough assessment of academic needs, and to familiarize new cadets with administrative procedures. For more information, please call (540-464-7661) or visit our webpage: [vmi.edu/academics/support/disabilities-services/](http://vmi.edu/academics/support/disabilities-services/).

## Library

Hours TBA.

## Mathematics Education and Resource Center (MERC) and the Open Math Lab (OML)

Mathematics Education and Resource Center (MERC) The MERC will be open for both summer sessions, according to the schedule below. There will be tutors on-hand for help in the following mathematics courses: MA 101/102, MA 103, MA 106, MA 126, MA 114, MA 123/124, MA 215, MA 220, and MA 311. There is no cost to VMI students for this service and no appointments are necessary. Tutoring is held on the sixth floor of Preston Library, in the Open Math Lab (OML).

The MERC and OML will be open as listed:

Monday – Thursday	10:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m., 7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Friday	10:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

## Writing Center

The writing center will be open as listed:

Summer Session I	1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m., Monday – Thursday
Summer Session II & STP*	1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m., 7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m., Monday – Thursday

## Mail

The mailroom window will be open from 10:00 a.m. – 2:15 p.m. and 3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

## Medical Services

The VMI Infirmary will be open Monday – Thursday from 7:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. and Friday 7:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. for routine medical services. Illnesses or injuries requiring an overnight stay will be referred to the local hospital and students will be responsible for the cost of their care in that facility. Students should make every effort to

have their medical needs cared for during the clinic hours. When the VMI Infirmery is closed, students needing medical attention will have to go to the local emergency room or urgent care for evaluation. **All accidents**, including automobile accidents, causing serious bodily harm or property damage are to be reported immediately to a Summer Session official. For cadet appointments and medical questions, please send an email to [Infirmery@vmi.edu](mailto:Infirmery@vmi.edu) or call the Infirmery at 540-464-7218.

## Military Store

The Military Store will be open from 7:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. and noon – 3:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

## Microcomputer Laboratories

Computer labs will be open as listed.

117 Scott Shipp	8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., Monday – Friday
4141 Mallory	8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., Monday – Friday
Barracks Study Room	Open 24 hours, 7 days a week

## Post Exchange/Food Court

The PX will be open during the following times: 8:30 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

## Recreational Facilities

The following VMI recreational facilities will be open during the hours indicated:

Cocke Hall Weight Room	Monday – Thursday: 10:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. Friday: 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Pool	Monday – Friday: Noon – 1:00 p.m. Monday – Thursday: 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

## Motor Vehicle Parking

The following Summer Session Motor Vehicle Parking regulations are provided:

**Vehicle Registration and Permit Required.** All motor vehicles to include motorcycles must be registered and paid for directly through Post View. Failure to register a vehicle and to properly place the parking hang tag or motorcycle decal may result in either (1) the revocation of Post parking privileges or (2) a recommendation to the Superintendent that the offender be dismissed from the VMI Summer Session. The parking hangtag or motorcycle decal must be displayed as directed by VMI Police. Vehicles or motorcycles not displaying a parking hang tag or motorcycle decal are subject to being towed.

**Permit Parking Locations.** Cadet/Student permit parking is located in the perimeter of Marshall parking lot (as designated by cadet parking signs) and the North Post parking lot beside the North Post Drill Fields-only. A registered and paid for parking permit is required. Additional parking is located at Lackey Farm or Clarkson-McKenna lot.

**Failure to Comply.** Violation of parking regulations will result in fines and/or towing. The Cadet/Student in whose name the vehicle/motorcycle is registered will be responsible for all fines and towing and storage charges. The location of the towed vehicle/motorcycle and the charges for towing and storage can be ascertained by contacting the VMI Police.

**Bicycles.** The following Summer Session Bicycle Parking regulations are provided.

**Locations.** The following locations are authorized for securing bicycles:

- Beside Cormack Hall
- Beside Corps Physical Training Facility

**Prohibited.** Bicycles are prohibited from being secured to hand railings or taken inside buildings.

**Failure to Comply.** Violation of this guidance will result in the bicycle being removed from the unauthorized location. The location of the bicycle and any associated charges for removal can be ascertained by contacting the VMI police.

## Drug and Alcohol Policies

The unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensation, possession, or use of a controlled substance or alcohol is prohibited on VMI-owned or VMI-controlled property or as part of any school activity, regardless of location.

**Alcohol.** VMI does not tolerate the abuse of alcohol by any VMI student. All students attending the VMI Summer Session will observe all state and local laws governing the possession, purchase, or use of alcoholic beverages. Students who make themselves conspicuous as a consequence of drinking alcoholic beverages may be dismissed from the summer session or otherwise punished. VMI Regulation, Part III, Chapter 23, specifically addresses the issue of drug and alcohol use.

**Illicit Drugs.** VMI does not tolerate drug abuse by any VMI student at any time or place, whether in a duty, leave, or furlough status at VMI or elsewhere. The Institute intends to exercise the utmost diligence in preventing the illegal introduction of marijuana, cocaine, narcotics, or other controlled substances on Post. VMI will impose disciplinary sanctions on students who unlawfully possess, use, or distribute illicit drugs (consistent with local, state, and federal laws) up to and including expulsion from the Institute and referral for prosecution. Students should be aware that most drug offenses are classified as felonies and that conviction of such an offense can have serious consequences, including destruction of any hope of pursuing a military or professional career.

## Washington & Lee Campus Off-Limits

In recent summers problems have arisen with participants of summer programs at VMI inappropriately interacting with participants of summer programs at Washington and Lee University. Consequently, the entire

W&L campus is off limits to all VMI Summer Session students. The only exceptions are: a) students may walk through the campus on the concrete walkway immediately in front of Lee Chapel, and b) students who need to obtain or return a library book from the W&L library may do so before 6 p.m. by walking directly to or from the library. Students who violate this directive are subject to disciplinary action at VMI and arrest for trespassing at W&L.