

## **BASE RESOURCES**

### **School Liaison**

Naval Submarine Base New London's School Liaison Program can support your family as you transition into or out of the Stonington area.

The SLP serves as the military subject matter expert for Youth Education, School Transition, Deployment Impact, and K-12 School issues.

The SLP is the conduit to provide information, make referrals, and educate families.

Contact the SLP to learn more about the local area and available supports.

Phone: 860-694-3772

Email: [SLO.SUBASENLON.fct@navy.mil](mailto:SLO.SUBASENLON.fct@navy.mil)

Link to webpage: <https://www.navy.mwrnewlondon.com/programs/e0aad06f-959f-42aa-a1d0-77de8b0b26ce>

### **Exceptional Family Member Program**

The Navy's Exceptional Family member Program (EFMP) is a quality of life program. It can assist EFM families in identifying special needs services and resources by coordinating with medical, mental and behavioral health, educational, and other service providers at the current duty station. Information is also available to assist with a successful PCS move. Enrollment is mandatory for Sailors who have dependents with chronic medical, dental, mental health, developmental and/or educational conditions requiring special care and services.

#### **WHO SHOULD ENROLL?**

Military dependents enrolled in DEERS with chronic medical, dental, mental health, developmental and/or educational conditions requiring special care/services who live with the sponsor should enroll in EFMP.

New enrollments are initiated online via the Navy Family Accountability and Assessment System (NFAAS). <https://navyfamily.navy.mil>

If you have questions or would like more information, please contact the Exceptional Family Member Program Liaison.

Phone: 860-694-4378

Email: [NSBNL.EFMP.fct@navy.mil](mailto:NSBNL.EFMP.fct@navy.mil)

### **Youth Sponsorship Program**

Military families experience frequent relocations. Moving around so much can be really tough. When youth transition to a new community, it can be scary and exciting. The Youth Sponsorship Program is a way to make the move to a new area a little less scary.

Common Questions youth may have

- Who will be my friends?
- What will my new school be like?
- What activities or sports are available?
- Will I fit in?

- What are the other kids wearing?

The Youth Sponsorship Programs consists of three major components

1. **Outreach** - Identify incoming youth, providing them with information and opportunities before they arrive
2. **Newcomer Orientation** - Providing information and materials on the programs and services available on the installation and in the surrounding community
3. **Peer to Peer** - Connecting youth currently attached to the installation with a Youth Sponsor

Moving to the area and interested in a connecting with a Youth Sponsor? **Contact the SUBASE Youth Center to learn more- 860-448-6843**

### **SUBASE Youth Center**

SUBASE Youth Center provides free educational and recreational programming for youth (9-12 yo) and teens (13-18 [still in high school]). Please contact the Youth and Teen Coordinator at 860-448-6843 for information.

The Youth Center is also the site for childcare for children grades K-7 (up to age 13). These programs include, before and after school care, spring break and summer camps, and drop in care for no school days. For information on the program, please call the Center at 860-448-6843.

### **Fleet and Family Support Center**

860-694-3383

[ffscnewlondon.fct@navy.mil](mailto:ffscnewlondon.fct@navy.mil)

Fleet and Family Support Center (FFSC) is your one-stop-shop for free Parenting and Life Skill programs, Financial programs, Deployment support, Transition and Employment assistance, Relocation assistance, Counseling and Victim Assistance, Exceptional Family Member Support, Information and Referral, and many more programs to promote quality of life for military personnel and their families.

### **Morale, Welfare and Recreation**

860-694-2298

<https://www.facebook.com/mwrsubasenlon>

Navy MWR's mission is to deliver high-quality, customer-focused programs and services that contribute to resiliency, retention, readiness, and quality of life- including gyms, movie theaters, restaurants, libraries, and other recreational programs.

## **ADDITIONAL RESOURCES**

**Tutor.com for Military**

[www.tutor.com/military](http://www.tutor.com/military)

No cost, online tutoring and homework help. 24/7

Register/login required.

### **DoD/MWR Libraries**

Learning Express Student Resources

Academic skills practice

College and scholarship search

Academic test prep (SAT/ACT/AP Subject Tests/GMAT/GRE/LSAT/ASVAB)

<https://dodmwrlibraries.org/>

### **Military Interstate Children's Compact Commission (MIC3)**

[www.mic3.net](http://www.mic3.net)

Through the Interstate Compact, MIC3 addresses key educational issues encountered by children of military families.

### **Military Child Education Coalition**

[www.militarychild.org](http://www.militarychild.org)

MCEC supports all military-connected children by educating, advocating, and collaborating to resolve education challenges associated with the military lifestyle.

### **Military One Source -**

<https://www.militaryonesource.mil>

1-800-342-9647

Military OneSource is your 24/7 connection to information, answers and support to help you reach your goals, overcome challenges and thrive. Military families are eligible to use this Defense Department-funded program anytime, anywhere. Turn to Military OneSource for tax services, spouse employment help, webinars and online training, relocation and deployment tools, and much more.

### **Navy Marine Corps Relief Society**

(860) 694-3285

<https://www.nmcrcs.org/locations/groton>

The mission of the Navy- Marine Corps Relief Society is to provide, in partnership with the Navy and Marine Corps, financial, educational, and other assistance to members of the Naval Services of the United States, eligible family members, and survivors when in need.

## **RESOURCES FOR EDUCATORS TO LEARN ABOUT MILITARY LIFE STYLE**

### **Penn State— Clearinghouse for Military Family Readiness**

School Resources About Military Families- Linking military-connected school personnel with evidence-based resources and supports through online learning modules and tool kits.

<https://schoolresources.militaryfamilies.psu.edu/>

### **Military Child Education Coalition**

MCEC is focused on ensuring quality educational opportunities for all military children affected by mobility, family separation, and transition. MCEC offers valuable resources and localized training for educational professionals.

<http://www.militarychild.org/>

**Military Impacted Schools Association (MISA)**

MISA is a national organization of school superintendents. Their mission is to serve school districts with a high concentration of military children. MISA partners to ensure that all military children are afforded a quality education.

<http://militaryimpactedschoolsassociation.org/>

**National Military Family Association**

The NMFA is the leading non-profit organization focusing on issues important to military families. NMFA conducts research, provides helpful information, and publishes a Community Toolkit focusing on ways community members can support Military families.

<http://www.militaryfamily.org/>