

Brigade soldiers offered two year college degree

During August the Army Continuing Education System in conjunction with City Colleges of Chicago will begin a college level video cassette program leading to an Associate Degree in Liberal Arts. Classes will be conducted at the Army Education Center, Building 882, McNair Kaserne.

According to Mr. J.D. Frost, Education Services Officer, the program is fully accredited and grades are recorded on official transcripts in the same manner as traditional in-class CCC courses, without notation reflecting means of credit earned.

Frost said, "The college level video cassette program, is flexible to the



needs of shift workers and individuals involved in an inordinate amount of field exercises."

The program is also structured to meet the professional and personal needs and aspirations of the service members.

For further information please contact the program AEC coordinator 2325-800/693.

Two-star speaks to staff

Signal School commander visits McNair

By Jim Koenig

Brigade officers and selected senior NCO's met July 9 with Maj. Gen. Henry J. Schumacher, Commanding General of Fort Gordon, and the Signal School.

The two-star general, who has led a more than full career during the past 25 years, promised the group at McNair that the Signal School would continue to send them well trained soldiers.

Schumacher, the former commander of the White House Communications Agency and a Vietnam veteran said, "When you're at the top your subordinates have a tendency to only tell you the good things, I want to know what you don't like about the training we're giving at the school." He then ask for questions.

In an earlier briefing the native Californian told senior commanders, "If you want something changed, don't be bashful, pick up the phone and call me."

Besides his two tours in Vietnam the

senior officer has served in Germany, Panama and an assignment as an U.S. attache in the Soviet Union. "That required a year of extensive study in the Russian language prior to going," Schumacher said.

Ending the briefing the general officer said he wanted to turn out enlisted soldiers from the school who were ready for the field, adding, "I'm open for suggestions anytime from anyone, the Army is willing to change, but you will have to speak up."

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