



# Army ROTC 4-Year College Scholarship Program



## Requirements

- Be a U.S. citizen
- Be between the ages of 17 and 26
- Have a high school GPA of at least 2.50
- Have a high school diploma or equivalent
- Score a minimum of 920 on the SAT (math/verbal) or 19 on the ACT (excluding the required writing test scores)
- Meet physical standards
- Agree to accept a commission and serve in the Army on Active Duty or in a Reserve Component (Army Reserve or Army National Guard)

## Your Commitment

- An eight-year service commitment with the Army.
- Serve full time (Active Duty) in the Army for four years and four years with the Reserve Component or Individual Ready Reserve (IRR).
- Selected Cadets may choose to serve in the Army Reserve or Army National Guard after commissioning in order to pursue a civilian career.

## Apply Online For An Army ROTC Four-Year Scholarship

- If you are applying for a scholarship, you first will need to create a MY GOARMY account at <http://www.goarmy.com/rotc.html>. Once you create an account, you will be sent to the MY GOARMY log-in page. Once you can successfully login to MY GOARMY, you can use your newly created account information to login to the scholarship application site.
- Initial Application Deadline is **10 January**. All updates are required to be postmarked by 28 February.



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## Tips for Successful Scholarship Navigation

- **Visit the Army ROTC Departments when you visit colleges**
  - Each one is different. Different size, different facilities, different perspectives. The best way to find the one that is right for you is to get to know them.
- **Schedule an overnight visit with the ROTC Battalion**
  - There is no better way to understand what a day-in-the-life is really like.
- **Conduct your scholarship interview at the school you most want to attend**
  - This is the place where you may spend the next 4 years in ROTC. Get to know it as well as you can ahead of time.
  - There are other scholarship opportunities available on campus. Making yourself known to the battalion gives you an opportunity to compete for them.
  - That school has a vested interest in you. Get to know them.
- **Maintain contact with an ROTC Enrollment Officer**
  - The Scholarship process can be confusing. Enrollment Officers at ROTC units have access to information and are able to assist and provide guidance during this process.
  - Keep them updated with new information – Have you won a new award? Been selected Captain of a team? Improved your SAT score?
- **Don't give up**
  - If you are not selected for a 4-year ROTC scholarship, you can still enroll in ROTC and earn 2,3 and 4-year scholarships once on campus.
- **Common Questions to ask an ROTC Department**
  - Are you a host or partner? Do I have to travel to get to class or is it on-campus?
  - Does your school offer Room and Board to scholarship winners?
  - Does your school offer academic credit for ROTC classes? Do they count toward my GPA?

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