



MAXIMIZE YOUR BENEFITS

ATTEND ROTC WHILE SERVING IN THE WASHINGTON ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

RESERVE OFFICER TRAINING CORPS (ROTC)

Army Reserves Officer's Training Corps (ROTC) is a college elective curriculum that allows you to earn a commission as a military officer. Army ROTC classes normally involve one elective class and one lab per semester. Although the classes involve hands-on fieldwork as well as classroom work, they are standard college classes that fit into a normal academic schedule.

Unlike traditional college courses, Army ROTC gives a wide range of experiences while you work toward a degree. You'll combine classroom instruction with practical experience, learning skills that are sure to give you an edge over your peers when it comes time to look for a job.



SIMULTANEOUS MEMBERSHIP PROGRAM

The Simultaneous Membership Program (SMP) allows you to attend Army ROTC while serving in the Army National Guard as an officer trainee. SMP cadets apply knowledge learned in the classroom with hands-on training leading Soldiers in the Guard.

In addition to the training and experience, SMP cadets qualify for additional pay, benefits, and scholarship programs such as:

- Post Secondary Education Grant
- Montgomery GI Bill and GI Bill Kicker
- Federal Tuition Assistance Program
- Military Drill pay at E-5 rate (approx \$319 per month)
- Low cost Healthcare and Life Insurance options

Upon graduation from Army ROTC, you will earn the rank of Second Lieutenant, be commissioned into the Washington Army National Guard and become a leader for life.



ROTC AND NATIONAL GUARD SCHOLARSHIPS

Whether you're a college bound high school student or already attending a college or university. Army ROTC has scholarships available. Scholarships are awarded based on a student's merit and grades, not financial need.

Accepting an ROTC scholarship incurs a military service obligation. Scholarship winners must serve for eight years: non-scholarship Cadets who enroll in the ROTC Advanced Course must serve for six years. All who graduate and complete ROTC training are commissioned a Second Lieutenants in the U.S. Army, U.S. Army Reserves or Army National Guard.

ROTC SCHOLARSHIPS CONSIST OF:

- Two-, three- and four-year scholarship options based on the time remaining to complete your degree and the desired branch of commissioning.
- Full-tuition OR the option for room and board in place of tuition, if you should qualify.
- \$1200.00 annual allowances for books and fees

LIVING EXPENSES

ROTC scholarships also provide monthly living allowances of \$420 per month each school year. Army National Guard Soldiers can take advantage of numerous combinations of the benefits listed above and more. Contact your local Army National Guard Recruiter for more information or visit www.gowaguard.com for more information.

ADDITIONAL BENEFITS AVAILABLE TO SMP CADETS

Tuition Waiver:

As a member of the Washington National Guard you will receive in State tuition rates and 50% off of State schools.

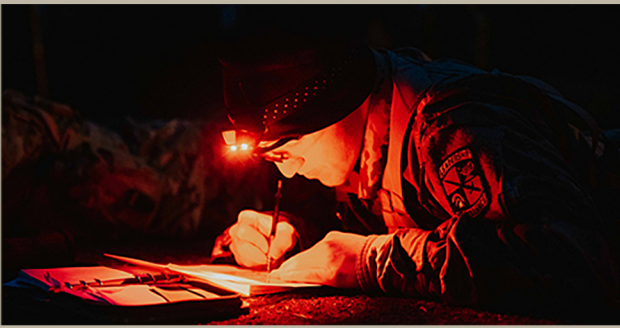
SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION:

Recipients of the scholarships listed below will choose to use their awards for either 100% coverage of tuition and mandatory fees (at a state or private school) OR \$10,000/year for room and board.

- Minuteman Scholarship: One of the only 4-Year Scholarships available to ROTC Cadets - high school seniors and college freshmen are eligible to apply.
- Dedicated Army National Guard Scholarship (DEDNG): Up to a 3-Year Scholarship award available to Cadets who want to obtain a commission in the National Guard.
- Guaranteed Reserve Force Duty Scholarship (GRFD): Up to a 2-Year Scholarship award available to Cadets interested in commissioning into either the National Guard or Army Reserve.
- SMP Non-Scholarship: You will contract with the ROTC school, but not receive any tuition and fees or room and board benefits. Can compete for Active Duty.

ELIGIBILITY:

- U.S. Citizen
- Commission before turning 31
- Currently in the National Guard or eligible to enlist
- Ability to pass ACFT
- Meet AR 600-9 standards
- Acceptance letter to college
- PMS acceptance memorandum
- Academic Plan for tenure at college
- Minimum 2.5 GPA
- Minimum of 1000 SAT or 19 ACT



NON-SCHOLARSHIP

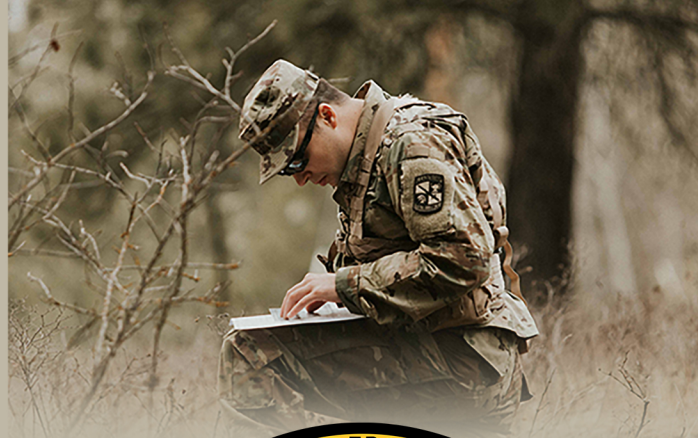
	FR	SO	JR	SR	TOTAL
TUITION ASSISTANCE	X	X	\$4000	\$4000	\$8000
ROTC STIPEND	X	X	\$4200	\$4200	\$8400
DRILL/ANNUAL TRAINING PAY	X	X	\$5028	\$5028	\$10056
MGIB-SR	X	X	\$3670	\$3670	\$7340
SMP KICKER	X	X	\$3500	\$3500	\$7000
TOTAL	X	X	\$20998	\$20998	\$41996

- Must complete Basic Training and Advanced Initial Training to receive SMP kicker.
- Other benefits include affordable medical and healthcare for you and your family (TRICARE RESERVE SELECT).
- Can be used towards Master Degree

3 YEAR SCHOLARSHIP

	FR	SO	JR	SR	TOTAL
3YR DED/GRFD (UNIVERSITY OF WA)	X	\$11745	\$11745	\$11745	\$46980
SMP KICKER	X	\$3500	\$3500	\$3500	\$10500
DRILL/ANNUAL TRAINING PAY	X	\$5028	\$5028	\$5028	\$15084
ROTC STIPEND	X	\$4200	\$4200	\$4200	\$12600
BOOK STIPEND	X	\$1200	\$1200	\$1200	\$3600
TOTAL	X	\$25673	\$25673	\$25673	\$77,019

- Start developing leadership acumen NOW while serving as a Simultaneous Membership Participant (SMP) in the Guard.
- Begin planning for your retirement NOW by enrolling in the Blended Retirement System.
- Earn a commission where you can serve your country.



4 YEAR SCHOLARSHIP

	FR	SO	JR	SR	TOTAL
ROOM & BOARD	\$10000	\$10000	\$10000	\$10000	\$40000
SMP KICKER	\$3500	\$3500	\$3500	\$3500	\$14000
DRILL/ANNUAL TRAINING PAY	\$5028	\$5028	\$5028	\$5028	\$20112
ROTC STIPEND	\$5400	\$5400	\$5400	\$5400	\$21600
BC/AC		\$1200	\$1200		\$2400
TOTAL	\$23928	\$25128	\$25128	\$23928	\$98112

- As a Guard Officer, you will have a jump start against your peers towards your Military Service Obligation, and entrance into the work force during a strong economy.
- Choose where you live and serve.

CONTACT INFORMATION:

Officer Recruiting:

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