## Interested in the RESERVE OR NATIONAL GUARD?

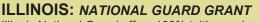
## STATE SPECIFIC GRANT OPPORTUNITIES



 Your choice upon graduation: Active Duty, ARNG or USAR

#### Guaranteed Reserve Forces Duty (GRFD):

- Guarantees service in the ARNG or USAR
- Recipients must become a Cadet and participate in SMP
- Cadets with ARNG or USAR scholarship <u>must</u> serve in their respective component while they are Cadets, but may serve in one or the other upon graduation
- Cadets with a Dedicated USAR scholarship must participate in the SMP and commission in the USAR
- Cadets may use Montgomery GI Bill benefits in conjunction with an ARNG or USAR scholarship



Illinois National Guard offers 100% tuition and some fees for undergraduate/graduate study at any state-supported 2-4 year college for, up to max of, 4 academic years of full-time study; eligible after 1 year of service in IL ARNG (can't be in default of any student loan or owe a refund on any state or federal grant / must maintain acceptable GPA, as determined by school).

ILLINOIS NATIONAL GUARD GRANT ADDITION: 100% tuition and fees (waiver) for an additional 2 years after completing 10 years of service in the IL ARNG.

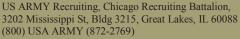
#### ILLINOIS VETERANS GRANT ADDITION:

same as Guard grant except eligible after one (1) year of service of federal active duty in the Armed Services, or served on federal active duty service in a foreign country during hostilities in that country.

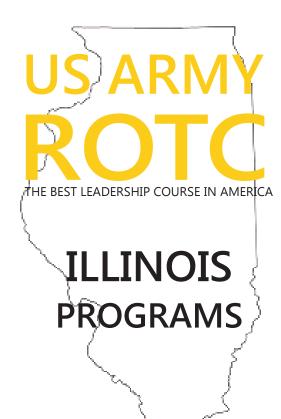








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# WHY CHOOSE US ARMY ROTC?

- You can participate in the freshman and sophomore levels of ROTC without any commitment to the Army
- If you accept a scholarship, or if you sign a contract with us, then you incur a military obligation
- Upon graduation, you will be commissioned as a Second Lieutenant in the Active Army, Army Reserves or Army National Guard and become a leader for life
- Students who sign a contract as an ARMY ROTC Cadet will receive a monthly stipend (tax free) for ten (10) months each year. Monthly stipends are:

FRESHMEN: \$300/month SOPHOMORES: \$350/month JUNIORS: \$450/month SENIORS: \$500/month

## <u>Some</u> ARMY ROTC Scholarship Requirements:

- US Citizen
- Age 17 before scholarship is effective
- · Good high school grades
- Meet physical standards

### **SCHOLARSHIPS**

#### Army ROTC scholarships Additional Benefits:

- Room and board, in place of tuition, if you desire
- National High School Four-year
- Two-year
- Three-year Advanced Designee
- Nursing
- Three-year
- · Green to Gold
- Additional allowances for books and fees

Scholarships are available **now** for **qualified** applicants with cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher



#### ARMY OFFICER EARNING POTENTIAL

Rank	Years of Service	Pay
2nd Lieutenant	Entry (0-2)	\$48,900
Captain	4	\$79,500
Lieutenant Colonel	16	\$118,500

Based upon 2014 Pay Tables. Pay includes Basic Housing Allowance (BAH) and Basic Allowance for Subsistence (BAS).

### ILLINOIS ROTC Programs

Army ROTC scholarships cover full tuition and fees of schools listed below:

- EASTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY\* 217 581 5944
- ILLINOIS STATE UNIVERSITY\* 309 438 5408
- LOYOLA UNIVERSITY\*

773 508 8980
DePaul University^
Northwestern University^
North Park University^
Northeastern Illinois University^

Resurrection University<sup>^</sup>

- NORTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY\* 815 752-ROTC (7682)
- SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY @ CARBONDALE\*
  618 453 5786
- SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY @ EDWARDSVILLE\*

608 650 2500

McKendree College

Southwestern Illinois College

Lewis and Clark College

● UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS @ CHICAGO®
312 413 2356

Chicago State University Illinois Institute of Technology Indiana University Northwest Purdue University—Calumet Robert Morris College

 UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS @ URBANA-CHAMPAIGN\*

217 244 1407

WESTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY\*
 309 298 1161
 Monmouth College<sup>^</sup>

WHEATON COLLEGE\*
 630 752 5121

Aurora University^
College of Saint Francis^
Devry Institute of Technology^
Illinois Benedictine College^
Lewis University^
Olivet Nazarene University^

\*HOST SCHOOL ^Partner School

Websites for these 3rd ROTC Brigade schools may be found at: www.goarmy.com/

rotc/find-schools