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WHAT DOES JSU ROTC PREPARE YOU FOR?

JSU ROTC offers you an advantage that simply earning a degree cannot provide you. By completing both college and JSU ROTC courses, you will enter the U.S. Army as a Second Lieutenant.

As a U.S. Army Officer, not only are you a leader, but you will be positioned as a manager, problem solver, key influencer, and planner who leads Soldiers in all types of situations.

As an Army Officer, you will discover opportunities for management, travel, and advancement. Choose from a wide array of fields from communications, combat arms, and nursing to computers and technology. In addition, you also will receive outstanding medical, dental, and housing and retirement benefits.

More importantly, you will enjoy the admiration of your family, peers, honorably serving your country with people who are prized for their loyalty, self-discipline, and honor. You will be part of an elite group of individuals who rise to the very top of industry and the government, and who represent the very best our country has to offer.

HOW DO I DEVELOP INTO A LEADER?

A successful future starts with solid training, and JSU ROTC's leadership training is second to none. JSU ROTC is a college elective you can try out for up to two years with no obligation. JSU ROTC gives you a wide range of experiences while you work toward a degree. You will combine classroom time with hands-on experience, learning skills that are sure to give you an edge over your peers when it's time to look for a job. Your studies include leadership development, military skills, and adventure training.

FACTS ABOUT ARMY ROTC:

Founded in 1916, Army ROTC has produced more than half a million Lieutenants for America's Army. It remains the broadest avenue for men and women seeking to serve as Officers in America's Army. Many prominent Americans got their start through Army ROTC. The program has produced two U.S. Secretaries of State, innumerable business and civic leaders, and a female astronaut. Among the more famous graduates of the program are Colin Powell, Lenny Wilkins, Sam Walton and Nancy Jane Currie.

Facts about JSU ROTC:

- Established in 1948
- Commissioned over 1400 Lieutenants
- In 2014, the JSU Ranger Challenge Team competed against 48 other teams in the south to win the coveted "6th Bridge Seminole Spirit Staff"
- 10 General Officers have commissioned from our program
- Only university in the state of Alabama with a 35 foot rappel tower

Career Choices:

- Air Defense
- Armor
- Aviation
- Chemical Corps
- Engineering
- Field Artillery
- Army Finance Corp
- Infantry
- Medical Services
- Military Intelligence
- Military Police
- Nursing Corps
- Ordnance
- Personnel
- Quartermaster
- Signal



ARMY ROTC SCHOLARSHIPS

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

Army ROTC Scholarships consist of:

- Four-, three-, and two- year scholarship options based on time remaining to complete your degree
- Full-tuition scholarships
- The option for room and board in place of tuition, if you should qualify
- Additional allowances for books and fees (\$600/term)
- Monthly Stipend of \$420

Apply online at www.goarmy.com/rotc/scholarships.html.



JSU ROTC offers 3 different scholarships:

- Meal
- Dorm
- Alumni Scholarship

If you want to pursue a civilian career at the completion of college and still participate in a Reserve Component, you may be eligible for a Guaranteed Reserve Forces Scholarship or Dedicated Army National Guard.

- Up to 2 years of tuition or Room/Board (GRFD)
- Up to 3 years of tuition or Room/Board (DEDANG)

Minimum requirements to compete for a scholarship:

- Between ages 17-26
- High School GPA 2.5 / College 2.5
- High School diploma or equivalent

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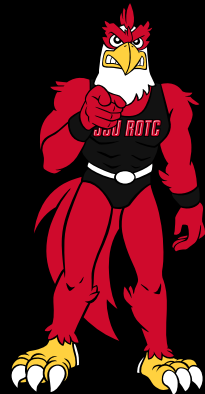
THE SIMULTANEOUS MEMBERSHIP PROGRAM (SMP)

If you are already in the National Guard or Reserve, this alternative to scholarships may be for you. These Cadets are enrolled in Army ROTC and a Reserve component while attending college. A few of the benefits of this program is:

- \$5,000 Room and Board -- Scholarship Cadets Only
- \$1,000 per year for books -- Scholarship Cadets Only
- \$362 per month GI Bill
- \$350 per month SMP Kicker *If you qualify
- \$265 month drill pay for contracted Cadets
- \$1,200 *2 weeks annual training

The ROTC program is open to students who are:

- Undergraduates
- Transfer Students
- Entering Graduate School



**I WANT YOU
FOR JSU ROTC**

DID YOU KNOW THAT AN ARMY OFFICER MAKES THE FOLLOWING:

*approx. per year/based on 36265 zip code

Starting Pay (Second Lieutenant)

Active Duty
(24/7)
\$46,997.28

Reserve Duty
(Part Time/Citizen Soldier)
\$6,168.00

After 2 years (First Lieutenant)

Active Duty
(24/7)
\$58,852.08

Reserve Duty
(Part Time/Citizen Soldier)
\$8,038.00

After 4 years (Captain)

Active Duty
(24/7)
\$76,380.48

Reserve Duty
(Part Time/Citizen Soldier)
\$10,888.00

Active Duty Benefits

100% Medical/Dental
30 days per year paid vacation
Unlimited sick leave

Reserve Benefits

Maintain civilian job
Stay close to home
Second income/retirement

TAKE THE NEXT STEP AND ENROLL:

Whether you choose a career in the Military, a seat in government, or an executive job in the corporate world, you will be a proven, experienced leader who is ready to meet any challenge. To participate, enroll in a military science class/lab online at www.jsu.edu.

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