

# Kansas Army National Guard

## ROTC Scholarship

### Application



**KANSAS** **ARMY**  
**NATIONAL**   
**GUARD**

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## **ARMY RESERVE OFFICER'S TRAINING CORPS**

### **SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

The Kansas Army National Guard (KSARNG) and Army ROTC may award four (4), three (3) and two (2)-year scholarships to qualified young Kansans each year. The University of Kansas, Kansas State University and Pittsburg State University may award scholarships to qualified applicants. This packet contains general information, eligibility requirements and selection criteria for the Kansas Army National Guard Scholarship Program. All forms required to submit an application are included herein.

#### **INSTRUCTIONS**

Fill out all information using a **BLACK INK PEN** or typing. When completed mail the application in a manila envelope and address it to the university or universities you are considering attending.

Kansas State University Professor of Military Sciences

Pittsburg State University Professor of Military Sciences

University of Kansas Professor of Military Sciences

Address information and point of contacts for this information is listed on page 14 of this application packet.

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

The Kansas Army National Guard ROTC Scholarship Program is a statewide program for Kansas residents eligible for in-state tuition who are U.S. citizens. After completion, this packet should be forwarded to the Professor of Military Science (PMS), Army ROTC at the university you wish to attend. The purpose of this program is to assist highly qualified individuals who are motivated to achieve a college degree and acquire a Reserve officer commission in the Kansas Army National Guard.

#### **ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS**

You may qualify for a KSARNG scholarship if you meet all of the following:

- a. Citizen of the United States
- b. Resident of Kansas eligible for in-state tuition.

- c. Will be at least 17 years of age prior to the effective date of the scholarship.
- d. Will be able to complete all requirements for a commission and a college degree prior to reaching their 30<sup>th</sup> birthday.

If the applicant:

(1) In exceptional cases, the State Adjutant General may waive the maximum age limitations up to age 35. Chief, NGB, NGB-ARII-S is the authority for waiver for cadets ages 35 year and 1 day to age 39 years, 364 days. Age at the date of commission may not exceed 39 years, 364 days.

(2) An original appointment as a second lieutenant must be made prior to the individual's 40<sup>th</sup> birthday.

e. Can successfully pass a medical examination required for commissioning as a Second Lieutenant.

f. Can successfully pass the Army Physical Fitness Test (APFT) prior to appointment.

g. Achieve a minimum American College Test (ACT) score of 19.

h. Will be a high school graduate or posses an equivalent certificate before the effective date of this scholarship.

i. Have no moral obligation or personal conviction that will prevent you from:

(1) Supporting and defending the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic.

(2) Conscientiously bearing arms.

j. Obtain a written agreement to enter into an appropriate contract with the Kansas Army National Guard and Department of the Army acknowledging the following obligations (if under 18 years of age upon the effective date of the scholarship you will need to obtain your parents or guardians consent also):

(1) Agree to complete the prescribed Military Science courses, ROTC Leader Development and Assessment Camp (LDAC), and other directed training.

(2) Upon successful completion of the Military Science and baccalaureate degree requirements, accept a commission as a Second Lieutenant in the Kansas Army National Guard and serve for not less than four (4) years as a commissioned officer in the Kansas Army National Guard.

(3) Agree as a condition of receipt of the scholarship, upon failure to satisfy an agreement to serve as a commissioned officer in the KSARNG for the required four (4) year period, repay to the state the total award under this agreement plus accrued interest at a rate which is equivalent to the interest rate applicable to loans made under the federal PLUS program at the time such

person first entered into an agreement plus five percentage points as provided in KSA 74-3260, and amendments thereto.

k. Every eligible student who qualifies for the award of the KSARNG Army ROTC service scholarship, shall remain qualified for not to exceed eight semesters of undergraduate study.

l. As a condition of appointment, each recipient incurs an eight year military service obligation as required by Federal statute. This includes four year's service with the Kansas Army National Guard, with two additional years with a reserve component unit, and two years service in the Individual Ready Reserves (IRR). The IRR service does not involve mandatory participation in annual training requirements.

## **SELECTION CRITERIA**

Selection of scholarship recipients is based upon a subjective evaluation of all facets of the applicant's records, including scholastic potential and achievement, participation in extracurricular activities, demonstrated leadership interest in service with the Kansas Army National Guard, and an interview by a university selection board (if selected for such an interview). No single factor is sufficient to insure selection for a personal interview or a scholarship.

### **Request for SAT or ACT Scores**

Scores achieved on the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) or the American College Test (ACT) are important factors in the selection of scholarship recipients. Applicant must take one of these tests and make the scores available to the university where you intend to enroll. The applicant must submit a request for scores. If the applicant has taken or registered for the SAT and ACT, results of both tests should be furnished. The SAT and ACT agencies require approximately four weeks to process requests for additional SAT or ACT scores. **DO NOT WAIT TO MAIL YOUR SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM AND RELATED PAPERS UNTIL YOU RECEIVE TEST SCORE RESULTS.**

### **Medical Examination**

Applicants considered competitive will be notified by the appropriate ROTC personnel to report to a military medical facility for a medical examination to determine if they meet the medical requirements for award of the Kansas Army National Guard ROTC Scholarship. Insofar as possible, applicants will be scheduled for an examination at a facility near to their home. Applicants are responsible for paying the costs of all transportation, food, and lodging related to the medical examination. Applicants are advised that the criteria used to schedule applicants for a medical examination are based upon a combination of factors, and the fact that they are scheduled does not insure that they will not be eliminated from competition at later stage of processing. Applicants who are determined medically disqualified will be so informed by the appropriate ROTC personnel. Individual arrangements for medical examinations vary from university to university, so applicants are encouraged to discuss this with the appropriate ROTC personnel or instructor.

## Interview

In addition to screening applications to determine which applicant's should be scheduled for a medical examination, the university will be reviewing the applicant's overall qualification for the final stage of processing, i.e. their personal interview. The interview affords the applicant and the PMS with an opportunity to discuss the applicant's background and future goals. The interview will normally be conducted by a board convened by the university staff, where an applicant may address any questions he or she may have concerning the Kansas Army National Guard ROTC Scholarship program. Interviews will normally be held on campus of the university that the applicant has enrolled at, and the applicant must pay the cost of transportation, food, and lodging incidental to the interview. Scheduling an applicant for an interview indicates the applicant is considered competitive. It does NOT, however, insure that he/she will be selected for final scholarship receipt.

## Notification of Applicant

Applicants who are not selected for further consideration at any point will be so advised by the appropriate ROTC personnel or instructor. All applicants will be advised of their status as soon as possible upon completion of the selection process. It is imperative that the appropriate university has the applicants current mailing address at all times. This will insure that notification is made in a timely manner.

## Submission/Application Dates

This will be determined by each university, so please contact them at the address or phone number shown at the back of the coversheet.

## **BENEFITS**

Every eligible student who qualifies therefore, as determined by each university's selection committee, may enroll annually for both the fall and spring semesters, not to exceed eight (8) semesters, in an ROTC institution without charge of tuition.

## **ACADEMIC STANDARDS**

In order to apply for qualification for the benefits provided for by award of the scholarship, each recipient shall agree to:

- Maintain standards of academic excellence and other standards required to remain in good standing at their university.
- Maintain minimum full-time enrollment of at least twelve (12) credit hours each semester.
- Participate in the Reserve Officers' Training Corps (ROTC) program.
- Maintain height and weight and/or pass the body fat standards.
- Pass the Army Physical Fitness Test (APFT) each semester.
- Demonstrate the qualities required in a commissioned officer.

**MEDICAL**

Do you have any physical defects of which you are aware that may be disqualifying for enrollment into ROTC?

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No      if "Yes" list defect below:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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Conscientious Objector Status:

I \_\_\_\_\_ am \_\_\_\_\_ am not a conscientious objector.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Cadet's Initials and date

**PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT**

1. **AUTHORITY:** Title 50, Appendix, U.S.C., Title 10, U.S.C., Public Law 96-357 96th Congress, September 24, 1980 (Amendment to 10 U.S.C. 2107).

2. **PRINCIPAL PURPOSE(S):** To administer the financial assistance program; to select recipients for 4-Year scholarships, to monitor selectee's academic and ROTC performance; to develop policies and procedures, compile statistics and render analytical reports, and; to provide Army Professors of Military Science and university admission officials, the names, addresses, and academic data of all scholarship applicants for recruitment purposes.

3. **ROUTINE USES:** The information provided on the application will be used to screen and select individuals to receive ROTC Scholarships, to maintain data on the scholarship program, to compare scholarship applicants to others on active duty and to provide academic data, names and addresses of applicants to Professors of Military Science and admission officials at colleges and universities so that they can contact applicants for recruitment purposes.

4. **MANDATORY AND VOLUNTARY DISCLOSURE AND EFFECT ON INDIVIDUAL PROVIDING INFORMATION:** Disclosure of information requested in **ROTC CADET COMMAND FORM 114(the application)** is voluntary; however, the information must be furnished for the applicant to receive consideration for an ROTC scholarship.

**LOYALTY OATH** (To be executed on date of enrollment, registration or matriculation)

I do Solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; and that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion, **SO HELP ME GOD.**

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(Signature of Applicant) (Date)

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(Witnessing Official) (Date)

## PERSONAL DATA FOR ROTC ENROLLMENT

NAME: (LAST, FIRST, MIDDLE) \_\_\_\_\_

SSN \_\_\_\_\_ SEX \_\_\_\_\_

MARITAL STATUS \_\_\_\_\_

RACE \_\_\_\_\_

ETHNIC GROUP \_\_\_\_\_

HEIGHT \_\_\_\_\_ WEIGHT \_\_\_\_\_

ACT OR SAT SCORES \_\_\_\_\_

COLLEGE MAILING ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

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PERMANENT HOME ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

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HOME TELEPHONE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

NAME RELATIONSHIP AND ADDRESS OF NEXT OF KIN

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DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_

PLACE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_

US CITIZEN \_\_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO

NATURALIZED CITIZEN \_\_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO

PRIOR MILITARY SERVICE \_\_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO IF YES WHAT BRANCH OF SERVICE \_\_\_\_\_

HIGHEST GRADE HELD \_\_\_\_\_ TOTAL MONTHS ACTIVE DUTY \_\_\_\_\_

TYPE OF DISCHARGE \_\_\_\_\_

CURRENT RESERVE NATIONAL GUARD

UNIT \_\_\_\_\_





## ATHLETIC ACTIVITIES RECORD

NAME OF APPLICANT (Last, First, Middle) \_\_\_\_\_

a. INSTRUCTIONS: Indicate below your participation in college athletic and extracurricular activities. Indicate your high school athletic and extracurricular activities if you are applying for a 2-year dedicated military Junior College (MJC) scholarship.

First in Section B, complete the appropriate spaces to the right of all activities in which you participated. Any recognized activity not listed should be added under the appropriate section.\* Be certain to indicate all leadership positions held. If additional space is needed, please use the reverse side of this form

Next in Section C, include any additional information.

Date and sign the form in Block D.

\*Include all school, church, civic and any other athletic activities.

### B. ATHLETIC ACTIVITIES {    } Check if none.

SPORT	NUMBER OF YEARS PARTICIPATED			SUCCESS ACHIEVED
	Individual	Intramural	Varsity	Awards, letters earned
Baseball				
Basketball				
Boxing				
Football				
Golf				
Gymnastics				
Hockey				
Soccer				
Softball				
Swimming				

Tennis				
Track				
Wrestling				
Rifle Team				
Hand Ball				

C. REMARKS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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 \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT \_\_\_\_\_

D. EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES (  ) Check box, if none.

TYPE	NO OF YEARS	SUCCESS ACHIEVED (Awards, positions of leadership, etc.)
CHURCH ORG		
DEBATE		
DRAMATICS		
SCHOLASTIC SOCIETIES		
SCHOOL BAND		
STUDENT GOVERNMENT		
YEARBOOK		
DRILL TEAM		
AGRICULTURE		
SOCIAL FRATERNITIES		
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-		
-		
-		
AFTER SCHOOL WORK		NUMBER OF HOURS EACH WEEK
1. TYPE OF WORK		
-		
-		
-		
-		
-		
2. SUMMER WORK		
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-		
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DATE \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT \_\_\_\_\_



TO: Professor of Military Science

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(University)

I hereby submit my application for a Kansas Army National Guard ROTC Scholarship. I have read and understand both the benefits of this scholarship program and I am prepared, if selected, to enter into an appropriate contract with the Kansas Army National Guard and the Army ROTC program.

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(Printed Name of Applicant)

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(Signature of Applicant)

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(Date-month, day and year)

# APPLICANT CHECKLIST

(Retain this for your personal file)

	YES	NO
Have you completed and signed your "Personal Data for ROTC Enrollment" sheet?	___	___
Did you include an official copy of your high school transcript?	___	___
Have you completed and signed your "Athletic Activities Record"?	___	___
Have you completed and signed your "Extracurricular Activities Record"?	___	___
Have you completed and signed your "Application for the Kansas Army National Guard Scholarship"?	___	___
Have you forwarded all the above material to the appropriate PMS at the University address shown in the back of this packet?	___	___

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# Committee Recommendations

Committee Chair  
(PMS)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Approve / Disapprove

Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Committee Chair  
(PMS)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Approve / Disapprove

Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Committee Chair  
(PMS)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Approve / Disapprove

Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

- If disapproved please explain in remarks section

APPLICANT'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_