

DAUNTLESS BATTALION CAMPUS-BASED SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

PROCEDURES:

- Cadet informs his OIC or ROO of his desire to apply for a scholarship.
- OIC/ROO screens for eligibility by having the Cadet update/verify the CC Form 139-R.
- Cadet completes a scholarship application, focused on identifying SAL achievements.
- Cadet provides a copy of all available transcripts and College Board results, as applicable.
- OIC/ROO directs the student to complete a CC Form 104-R Academic Plan and return it ASAP. The 104-R **must have** the NAPS data (section 5) complete and matching semesters/credits listed (section 7), **and** be signed by a university official to confirm the plan and verify authorized semesters for scholarship benefits. This determines the scholarship type (3.5, 3, 2.5, 2-year).
- ROO enters student's information into DoDMETS; Cadet schedules and takes the DoDMERB physical exam.
- Cadet takes the APFT fitness test to achieve a passing score; recorded on DA 705. Ht/Wt verified and taped for body fat if applicable.
- PMS/OIC conducts an interview to identify the applicant's prior SAL performance, motivations and potential for success, and then designates a score on AWU Form 159-R.
- If student is applying for GRFD or Dedicated-USAR/ARNG, he must obtain RC unit commander's letter of acceptance into SMP (or NGB Form 594-1 if ARNG). Minuteman applicants need a nomination letter as well.
- HRA assists in processing waivers, if applicable.
- ROO assembles scholarship packet for the Scholarship Board.
- Scholarship Board convenes and scores applicants.
- ROO builds application in CCIMM and posts scores IAW CC Pam 145-1; creates OML for PMS approval and provides it to Brigade S2.
- Brigade selects candidates based on PMS's OML, percent fill and available funding.
- ROO provides official scholarship request (USACC Form 145-1-5) with supporting documents through Brigade S2 to Cadet Command Incentives Division.
- Cadet Command posts offer in CCIMM and PMS/ROO sends offer letter and CC Form 167-R to Cadet.
- Cadet accepts/declines offer on CC Form 167-R; decision posted in CCIMM.
- Upon meeting all eligibility requirements, Cadet is contracted and initiates payment through GoArmyEd.com.

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ELIGIBILITY (A.P.P.L.E.-M.D.C.):

Age – Between 17 and 30 (cannot turn 31 within the same year of commissioning). No waivers are authorized by law.

Prior Service – DD 214 must show honorable discharge and an RE code of 1; also must have less than 10 years of active federal service.

Physical Fitness – All scholarship winners must meet 60/60/60 on the APFT to contract. Cadets must also meet body fat standards.

Law – Civil convictions require a waiver. Self admitted drug use (marijuana only) must be more than 6 months in the past and then infrequent (less than 6 times) for the PMS to grant a waiver.

Education – Cadet must be a fulltime student (minimum 12 credit hours for undergraduate or 9 credit hours for graduate student). Must have a minimum 2.5 CGPA, and 1000 SAT/19 ACT if a 4-year applicant (1200/24 if not MOSQ). Must also have a minimum 3.0 Military Science GPA if enrolled in ROTC.

Medical – Must be DoDMERB qualified or waiver granted to contract. MEPS exams are considered for SMP Cadets if taken within 2 years of contracting; DoDMERB will review and qualify these exams.

Dependency – No single parents, unless child is under court-approved custody of another individual. Married Cadets may have no more than 3 dependents.

Citizenship – Must be a US citizen.

Other – Must be in compliance with the Army Tattoo policy IAW AR 670-1 (April 2015). Must show good potential to become an Army officer. Candidates requiring a waiver must have outstanding scholar/athlete/leader (SAL) qualities for the command to consider the request.