

ARMY ROTC

FORGED GOLD BATTALION
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OUR MISSION STATEMENT



[Left- Right] Professor of Military Science: LTC Alex Aquino & Senior Military Science Instructor: MSG Robert Schultz

“The Forged Gold Battalion educates, trains, and inspires the SROTC Cadets in order to become commissioned leaders of character committed to the Army Values and prepared to excel as an officer in the US Army.”

What is Army ROTC?

Army ROTC is an elective curriculum you take along with your required college classes. It gives you the tools, training and experiences that will help you succeed in any competitive environment. Along with great leadership training, Army ROTC can pay for your college tuition. Because Army ROTC is an elective, you can participate your freshman and sophomore years without any obligation to join the Army. You will have a normal college student experience like everyone else on campus, but when you graduate, you will be commissioned as an Officer in the Army. At that point, you will have a wide range of interest areas you can specialize in called branches.



F2020 MS III CDT Dennis Silva during Sac State Land Navigation Lab

Participating in ROTC

ALL students at a four-year institution offering ROTC can participate in the program's Freshman & Sophomore classes without obligation or commitment!

Like a test drive, these students can enjoy up to four semesters of ROTC and fully investigate if becoming an Army Leader is right for them without incurring a service obligation.

Students who enjoy the curriculum and demonstrate strong scholar, athlete, and leader character traits may choose to pursue a contract with ROTC. An ROTC contract allows the student to collect financial benefits during college in exchange for service as an Army Leader [Officer], either full or part-time, after college.

Some students may enjoy ROTC but ultimately decide they do not wish to pursue an ROTC contract, and that's perfectly okay. They will still enjoy strong camaraderie with peers and a quality Leadership curriculum.

Program Benefits

Leadership | Camaraderie | Critical Thinking | Goal Setting | Time Management | Public Speaking | Discipline | Physical Fitness | Confidence Building | Resume Enhancer | GPA improvement | World Class Leadership | Scholarships

CONTRACTED VS NON CONTRACTED

NON-CONTRACTED	CONTRACTED
No service obligation	Serve after graduation
No financial benefits	Financial benefits
Can take basic courses	Must complete MILS/MSC curriculum
Resume Enhancer	Resume Enhancer
World Class Leadership Curriculum	World Class Leadership Curriculum
	Member of a great team

Contracted students are those who have entered a contract and committed to complete the Basic and Advanced Courses of ROTC. Contracted students then enter the Army as an officer upon graduation, either on Active or Reserve duty. Most students are contracted with ROTC on scholarship, but some are contracted non-scholarship in conjunction with National Guard or Reserve service.

A student MUST be contracted in order to enter the Advanced Course, and Basic Course credit must be obtained in order to enter the Advanced Course. The Basic Course is considered a prerequisite for the Advanced Course. Feel free to look at our [Contracting Requirements](#).



F2020 Contracting Ceremony



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CADET TIMELINE

MS I (FRESHMAN)

MSI classes are predominantly non-contracted Cadets

Physical Training (PT) and Leadership Labs

Field Training Exercises (FTXs)

Cadets can participate in ROTC extracurricular activities



MS II (SOPHOMORE)

typical year of contracting

Attend all training events (FTXs, Labs, PT)

Summer training: Airborne, Air Assault, Cultural Language Programs, Mountain Warfare, Cadet Field Training

Slots awarded based on merit, i.e. GPA, class rank, APFT scores)

MS III (JUNIOR)

Contracted Cadets only

Take charge of training events (Labs, PT, FTXs, etc.)

Attend Advanced Camp in summer



Follow on training available: Cadet Troop Leadership Training (Lead an Active Duty platoon for 3-4 weeks at an Army post), Airborne, Air Assault, Sapper School

Accessions for component and branch

MS IV (SENIORS)

Contracted Cadets only)

Assume responsibility and command of ROTC Cadet Battalion

Oversee training of junior, sophomore, freshman Cadets

Receive component & Branch

Graduate and commission as a 2nd Lieutenant in the U.S. Army



WAYS TO SERVE

ACTIVE DUTY

1. Full-time Job
2. free medical/dental & pension/investment options
3. Starting pay about \$52,000/year
4. \$70,500/year within four years
5. Competitive (not guaranteed)

RESERVES/NATIONAL GUARD

1. Part-time Job
2. One weekend/month; two weeks in summer
3. 12 drill weekends & 2 weeks of AT
4. starting pay = \$7000-\$8000/year (\$24/hour)
5. Very affordable health insurance, pension/investment options
6. Expectation is that members have full-time civilian employment
7. Generally members can stay in one area of the state/country
8. Can still move/transfer state-to-state if needed

CAREER FIELDS-

MANEUVER, MANEUVER SUPPORT, AND FIRES



Leading and controlling the Infantry and combined armed forces during land combat.



Coordinate the Air Defense target engagement process in joint and multinational operations.



Leading and controlling the Armor and combined armed forces during land combat



Plan and execute engineering missions, both combat and construction.



Leading and controlling Field Artillery troops and combined armed forces during land combat.



Coordinate employment of Aviation Soldiers and aircraft at all levels, from platoon to battalion and higher, in U.S. and multinational operations.



Lead and direct small, tactical Military Police units and organizations (typically MP Platoons).



Commanding and controlling Chemical operations.

OPERATIONS SUPPORT



Responsible for the Army's entire systems of communication. Officers plan and execute all aspects of communication on a mission and are critical to the Army's continued success.



Responsible for all collected intelligence during Army missions. They provide essential information that often save the Soldiers fighting on front lines.



Directs and conducts cyberspace and information operations as authorized or directed, to ensure freedom of action in and through cyberspace, and to deny the same to our adversaries.

HEALTH SERVICES



Commanding and controlling the Medical Service Corps units during emergency and non-emergency medical situations.

FORCE SUSTAINMENT



Helping soldiers with the tasks that affect their overall welfare and well-being, while assisting Commanders by keeping Soldiers combat-ready.



Commanding and controlling Financial operations and combined armed forces during combat and peacetime.



Commanding and controlling Quartermaster operations and combined armed forces during land combat.



Commanding and controlling Ordnance operations and combined armed forces during land combat.



Commanding and controlling Transportation operations and combined armed forces during land combat.

SIMULTANEOUS MEMBERSHIP PROGRAM

Prospective Cadets must enlist in the Army National Guard or U.S. Army Reserves;

Basic Training and Advanced Individual Training (Job Training), & contract with ROTC upon return to college

Earn State + Federal benefits along with ROTC stipend + benefits

BEFORE CONTRACTING:

- Tuition Assistance, Chap 1606 GI Bill (\$369/month), Drill Pay

AFTER CONTRACTING:

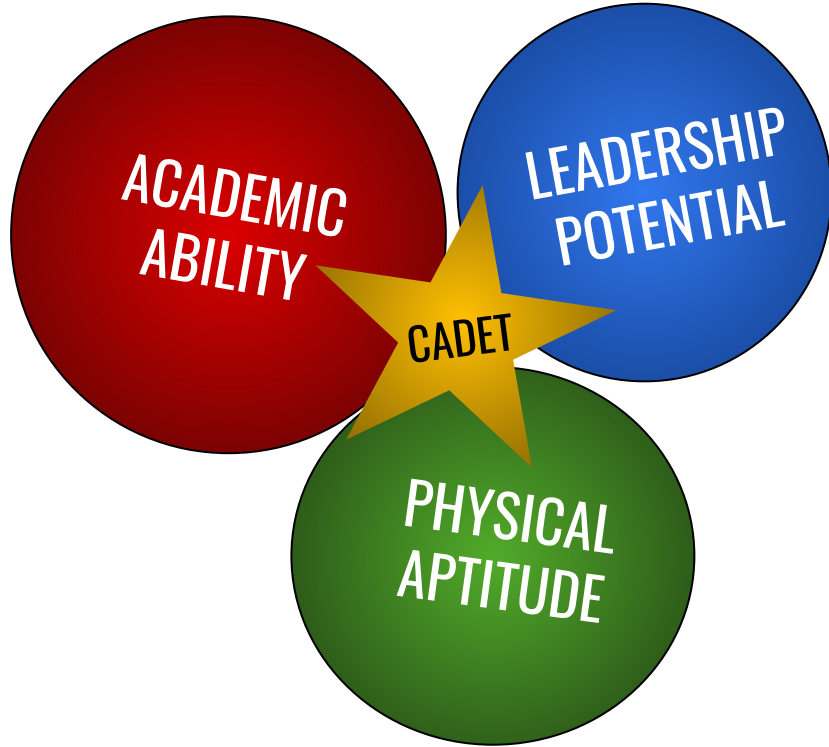
- \$350 ROTC GI Bill Kicker, ROTC Stipend, E5/SGT Drill Pay of \$361.68
- Cadets earn official Time-in-Service for promotions & pay
- Drill one weekend a month and attend two weeks of Annual Training during the year
- ***Non-deployable*** while contracted in ROTC during college tenure
- Enlisted MOS (job) does not impact/equal Officer Branch
- Paid as an E5 during drill

Membership in USAR/ARNG does not guarantee ROTC contract

Can contract during sophomore year (30 college credits)

Can commission as an Active Duty officer or into the USAR/ARNG

SERVICE OBLIGATION: 3 years active duty or 6 years USAR/ARNG



ROTC scholarships are not based on financial need. Instead, they're awarded on merit. Merit is exhibited in academic achievement and extracurricular activities such as sports, student government or part-time work.

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA

1. Be a U.S. citizen
2. Be at least 17 yrs old
3. Good moral character
4. No major civil convictions
5. Have a 2.5 cumulative GPA or better
6. Score at least 19 ACT, 920 SAT
7. Pass an Army medical examination
8. Pass the Physical Fitness Test & height and weight standards

*Meeting minimum standards does not guarantee a scholarship

NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIPS

APPLICATION DEADLINE

ROTC National Scholarship application submission is open. Current application round will close **February 4th 2021**, talk to our Recruiting Operations Officer if you need advice.

Army ROTC National Scholarship Board dates for the School Year 2021-2022:

Review Board 1 - 19-23 October 2020

Review Board 2 - 25-29 January 2021

Review Board 3 - 15-19 March 2021

There are four steps to the Army ROTC scholarship process:

- 1) Online application (takes about 30-90 min; includes military aptitude questionnaire and personal statement)
- 2) Email or submit a) proof of ACT or SAT score AND b) high school transcript with proof of high school cumulative GPA
- 3) Physical Fitness Assessment (1 minute push ups, 1 minute curl ups, 1 mile run) administered by a Coach or P.E. Teacher
- 4) Interview with an Army ROTC Professor of Military Science**

**Must complete online application and submit ACT/SAT and H.S. transcripts/GPA prior to scheduling ROTC Interview.

Click [here](#) for more information on College Scholarships for High School students and to start your application.



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CAMPUS BASED SCHOLARSHIPS

Can NOT be in Army Reserves (USAR) or National Guard (ARNG)

Tuition is paid with ROTC scholarship

100% Tuition/Fees OR Room/Board [\$5000/semester]

\$600 Book Stipend each semester

Once contracted, ROTC stipend of (\$420/month) for 10 months out of the year

Can compete for Active Duty, USAR, or ARNG

Service Obligation: 4 years Active Duty or 8 years USAR/ARNG

Contract freshman year IF awarded 3.5 / 4 YR Scholarship

Majority are awarded 3 / 2.5 YR scholarship and contract Sophomore year

GI Bill Benefits are not used (i.e. are saved for Masters)



F2020 Sac State Terrain Model Kit Lab

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GUARANTEED RESERVE FORCE DUTY (GRFD) SCHOLARSHIPS

GRFD 2 YEAR SCHOLARSHIPS

Must be USAR/ARNG, attend drill one weekend/month

Same Tuition/GI Bill/Kicker benefits as Non-Scholarship SMP

100% Tuition/Fees OR Room/Board (\$5000/semester)

Most GRFD Cadets choose to utilize USAR/ARNG enlisted benefits to pay tuition and the GRFD Scholarship to pay Room & Board

ONCE CONTRACTED:

ROTC stipend (\$420/month)

\$600 Book Stipend each semester

Paid as [E5](#) during Drill; \$361.68/drill weekend

Must commission into USAR or ARNG (serve 8 years)

Cannot contract until 4 Semesters left (Junior Year)

GRFD 2.5/3 YEAR SCHOLARSHIPS

Must be USAR/ARNG, attend drill one weekend/month

Keeps SMP tuition benefits BUT defers GI Bill & Kicker

100% Tuition/Fees OR Room/Board (\$5000/semester)

Most GRFD Cadets choose to utilize USAR/ARNG enlisted benefits to pay tuition and the GRFD Scholarship to pay Room & Board

ONCE CONTRACTED:

ROTC stipend (\$420/month)

\$600 Book Stipend each semester

Paid as [E5](#) during Drill; \$361.68/drill weekend

Must commission USAR or ARNG (serve 8 years)

Locked into component (USAR or ARNG) when scholarship is awarded

Cannot contract until 6 Semesters left (Sophomore Year)

MINUTEMAN GRFD SCHOLARSHIPS

- Must be USAR/ARNG, attend drill one weekend/month
- Requires nomination memo from Commanding General
- Keeps SMP tuition benefits BUT defers GI Bill & Kicker

•100% Tuition/Fees OR Room/Board (\$5000/semester)

ONCE CONTRACTED:

ROTC stipend (\$420/month)

\$600 Book Stipend each semester

Paid as [E5](#) during Drill; \$361.68/drill weekend

Must commission USAR or ARNG (serve 8 years)

Locked into component (USAR or ARNG) when scholarship is awarded

Contract freshman year if awarded 3.5/4.0 YR Scholarship

SIDE BY SIDE COMPARISON

	CAMPUS BASED SCHOLARSHIPS	MM + GRFD SCHOLARSHIPS	NON-SCHOLARSHIP
DO I HAVE TO BE IN USAR/ARNG?	No	Yes	No
WHAT ARE THE ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS TO CONTRACT?	2.5 cumulative GPA	2.5 cumulative GPA	2.0 cumulative GPA
COMMITMENT AFTER COLLEGE?	4 Years Active Duty + 4 Years IRR OR 8 Years in USAR/ARNG	8 Years in USAR/ARNG CANNOT commission into Active Duty	3 Years Active Duty + 5 Years IRR OR 6 Years in USAR/ARNG
TIME REQUIREMENT WHILE IN ROTC PROGRAM?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No USAR/ARNG Weekend Drill No USAR/ARNG BCT (Basic Training) or AIT ROTC: Classes, PT, Labs, + FTXs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must attend USAR/ARNG Weekend Drill Must complete USAR/ARNG BCT + AIT ROTC: Classes, PT, Labs, + FTXs 	ROTC: Classes, PT, Labs, + FTXs ONLY if you're in the USAR/ARNG <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Must attend Weekend Drill Must complete USAR/ARNG BCT + AIT
WHEN CAN I CONTRACT?	As early as first semester of Freshman Year	As early as first semester of Freshman Year	As early as Sophomore Year (30 College Credits)
WHEN MUST I CONTRACT BY?	Four semesters of college remaining	Four semesters of college remaining	Four semesters of college remaining
SCHOLARSHIP AWARD AMOUNTS?	Tuition + Fees or Room + Board (\$5,000/semester)	Tuition + Fees or Room + Board (\$5,000/semester)	N/A
WHAT IS THE MONTHLY ROTC STIPEND AMOUNT?	\$420/month for 10 months out of the year	\$420/month for 10 months out of the year	\$420/month for 10 months out of the year
DO I RECEIVE A BOOK STIPEND?	\$600/Semester	\$600/Semester	N/A
DO I NEED CHAP 1606 GI BILL?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Better to save a Post 9/11 Bill for a Master's program if earned from Active Duty Service or gifted from Partner/spouses - but it can be used if you have one. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> \$369/month if AIT qualified \$350/month ROTC kicker once contracted Dedicated GRFDs cannot use 1606 GI Bill 	ONLY if you're in the USAR/ARNG <ul style="list-style-type: none"> \$369/month if AIT qualified \$350/month ROTC kicker once contracted
DO I RECEIVE DRILL PAY?	N/A (Enlisted members cannot take Campus Based Money)	\$361.68/month (2021 E5 pay)	ONLY if you're in the USAR/ARNG \$361.68/month (2021 E5 pay)
GI BILL REMAINING	Typically ALL (36 Months)	36 minus each month used for undergraduate	36 minus each month used for undergraduate
PREFERRED PATH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cadets who cannot attend drill or IET/AIT Cadets who want to compete for active duty Undecided in path to serve: active or reserves 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cadets who have a plan for a civilian career Cadets who can/want to attend drill Cadets who want scholarship to save GI Bill Cadets who do not want active duty 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> SMP Cadet who wants to compete for active duty Aren't competitive for a scholarship offer No funds available for a scholarship offer

ENROLLMENT DOCUMENTS

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

Once students decide to enroll into ROTC they will need to complete the following documents and provide a copy of their birth certificate and social security card.

- Register for the freshman MSC / MILS courses
- [CC 139-R](#) - Cadet Application *(Page 1-2 Only)*
- [CC 137-R](#) - Authorization for Access to Student Records
- [CC 136-R](#) - Briefing on Government Sponsored Benefits
- [DD Form 2005](#) - Access to Health Care Records
- [Waiver of Liability](#)
- [Bilingual Capabilities Questionnaire](#)
- Birth Certificate Copy
- Social Security Card Copy

Feel free to print theses out and/or email them to us.




F2020 MS IV CDT Raymond Moore at Camp Roberts

SCHEDULES - Incoming Freshmen @ UC DAVIS

If you are an incoming freshman interested in enrolling in ROTC you will see the courses you'll need to register for. Our curriculum starts in the **Fall Quarter** and our lecture times are subject to change.

You can also see a typical ROTC week for our new Freshmen Cadets which is roughly 6 hours.



UC DAVIS FRESHMEN ROTC COURSES:

ENROLL IN:	FALL QUARTER	WINTER QUARTER	SPRING QUARTER
LECTURE *9:00AM-10:00AM	MSC 011	MSC 012	MSC 013
PHYSICAL TRAINING 6:30AM-7:30AM	PHE 001	PHE 001	PHE 001
LAB 3:00PM-5:00PM	MSC 014A	MSC 014B	MSC 014C

TYPICAL WEEK FOR UC DAVIS CADETS

M	T	W	TH	F
PT 1 HOUR	*LECTURE 1 HOUR	PT 1 HOUR		PT 1 HOUR
		LAB 2 HOURS		

SCHEDULES - Incoming Freshmen @ SAC STATE

SAC STATE COURSES TO ENROLL IN:		
ENROLL IN:	FALL SEMESTER	SPRING SEMESTER
LECTURE 9:30AM-10:20AM	MILS 14	MILS 15
PHYSICAL TRAINING 6:30AM-7:30AM	MILS 99**	MILS 99**
LAB 3:00PM-5:00PM	MILS 99**	MILS 99**

***You will need department consent to register for these courses.*

TYPICAL WEEK FOR SAC STATE CADETS				
M	T	W	TH	F
PT 1 HOUR	LECTURE 1 HOUR	PT 1 HOUR	LAB 2 HOURS	PT 1 HOUR

If you are an incoming freshman interested in enrolling in ROTC you will see the courses you'll need to register for. Our curriculum starts in the **Fall Semester** and our lectures are on Tuesdays from 9:30am-10:20am.

You can also see a typical ROTC week for our new Freshmen Cadets which is roughly 6 hours.



SCHEDULES - Incoming Sophomores “Compression” @ UC DAVIS

If you missed out on the freshman courses - don't worry you can still enroll in ROTC as a **Compression Cadet**. We simply will compress the freshman and sophomore ROTC lecture courses. Their course numbers are listed on the right.

Our lecture times are subject to change.

You can also see a typical ROTC week for our new Freshmen Cadets which is roughly 8 hours.

UC DAVIS COURSES TO ENROLL IN:

ENROLL IN:	FALL QUARTER	WINTER QUARTER	SPRING QUARTER
LECTURE 9:00AM-12:00PM	MSC 011 + MSC 022A	MSC 012 + MSC 022B	MSC 013 + MSC 021
PHYSICAL TRAINING 6:30AM-7:30AM	PHE 001	PHE 001	PHE 001
LAB 3:00PM-5:00PM	MSC 024A	MSC 024B	MSC 024C

TYPICAL WEEK FOR UC DAVIS CADETS

M	T	W	TH	F
PT 1 HOUR	LECTURE 3 HOURS	PT 1 HOUR		PT 1 HOUR
		LAB 2 HOURS		

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SAC STATE COURSES TO ENROLL IN:

ENROLL IN:	FALL SEMESTER	SPRING SEMESTER
LECTURE 9:30AM-11:20AM	MILS 14 + MILS 24	MILS 15 + MILS 25
PHYSICAL TRAINING 6:30AM-7:30AM	MILS 99**	MILS 99**
LAB 1:00PM-3:00PM	MILS 99**	MILS 99**

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PT 1 HOUR	LECTURES 2 HOURS	PT 1 HOUR	LAB 2 HOURS	PT 1 HOUR

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BASIC CAMP 2021

For incoming transfer students/juniors with at least 2 academic years left and no prior military experience.

Basic Camp is four weeks of intense classroom and field training held in the summer at Fort Knox, KY. This leader development course is an accelerated version of the two years of leadership development training Cadets receive in the Basic Course. By transforming yourself through this rigorous training, you will qualify for enrollment in the Army ROTC Advanced Course on campus-provided you have two years of college remaining (undergraduate or graduate).

At Basic Camp you experience the Army firsthand. You will receive the kind of leadership development training that is unmatched by any other program. How? By developing your potential in the most important of ways-mentally, physically and emotionally. During the class you will be grouped into squads where you will gain experience in all leadership roles-culminating in verbal and written feedback on your improvement. You will also receive a stipend, transportation to and from Fort Knox, housing and meals. The four weeks and four phases of Basic Camp can lead you to the ultimate goal: becoming an Army Officer.

The benefits of this leader development program will extend well beyond your college years into any career you choose. You may even qualify for a two-year scholarship that may take care of your college tuition and many other expenses.

Talk with our **Recruiting Operations Officer** to find out how to sign up for Summer 2021's Basic Camp

SCHEDULES - Incoming Juniors "Transfers" @ UC DAVIS

In order to register for the junior level courses in ROTC you will need to have completed one of the following:

- ☐ Basic Training/AIT
- ☐ ROTC Basic Courses
- ☐ ROTC [Basic Camp](#)

and be eligible to contract.

Contracting Eligibility Requirements:

- ☐ Be a U.S. citizen.
- ☐ Completed all [enrollment documents](#)
- ☐ Be between the ages of 17 and 39
 - ☐ 17-26 for scholarship prospects
- ☐ Have a cumulative and term GPA of at least 2.00
 - ☐ 2.50 GPA for scholarship prospects
- ☐ Pass the Army's Physical Fitness Test
- ☐ Comply with the Army Body Composition program, Army Regulation (AR) 600-9.
 - ☐ OR the Army's body fat percentage standards.
- ☐ Have a qualified DoDMERB
- ☐ Have a certified [CC 104-R - Academic Planner Worksheet](#)
- ☐ Agree to accept a commission and serve in the Army on active duty or in a Reserve Component (Army Reserve or Army National Guard).

UC DAVIS COURSES TO ENROLL IN:

ENROLL IN:	FALL QUARTER	WINTER QUARTER	SPRING QUARTER
LECTURE 10:30AM-12:30PM	MSC 132A	MSC 132B	MSC 131
PHYSICAL TRAINING 6:30AM-7:30AM	PHE 001	PHE 001	PHE 001
LAB 3:00PM-5:00PM	MSC 134A	MSC 134B	MSC 134C

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M	T	W	TH	F
PT 1 HOUR	LECTURE 2 HOURS	PT 1 HOUR		PT 1 HOUR
		LAB 2 HOURS		

SCHEDULES - Incoming Juniors “Transfers” @ SAC STATE

SAC STATE COURSES TO ENROLL IN:

ENROLL IN:	FALL SEMESTER	SPRING SEMESTER
LECTURE 9:30AM-10:20AM	MILS 134**	MILS 135**
PHYSICAL TRAINING 6:30AM-7:30AM	MILS 199**	MILS 199**
LAB 1:00PM-3:00PM	MILS 134**	MILS 135**

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 - ☐ OR the Army's body fat percentage standards.
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- ☐ Have a certified [CC 104-R - Academic Planner Worksheet](#)
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ADVANCED CAMP

For Contracted Cadets who have completed MILS 134 & MILS 135

Advanced Camp is a 37-day training event that is designed to assess a Cadet's ability to demonstrate proficiency in basic officer leadership tasks. It is the most significant training and evaluation event in ROTC. Training is complex, challenging, and rigorous and is conducted in a stressful training environment. Cadets reinforce basic skills through squad (9-13 Cadets) level leader development exercises, and transition to platoon (40-50 Cadets) level operations in a company construct. Prior to attending Advanced Camp, Cadets receive intelligence updates, preparing them for the geo-political environment to which they will deploy and operate.

Advanced Camp is divided into four phases: (1) Reception and Staging, (2) Integration, (3) Deployment and Field Training Exercise (4) Redeployment and Reintegration.

Outcomes for Advanced Camp include:

- Assessing organizational capabilities and limitations to increase team cohesion and operational effectiveness.
- Developing agile and adaptive leaders that solve problems and thrive in ambiguous, complex operating environments.
- Applying components of cross-cultural competence in the conduct of military operations.

Successful completion of the Advanced Camp is a prerequisite for commissioning.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Can only National (High School) ROTC scholarship winners enroll in ROTC?

No, anyone may enroll in ROTC! Most Cadets joining ROTC across the nation enter without a scholarship. But compete for scholarships when on campus. All Cadets are furnished mandatory supplies & equipment at no cost to the student.

By enrolling in ROTC, am I joining the Army?

No. Students who are enrolled in ROTC do not serve in the Army UNLESS they pursue (and are awarded) an ROTC contract. Non-contracted ROTC students take ROTC courses and receive college credits. ROTC is considered a college elective.

What are the age requirements for Army ROTC?

Scholarship Cadets must be at least 17 and under 31 in the calendar year of their commissioning date. Non-scholarship Cadets must be under 39 on the day they commission. Cadets between 35-39 will require an age waiver from the ROTC Brigade Commander.

Will there be time to participate in sports or other non-ROTC activities?

Yes. Cadets are college students first! We encourage our Cadets to pursue activities outside of Army ROTC. The Army ROTC program is centered on the concept of the "Scholar-Athlete-Leader." Academic success is the Cadets' and our top priority.

As a freshman Cadet what is my time commitment per week?

Freshman can plan on spending about 6-8 hours a week in preparing and participating in class (once a week), lab (once a week), and physical training (three times a week). Plan on spending >85% of your time pursuing academic interests and degree, and having a balanced university experience.

Is there a military obligation during college? Will I have to deploy?

No. Contracted Cadets military obligation does not begin until they have graduated/commissioned. Contracted ROTC Cadet are non-deployable.

MORE QUESTIONS? CONTACT US

ZOOM US

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