

RESERVE SCHOLARSHIPS

If you are interested in receiving an Army Reserve Officer Training Corps (ROTC) scholarship and commissioning into the Army Reserve, the GRFD Scholarship Minuteman Campaign provides you an excellent opportunity.

The GRFD Scholarship Minuteman Campaign covers 4 years of full tuition and fees or \$10,000 for room and board at colleges and universities served by an Army ROTC program.

Scholarship recipients also receive a monthly stipend of \$420, and a yearly book allowance of \$1,200. In addition, GRFD Scholarship Minuteman Campaign recipients participate in the Simultaneous Membership Program, which gives them experience with an Army Reserve unit while earning additional money for their service.

To get started, high school seniors should contact the Professor of Military Science or Recruiting Operations Officer at armyrotc@csus.edu.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Currently in the Army Reserve or eligible to enlist (meaning test and physically qualified but not sworn in)
- U.S. Citizen
- Between the ages of 17-30
- Valid Chapter 2 MEPS physical
- Able to pass a valid Army Physical Fitness Test
- Be in compliance with AR 600-9 HT/WT standards
- Official University/College acceptance letter
- 4-year scholarship applicants require: 2.5 GPA
- Participate in Simultaneous Membership Program (SMP)
- Once commissioned...8-year service obligation
- Must be no older than 30 in the year of your commission

HOW TO APPLY:

1. Contact armyrotc@csus.edu before you start working with an Army Reserve Recruiter.
2. Have an official acceptance letter from the University/College you plan to attend. Must have ROTC program.
3. High School: To receive a 4-year GRFD Scholarship Minuteman Campaign you are required to have a 2.5 HS GPA
4. Requires an SAT/ACT
5. The ROO will assist and build the scholarship request packet. You will require the following docs to submit with the application:
 - DA 4824 USAR SMP Agreement
 - Letter of Acceptance (LOA) from Army Reserve unit
 - Nomination Letter for GRFD Scholarship Minuteman Campaign from an Army Reserve Ambassador, CASA, or MSC CDR.
 - The local Army Recruiter will assist you with obtaining all of the above mentioned documents.

Also, it's a requirement to have status (enlist) in the Army Reserve. While applying it's only required to be eligible to enlist. **That means the applicant must be test/phys. qualified – Qualified Not Enlisted (QNE) with the MEPS. The applicant will not be required to swear-in until they have received a ROTC scholarship offer letter.**