



Education Services





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Texas Military Department FY 24-25 EDUCATION BENEFITS AT-A-GLANCE

State Tuition Assistance

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EDUCATION BENEFIT	WHO IS IT FOR?	WHAT DOES IT PROVIDE?	HOW WILL THIS HELP ME?
 <p>(STA) STATE TUITION ASSISTANCE https://tmd.Texas.gov/state-tuition-assistance-program</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Actively drilling TXARNG or TXANG or TXSG Member attending a TX trade school, college or university; *SM seeking a trade, certification, undergraduate, graduate or professional degree. *Completed Basic Training/BOT/RBOT. *All Enlisted; W01-W03; O1-O5; No Service Obligation. *AGRs are eligible. SMs w/nontransferable flags are ineligible. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Pays up to \$10,000 per semester for tuition & mandatory fees; *From 3 to 12 semester hours at TX in-state rates; *Assistance for up to 5 yrs or 10 academic semesters. 	<p>Pays for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Trade or vocational certificate *Professional certificate; *Associate’s and/or Bachelor’s degree; *Master’s and/or Professional degree (Law, pharmacy, Ph.D).
 <p>HAZLEWOOD ACT https://tvc.Texas.gov/education/hazlewood</p>	<p>Texas Veterans who received an Honorable discharge and:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> * have served a minimum of 181 days of Active-Duty service (excluding initial entry training) and have a DD214; *TX resident or designated TX as home or record at the time of entry. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Up to 150 semester hrs of tuition (and some fees) exemption at a Texas public college or university; *Can be used for graduate school as long as Veteran has not accumulated 150 credit hours using Hazlewood Act since fall of 1995 and the program/school accepts Hazlewood tuition waivers. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Exempts tuition and some fees in the completion of an undergraduate degree; *Can be transferred to a dependent (child).
 <p>(FTA) FEDERAL TUITION ASSISTANCE https://tmd.Texas.gov/federal-tuition-assistance-eligibility</p>	<p>TXARNG only. Must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *currently serve in the TXARNG. *not be flagged. *have a common access card (CAC). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Cost of tuition up to \$250 per semester hour NTE \$4,000 per FY. *Fees are not included. *Funding for required courses listed on approved evaluated degree plan. *Up to 16 semester hrs per fiscal year. *Up to 130 semester hrs of undergraduate course work. *Up to 39 semester hrs of graduate coursework. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Provides funding for one degree from each of the following levels: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Associate’s or/and Bachelor’s degree -Master’s degree -Trade/vocational/undergraduate certificate *Will not fund a lower or lateral degree ie. No 2nd Bachelor’s.
 <p>(CA) CREDENTIALING ASSISTANCE https://tmd.Texas.gov/credentialing-assistance-program</p>	<p>TXARNG only. Must:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *currently serve in the TXARNG. *not be flagged. *have a common access card (CAC). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Up to \$4,000 per fiscal year to pay for training, materials, textbooks, study guides and test fees leading to a credential on the Army COOL website. *Does not have to be related to MOS. *Can use both FTA and CA however, the combined usage shall not exceed \$4,000 per FY. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Credentials will strengthen marketable skills for civilian employment and/or promotion. *Provides funding for any credential listed on Army Cool at: https://www.cool.osd.mil/army