

## **II. The Minuteman Scholarship**

### **ADMINISTRATION**

The Minuteman Scholarship Program is administered by the Texas Army National Guard ROTC/SMP Program.

### **PURPOSE/INTENT**

Encourage Cadets to serve as a Commissioned Officer in the Texas Army National Guard in a drilling status for eight years after graduation.

### **ELIGIBILITY**

Minuteman scholarship Cadets must participate in the Simultaneous Membership Program (SMP) while attending college and will receive pay for attending drill one weekend per month and a two-week annual training in local Guard unit.

\*\*\*Applications for the Minuteman Scholarship require a nomination memo from the Texas Adjutant General (TAG) or any Civilian Aid to the Secretary of the Army (CASA).

### **REQUIREMENTS**

- Be a U.S. Citizen or U.S. National
- Be accepted into a college/university with an ROTC program
- Have a cumulative 2.5 GPA and maintain a 2.0 GPA
- Be a full-time student
- Complete the ROTC Basic Course requirements or Basic Combat Training
- Between the ages of 17-28
- Willing to participate in the Simultaneous Membership Program (SMP)

### **SCHOLARSHIP AMOUNT**

- Offers a room and board flat rate of \$10,000 per year, covering up to four years of benefits
- \$1,200 for book allowance
- \$420-monthly stipend for 10 months of the academic year

### **FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO APPLY:**

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