

Express Scholarship Program



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OVERVIEW

The Express Scholarship is designed to meet Air Force ROTC officer production requirements in specific fields and year groups. The list of approved fields and year groups varies from time to time and may change at any time without notice.

This program awards Type 2* scholarships and an annual textbook allowance†.

The Express Scholarship program is operated on a fully-qualified basis. Those who meet the qualifications are awarded the scholarship and do not meet a scholarship selection board. The processing of the scholarship is completed at the local detachment.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

To be eligible to apply for an Express Scholarship, an applicant must:

- Be a United States citizen
- Pass the Air Force Officer Qualifying Test
- Pass the AFROTC Physical Fitness Test
- Have at least a 2.5 cumulative college GPA
- Not already be a contracted cadet
- Meet the age, moral, medical and other scholarship eligibility requirements for Air Force ROTC
- Be majoring in one of the majors currently eligible for an express scholarship

ELIGIBLE MAJORS AND YEAR GROUPS

The list of eligible majors for each year group changes as needed to meet Air Force officer production requirements. See your local detachment for the current list. Currently Express Scholarships are being offered in the following majors:

- Students graduating in FY10
 - Foreign Languages - Arabic, Azerbaijani, Bengali, Cambodian, Chinese, Hausa, Hindi, Indonesian, Japanese, Kasakh, Kurdish, Malay, Pashtu, Persian-Iranian/Persian-Afghan, Russian, Serbo-Croatian, Swahili, Thai, Turkish, Uighur, Urdu/Punjabi, Uzbek, Vietnamese
 - Nursing[‡]
 - Engineering: Computer, Electrical and Environmental
- Students graduating in FY11
 - Foreign Languages – same as above
 - Engineering: Computer and Electrical

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

All Air Force ROTC scholarship recipients receive a nontaxable monthly stipend ranging from \$300 - \$500 and an annual textbook allowance of \$900.

NOTE: Please contact your nearest AFROTC Detachment for program availability.

* Tuition capped at \$15,000 per year
† See AFROTC detachment for details

‡ The cadet must be accepted into an accredited nursing program