Virginia Tech Army ROTC
Campus Based Scholarship Factsheet
For current college students, School Year 2018-2019

The Army is looking for the Scholar, Athlete, Leader (i.e. well-rounded student)

Scholarship Process:

- Complete a Virginia Tech Army ROTC Scholarship Application Form*
- Submit a copy of your signed Planned Academic Worksheet (Form 104-R)**
  Use your major’s check sheet to help you fill out the 104-R:
- Take and pass the Army Physical Fitness Test (2 minutes of sit-ups, 2 minutes of pushups, and a 2 mile run). This test will be offered/conducted several times each semester.
- Minimum College GPA 2.5 to apply (winner averages: 3.6 cumulative GPA for 3 and a half year scholarship winners, 3.3 GPA for 3 year scholarship winners, 3.0 GPA for 2 year winners)
- Start the DODMERB Medical Review Process through the ROTC department.

Scholarship Benefits

- Full Tuition & Fees (In or Out of State rates!) OR Room and Board (not both)
- ~ $400 Monthly Stipend during the school year.
- $1200 per year for Books
- Free Army Uniforms & Training Equipment
- If attending a Senior Military College, you will receive a stipend for Corps uniform fees (ALL Cadets in good standing, scholarship or non-scholarship)
- Engineer Majors can get up to an extra year of benefits (requires additional service obligation equal to the period of the extension of benefits).

Service Obligation

Upon graduation/commissioning, serve fulltime on Active Duty (for a minimum of four years) or part-time in the National Guard or US Army Reserves (one weekend per month for Drill Weekends, plus two weeks per year for Annual Training for a minimum of eight years).

*Available, from your Army ROTC Military Science Instructor, or from the Army ROTC Recruiting Operations Officer (dmallet@vt.edu or 540-231-4804)
Virginia Tech/RU Army ROTC Scholarship Application Checklist

ALL:

___Submit VT/RU Scholarship Application Form

DoDMERB: (select one as applicable)

___ DoDMERB qualified (DoDMERB must be less than two years old to be valid)

___ Initiated new DoDMERB (if you never started one, or if your DoDMERB has expired)

___ DoDMERB initiated, but waiver or remedials are required. Must be actively pursuing waiver/remedials.

___ If already MEPS qualified from the Guard or Reserves, you must submit a copy of your MEPS Physical (DD Forms 2807-1 and 2808). MEPS physical must be less than two years old to be valid.

___ If DoDMERB qualified through Navy or Air Force ROTC or any Service Academy application, you must complete a Present Health Questionnaire to transfer your DoDMERB to Army ROTC.

___Submit signed current semester’s 104-R Academic Plan** on the SEP 2013 version of the form:

___ Page 2 signed by Academic Advisor

___ Page 2 AND 3 Signed by Cadet

___ Page 3 signed by ROTC Instructor

___Submit High School Transcripts (if not already on file with ROTC; unofficial copies are acceptable)

___Submit SAT or ACT scores (if not already on file with ROTC; screen shots or unofficial copies are acceptable)

As applicable:

___Transfer students must also submit copy of previous college transcripts (unofficial copies are acceptable)

___ If currently enlisted in the Guard or Reserves and competing for an active duty scholarship, complete Section 1 (parts 1-3) of the DD Form 368 Conditional Release and return to Mrs. Mallet. (The form is NOT necessary for those competing for Guaranteed Reserve Force Duty, GRFD, scholarships). Need to start working this at the same time as the initial scholarship application. This release form is only "conditional", i.e. IF you get a scholarship, then you will be released from the Guard or Reserves.

If applying for GRFD scholarship, Contact Mrs. Mallet to get started on forms required for a Simultaneous Membership Program (SMP) agreement. Cadets with GRFD scholarships are required to drill with a Guard or Reserve unit while in college.

___ NGB Form 594-1 if applying for National Guard GRFD Scholarship

___DA Form 4824 and Letter of Acceptance (LOA) if applying for a US Army Reserve GRFD Scholarship.

Verify that each form is signed as necessary by the: ____PMS ____Cadet, ____ and Guard or Reserve Unit.