



# THE U.S. ARMY NATIONAL GUARD GFRD SCHOLARSHIP 2023-2024 CAMPAIGN

The Minuteman Campaign is a US Cadet Command initiative to offer Guaranteed Reserve Forces Duty (GRFD) Scholarships to candidates that self-select for service in a National Guard or Reserve Component.

## SCHOLARSHIP OVERVIEW

- The GFRD campaign awards 2-, 2.5-, 3-, 3.5-, 4-year scholarships.
- Public, Non-resident or private schools authorized.
- Will be academically aligned to start and end the scholarship by graduation date and commission.
- Graduate degrees eligible.
- All scholarships are based on available funding.
- Current Guard and Reserve members are eligible

## How to Apply:

- Meet all scholarship qualifications/ requirements
- Seek a nomination and interview with the Professor of Military Science (PMS)
- Contact Captain Brent Welch to start the process

## BENEFITS

- Covers full tuition and fees OR room and board (\$10,000 per year)
- Monthly \$420 Cadet stipend (freshmen-senior year)
- Annual \$1,200 book stipend
- Earn E-5 drill pay upon contracting
- Guaranteed commission in the Oklahoma National Guard with an eight-year service obligation

## Contact:

- Captain Brent Welch: 405-496-9655 or [welch29@nsuok.edu](mailto:welch29@nsuok.edu)
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## REQUIREMENTS

- Minimum test scores: SAT = 850 or ACT = 19 or GT = 110
- 2.5 Cumulative GPA
- Official college/university acceptance letter
- Currently Enlisted or eligible to enlist
- Must be a U.S. citizen or U.S. National
- Meet physical fitness requirements
- Between age of 17-28
- GRFD MM scholarship recipients cannot compete for active duty
- Eligible to participate in the Simultaneous Membership Program (SMP) with a National Guard unit of your choice.

## APPLICATION DEADLINE

4 August 2023



More information at [www.nationalguard.com/tools/guard-scholarships](http://www.nationalguard.com/tools/guard-scholarships)