

Early Commissioning Program Scholarship Summary Sheet



The Early Commissioning Program (ECP) is tailored for those individuals who wish to earn their commission in two years. In order to be eligible you must complete one of the following: the U.S. Army Cadet Command Leader's Training Course** (LTC) or Army Basic Combat Training. Applicants who meet this criterion as well as the eligibility requirements below are able to compete for the Military Junior College (MJC) Scholarship. Recipients of the MJC scholarship must also simultaneously serve in the National Guard or Army Reserve during their time as Cadets. In the ECP, once you complete your Associate's Degree and earn your commission at Wentworth, you have 36 months to finish your Bachelor's Degree at a follow-on, four-year school. During that time you will serve as an officer in the National Guard or Army Reserve.

Minimum Eligibility Requirements:

- Be of good moral character
- 2.5 GPA (4.0 scale)
- 19 ACT / 920 SAT (Reading/Math only)
- Be a U.S. Citizen (birth or naturalized)
- Pass Army Physical Exam (DoDMERB)
- High School Graduate or equivalent
- Pass Army Physical Fitness Test in first semester
- Meet Army height/weight standards in first semester
- Complete the program before turning 31 years of age

Scholarship Benefits:

- \$450 monthly stipend first year
- \$500 monthly stipend second year
- Tuition & Fees -OR- Room & Board
- \$600 per semester for books
- \$1500 Uniform allowance
- Ike Skelton Scholarship available for four semesters of Tuition –OR- Room & Board at your follow-on school while completing your Bachelor's Degree

PERFORMANCE NEEDED TO MAINTAIN SCHOLARSHIP

- Maintain a 2.0 semester GPA and cumulative GPA throughout your time as a Cadet
- Continue to pass the Army Physical Fitness Test and Army height/weight standards
- Maintain a satisfactory disciplinary record and satisfactory military performance
- Stay academically aligned to earn Associate of Arts/Science and commission as a Second Lieutenant (2LT) at Wentworth

MILITARY SCIENCE PROGRAM

- Military Science Level (MSL) 3 Small unit leadership, tactics, physical fitness and the Leader Development and Assessment Course (LDAC)--32 days of advanced leadership and tactics at Joint Base Lewis-McChord in Washington state during the summer before your MSL4 year.
- MSL 4 Command and staff functions, planning and conducting tactical operations, advanced leadership studies and commissioning as a Second Lieutenant in the U.S. Army
- Additional summer training opportunities include Airborne, Air Assault, and Mountain Warfare schools as well as Cadet Troop Leader Training where Cadets serve in an active duty U.S. Army unit as a Platoon Leader for 4 weeks.
- Once commissioned as a 2LT you will actively serve with the National Guard or U.S. Army reserve while completing your Bachelor's Degree

**Qualified applicants are invited by Wentworth's ROTC Professor of Military Science to attend LTC prior to the first college semester. LTC is a 28 day training event held during the summer months at Fort Knox, Kentucky. It is designed to teach those without military experience the fundamentals of Army leadership. The Leader's Training Course IS NOT Army Basic Combat Training.