

North Georgia College & State University
Military Scholarship Application
(Georgia Military Scholarship)
2012-2013

General Information

Thirty-nine high school seniors will be selected to receive this scholarship, three from each of the thirteen U.S. Congressional Districts in Georgia. This merit-based, competitive scholarship provides full assistance for four years of study at North Georgia College & State University (NGCSU). Recipients are selected by a committee and recipients agree to serve as soldiers in the Georgia Army National Guard while in the Corps of Cadets at NGCSU. Upon graduation, recipients accept commissions as second lieutenants and serve not less than four additional years in the Georgia Army National Guard. If a recipient fails to meet the service obligation, the scholarship becomes a loan, which must be repaid in cash, with interest, within five years.

Eligibility Requirements

1. You must have at least a 3.0 cumulative high school grade point average, and score 920 combined on the SAT with a minimum of 480 on critical reading and 440 on math, or combined 20 on the ACT with a 20 in English and 18 in math.
2. You must qualify for Regular admission to North Georgia College and State University.
3. You must be nominated by a member of the Georgia General Assembly whose district is within the U.S. Congressional District in which you live.
4. You must be a current legal resident of Georgia and must have maintained that status for the previous twelve months prior to the semester for which the award is to be used.
5. You must meet mental and physical health standards required for enlistment in the Georgia Army National Guard.

Maintaining Eligibility

Recipients must maintain eligibility for the scholarship during their four years at NGCSU by:

1. Maintaining full-time enrollment status.
2. Maintaining required academic standards.
3. Participating fully in the ROTC program.
4. Maintaining membership in the Georgia Army National Guard.
5. Demonstrating qualities required of an officer.

Application Procedure

IMPORTANT – Your completed scholarship application and all supporting documents must be received by North Georgia College & State University by March 10, 2012, in order to be considered.

To apply: STEP 1 – Answer all questions in Part A of this application.

STEP 2 – Write an essay in Part B of this application.

STEP 3 – Attach a full-length photograph of yourself, in formal dress, to this application.

STEP 4 – Attach a letter of recommendation from an administrative official at your high school.

STEP 5 – Forward the application to a member of the Georgia General Assembly who represents you to have Part C completed. Locate your local official at legis.state.ga.us

STEP 6 – Mail completed application to:

North Georgia College & State University
Cadet Recruitment Center - Attn: GMS
82 College Circle
Dahlonega, GA 30597

STEP 7 – Attend an interview session at NGCSU, if requested by the Selection Committee.

STEP 8 – Apply for admission online at www.northgeorgia.edu/cadetapply and be accepted for regular admission.

PART A: To be Completed by the Applicant (Please write legibly)

1. Last Name			First Name		Middle Name		2. Cell Phone Number	
3. Street Address			City		County		State ZIP Code	
4. Area Code & Home Telephone			5. Birthdate		6. Sex (check one) <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F		7. Race: (optional) <input type="checkbox"/> African American <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Native American <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Multiracial <input type="checkbox"/> White	
8. Height	9. Weight	10. Marital Status	11. Citizenship Status (Check one) <input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Citizen <input type="checkbox"/> Permanent Resident Alien <input type="checkbox"/> Other			12. Dates you have lived in Georgia: From _____ To _____		
13. Have you registered with the Selective Service? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If you answered "No," please explain.						14. Email Address:		
15. Year of High School Graduation		16. High School Grade Point Average (4 point scale)		17. SAT/ACT Score		18. Name of High School		
19. High School Address			City		State		ZIP Code 20. High School Area Code & Telephone Number	
21. Colleges you have attended and dates								
22. Are you currently a member of the Georgia Army National Guard? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			23. Are you presently charged with or have you ever been convicted of the commission of a felony? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			24. Have you ever been suspended from school for disciplinary reasons? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
25. Extracurricular activities (include athletic and non-athletic activities, awards, leadership roles, and work experience) Attach an additional sheet if more space is needed.								
26. Proposed Academic Major								
27. Name of Father (or Guardian)			Address		City		State Zip Code 28. Dates lived in Georgia: From _____ To _____	
29. Name of Mother (or Guardian)			Address		City		State Zip Code 30. Dates lived in Georgia: From _____ To _____	
31. Is either of your parents (guardians) on active duty as a member of the armed forces? If your answer is "No," please go to Item 33. Father <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Mother <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No					32. If "Yes," enter your parent's (guardian's) home state of record as currently shown on military records.			
References:								
33. High School Teacher			Address		City		State Zip Code 34. Area Code & Telephone Number (at school)	
35. High School Counselor			Address		City		State Zip Code 36. Area Code & Telephone Number (at school)	
37. Other Reference			Address		City		State Zip Code 38. Area Code & Telephone Number	
The foregoing information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that if I am awarded this scholarship, I must enlist in the Georgia Army National Guard.								
39. <u> X </u> Applicant's Signature						Date Signed		

PART B: To be Completed by the Applicant

In the space below, please write a short essay stating why you believe you are deserving of the North Georgia College & State University Military Scholarship and discuss your educational and career goals.

PART C: To be Completed by the Nominating Legislator

I do hereby nominate _____ for the North Georgia College & State University Military Scholarship.

COMMENTS:

Legislator's Name (Please print)

Legislator's Signature

Date

U.S. Congressional District(s)

Address

North Georgia College & State University
"The Military College of Georgia"

North Georgia College & State University is a leadership institution grounded in the traditions, history, and values of liberal education. North Georgia is...

located in the beautiful and picturesque Blue Ridge Mountains of northeast Georgia. North Georgia offers a safe and affordable, yet challenging academic environment with high standards for student achievement. Our renowned Corps of Cadets, comprising about 15% of the total undergraduate population, provides a rich character that is reflected throughout the university. We are committed to personalized education in a supportive, intimate, and caring environment. We cultivate a community of positive, friendly interpersonal relationships between students, and among students, faculty and staff. As citizens of the community, we model the values we espouse: courage, integrity, loyalty, respect, service, truth and wisdom.

Helpful Resources

Mr. Keith Antonia Director of Cadet Admissions 706-867-2712

Mrs. Jill Rayner Director of Financial Aid 706-864-1688