

University of North Georgia
Military Scholarship Application
(Georgia Military Scholarship)
2018-2019

General Information

Forty-two high school seniors will be selected to receive this scholarship, three from each of the 14 U.S. Congressional Districts in Georgia. This merit-based, competitive scholarship provides full assistance for four years of study at University of North Georgia (UNG). Recipients are selected by a committee and agree to serve as soldiers in the Georgia Army National Guard while in the Corps of Cadets at UNG. Upon graduation, recipients accept commission as second lieutenants and serve no 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. If your GPA is above 3.5, you may qualify with lower test scores.
2. You must qualify for regular admission to UNG Bachelor's Degree program.
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 medical, emotional and physical health standards required for enlistment in the Georgia Army National Guard prior to August 1.

Maintaining Eligibility

You must maintain eligibility for the scholarship during your four years at UNG 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 scholarship application and all supporting documents must be received by University of North Georgia by February 1, 2018, in order to be considered.

- STEP 1 – Answer all questions in Part A of this application. Do not skip any fields.
- STEP 2 – Write an essay in Part B of this application. Essay should be one page or less, typed or handwritten.
- 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 on official school letterhead.
- 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:

University of North Georgia
Cadet Admissions
GMS 82 College Circle
Dahlonega, GA 30597

- STEP 7 - Attend an interview session at UNG, if requested by the Selection Committee.
- STEP 8 - Apply for admission online at <http://ung.edu/cadetapply> and be accepted for regular admission

NOTE: For more details on the application process, go to www.ung.edu/cadet/gms-steps.

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

1. Last Name (Please Print)		First Name		Middle Name		2. Primary Phone Number	
3. Street Address		City		County		State ZIP Code	
4. Area Code & Home Telephone		5. Birthdate		6. Sex <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F		7. Height	
						8. Weight	
						9. Marital Status	
10. U.S. Citizenship Status <input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Citizen <input type="checkbox"/> Permanent Resident Alien <input type="checkbox"/> Other		11. Dates you have lived in Georgia From _____ To _____					
12. If you are male, have you registered with the Selective Service? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If you answered "No", please explain.						13. Email Address:	
14. Year of High School Graduation		15. High School Grade Point Average (4 point scale)		16. SAT/ACT Score Math: _____ Reading/English: _____		17. Name of High School	
18. High School Address						19. High School Area Code & Telephone Number	
20. Colleges you have attended and dates							
21. Are you currently a member of the Georgia Army National Guard? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		22. Have you ever been charged with or have you ever been convicted of the commission of a felony? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			23. Have you ever been suspended from school for disciplinary reasons? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
24. Extracurricular activities (include athletic and non-athletic activities, awards, leadership roles, and work experience)							
25. Proposed Academic Major							
26. Name of Parent 1 (or Guardian)		Address		City		State Zip Code	
						27. Dates Lived in Georgia: From _____ To _____	
28. Name of Parent 2 (or Guardian)		Address		City		State Zip Code	
						29. Dates Lived in Georgia: From _____ To _____	
30. Are either of your parents (guardians) on active duty as a member of the armed forces? If your answer is "No", please go to Item 32. Parent 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Parent 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No				31. If "Yes", enter your parent's (guardian's) home state of record as currently shown on military records.			
References: Completely fill in all blanks							
32. High School Teacher		Address		City		State Zip Code	
						33. Area Code & Telephone Number	
34. High School Counselor		Address		City		State Zip Code	
						35. Area Code & Telephone Number	
36. Other Reference		Address		City		State Zip Code	
						37. 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.

Applicant Signature

Date Signed

PART B: To be Completed by the Applicant

In the space below, write a short essay stating why you deserve the University of North Georgia Military Scholarship and discuss your educational and career goals.

PART C: To be Completed by the Nominating Legislator

I do hereby nominate _____ for the University of North Georgia Military Scholarship.

COMMENTS

Legislator's Name (Please print)

Legislator's Signature

Date

U.S. Congressional District in which your Georgia State District is located

Address

University of North Georgia
"The Military College of Georgia"

University of North Georgia is a leadership institution grounded in the traditions, history, and values of liberal education. UNG 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 5% 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 among students, faculty and staff. As citizens of the community, we model the values we espouse: courage, integrity, loyalty, respect, service, truth, and wisdom.

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