AIR FORCE JUNIOR RESERVE OFFICER TRAINING CORPS







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PURPOSE

To provide NC Senate Committee on Public Education background, program costs, benefits and current status of AF Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (AFJROTC) programs in NC



OVERVIEW

- Background
 - Beginnings
 - Mission
 - Scope Of AFJROTC Program
 - Curriculum
- Program Costs
 - Military Services
 - School
 - Student



OVERVIEW

- Benefits What We Do
 - Students
 - School
 - Community
- Results Cadets in Action
- Accreditation and Links



BACKGROUND

- 1911 Founded by US Army
- 1916 National Defense Act -Formally Established JROTC
- 1964 ROTC Vitalization Act
 - All Services Directed to Establish Program
 - AF: 20 Units by 1966
- 1972 Female Cadets Allowed to Enroll
- 1991 Congress Authorized AFJROTC Expansion (609 units)
- 1999 Authorized Further AFJROTC Growth to 945 by '07



BACKGROUND

Title 10 USC § 2031

"(The) purpose...is to instill in students in United States secondary educational institutions the value of citizenship, service to the United States, personal responsibility, and a sense of accomplishment."

CONGRESS MANDATES EACH SERVICE TO MAINTAIN JUNIOR ROTC



BACKGROUND

AFJROTC MISSION

To Develop Citizens of Character Dedicated to Serving Their Nation and Community

CADET HONOR CODE

I Will Not Lie, Cheat or Steal, Nor Tolerate Those Who Do

AF CORE VALUES

Integrity First, Service Before Self and Excellence in All We Do

To Build Better Citizens for America



OBJECTIVES

- Promote Patriotism
- Develop Informed and Responsible Citizens
- Develop Respect for Authority
- Develop Personal Honor, Self-reliance, and Self-discipline
- Introduce Basic Elements and Need for National Security
- Provide Information on Military Services as Career Option
- Promote Community Service
- Develop Leadership Potential
- Provide Alternative to Gangs
- Promote High School Completion
- Promote Healthful and Drug Free Lifestyle



OBJECTIVES

- Appreciation of basic elements & requirements for national security.
- Respect for and understanding of need for constituted authority in a democratic society.
- Patriotism and understanding of personal obligation to contribute to national security.
- Habits of orderliness and precision.
- High degree of personal honor, self-reliance, and leadership.
- Broad-based knowledge of the aerospace age and fundamental aerospace doctrine.
- Basic military skills.
- Knowledge of and appreciation for Air Force traditions.
- Interest in completing high school and pursuing higher educational goals or skills.
- Understanding of AF & military as possible career path.



AFJROTC Scope



- 844 Units
 - •826 CONUS,18 overseas
- 1,875 Instructors
- ~115,000 Students

Typical Unit

- Two Instructors (Retired AF Members - Work for Principal)
 - 1 Officer/1 NCO
- ~140 Students



1,860 Cadets In DOD Dependent / Overseas Schools



AFJROTC UNITS

TX-92	NC-75	FL-69	CA-66	GA-53	SC-40	VA-34	LA-31
TN-27	AZ-23	MD-22	OH-20	PA-18	NJ-18	MO-18	MS-18
NY-17	AL-16	KY-14	OK-14	MA-14	IL-12	WA-12	AR-11
WV-10	MI-9	NV-8	CO-8	DE-7	NM-6	KS-6	UT-5
AK-5	GE-4	PR-4	NH-4	NE-4	HI-4	CT-4	UK-3
MN-3	JA-2	ME-2	VT-2	RI-2	ND-2	IA-2	DC-2
WI-2	NT-1	KO-1	IT-1	GM-1	BE-1	WY-1	SD-1
OR-1	ID-0	MT-0	2007 TOTAL: 844 UNITS				

EUROPE

PACIFIC

PUERTO RICO



NASH/ROCKY MOUNT AFJROTC UNITS

- NC-801 Northern Nash
- NC-933 Rocky Mount
- NC-935 Southern Nash

Enrollment	AFJROTC	School	%
NC-801	145	1387	10.4
NC-933	133	1263	10.5
NC-935	118	1293	9.1



STATUS OF PROGRAMS

- 153 Applicants for AFJROTC Units
 - NC at 325% of Target Authorization
 - Highest Priority for New NC Unit #66
 - Nash Central was #106 on Priority List
- Nash Central to Gain Navy JROTC (July 08)



BACKGROUND AFJROTC CURRICULUM

AS History	Heritage of Flight	Development of Air Power	Toward Military Aerospace	Contemporary Aviation			
Leadership	Heritage, Organization, and Traditions	Individual Self- Control	Citizenship in the United States	Wellness, Health and Fitness			
AS Science	The Aerospace Environment	Human Requirements of Flight Principles of Aircraft Flight		Principles of Navigation			
Leadership	Effective Communication Skills	Understanding Individual Behavior	Understanding Group Behavior	Basic Leadership Concepts			
AS Space	The Space Environment	Space Programs	Space Technology	Manned Spaceflight			
Leadership	Choosing Your Path	The Job Search	Financial Planning	Career Opportunities			
AS Options	1 – Management of Cadet Corps						
	2 – Honors Ground School						
3 – Life After High School		l: Choosing a Career	Lab Manual	Survival			
			Geography	Policy and Organization			
Leadership	Management Techniques	Management Decisions	Management Functions	Managing Yourself and Others			

Academic Studies Character Education Life Skills Education



BACKGROUND Graduation Requirement

- AFJROTC is Not a Graduation Requirement
 - Except for Students in Career Prep Course of Study Pursuing Concentration in JROTC
- Otherwise JROTC Serves as Elective Credit
- Some School Districts Grant Science Credit for JROTC



PROGRAM COST

- Military Services (AF/Army/Navy)
 - Instructional Materials
 - Textbooks, Computers, DVD Players, etc.
 - Uniforms
 - Reimbursement for Orientation Trips
 - Operating Expenses (As Authorized)
 - Instructor Salary Reimbursement
 - One Half Minimum Instructor Pay
 - Instructor Certification/Recertification
 - Cost per Student \$674 in FY06 Dod Budget Report



PROGRAM COST

School

- Infrastructure (Classroom, Drill Pad, Storage)
- Administrative Support
- Instructor Salary (Less ½ Minimum Instructor Pay) and Benefits

• Student

- A Positive Attitude Towards JROTC



- Student
 - Advanced Enlistment
 - 2 Years of JROTC = E-2 After Training
 - 3 Years of JROTC = E-3 After Training
 - Currently, Marines Max at E-2
 - Air Force ROTC
 - Scholarship Board Emphasis for AFJROTC Cadets
 - 3 Years of JROTC = 1 Year of ROTC College Credit
 - Academy Appointments for HS & College Cadets
 - 20 Set-Aside per Academy (AF, Army and Navy)



- Student (Continued)
 - Exposure to Jobs in Aerospace and AF
 - Co-Curricular Activities Leadership **Development Opportunities**
 - Earn Rank
 - Earn Awards
 - Earn Respect
 - Learn to Lead
 - Learn Responsibility





Get Public Recognition – Raise Self-esteem



- What We Do Connect with Students
 - Color Guard
 - Kitty Hawk Air Society
 - JROTC Academic Honor Society
 - Model Rocketry & Radio Controlled Aircraft Clubs
 - Cadet Flight Program
 - Incentive Flights in Civilian Aircraft for Top Cadets
 - Competitive Teams:
 - Drill
 - Air Rifle
 - Orienteering
 - Raiders
 - Unit Athletics and Field Days



- What We Do \Longrightarrow Connect with Students
 - Military Ball
 - Honors Ground School
 - Prepares Cadets for FAA Written Exam
 - Field Trips to Military Installations
 - Awareness Presentation Teams
 - Anti Drug & Alcohol
 - Stay in School
 - Conflict Resolution
 - AFJROTC Recruiting Trips



- What We Do \(\subseteq \) Connect with Students
 - Aerospace Technology & Honors Camp
 - One Week During Summer
 - Introduces High-achievers to Aerospace & Technical Careers (Air Force and Civilian)
 - 10 Camps at 5 Locations
 - GA Tech, U of OK, Wright State, U of NM, and AZ State
 - No Cost to Student Travel, Meals, Lodging



- What We Do \(\subseteq \) Connect with Students
 - Summer Leadership School (SLS)
 - Week-long Camps Held During Summer
 - Not A Boot Camp
 - Teaches Team Building
 - Instills Self-confidence
 - Cadet Corps Leadership Training
 - No Cost to Student
- AFJROTC is a Place For Students to Belong/Identify
 - Lots of Activities to Choose From



- School
 - Color Guard Team Spirit
 - Lower Drop-out Rate Than Rest of School
 - JROTC Students Generally Better Behaved
 - Instructors Available to Counsel Cadets

"AFJROTC is the Single Most Significant Program Preventing Student Dropout in the School District"

Dr Ashley Hinson, Superintendent Surry County Schools



- Community
 - Parades and Nonpolitical Activities
 - Food Drives/Treats for Troops/Toys for Tots
 - Charitable Activities
 - Habitat For Humanity
 - Special Projects
 - Adopt a Highway/Community Cleanups
 - Visits to VA Hospitals/Nursing Homes



- Community
 - Veterans Day Ceremony
 - Escorts for Special Events
 - Directing Traffic for Local Events
 - Bell Ringing for Salvation Army
 - Color Guard for Special Occasions
 - Reading Mentors
 - Special Olympics





CADETS IN ACTION













CADETS IN ACTION



















AFJROTC



BUILDING BETTER CITIZENS FOR AMERICA









AFJROTC Accredited by Commission on International & Trans-Regional Accreditation (CITA) &

Southern Association of Colleges and Schools



Links

http://www.maxwell.af.mil/au/afoats/AFJROTC/

https://www.njrotc.navy.mil/index.cfm

https://www.usarmyjrotc.com/



QUESTIONS?