## FINANCIAL AID AND GRANTS

# SAVE Money!



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### TYPES OF AID AVAILABLE

#### GOVERNMENT FINANCIAL AID

- Reserve Officers' Training Corps (ROTC)
- Department of Veterans Affairs (VA)
- Federal Student Aid

#### GRANTS

- Federal Pell Grants
- Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grants (FSEOG)
- Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grants
- Iraq and Afghanistan Service Grants
- https://studentaid.gov/understand-aid/types/grants/iraqafghanistan-service

#### LOANS

- If you apply for financial aid, your school will likely include student loans as part of your financial aid package. Generally, there are two types of student loans—federal and private
- Federal student loans and federal parent loans: These loans are funded by the federal government
- Private student loans: These loans are nonfederal loans, made by a lender such as a bank, credit union, state agency, or a school
- https://studentaid.gov/understand-aid/types/loans

#### WORK STUDY

- Available to students with financial need who are pursing undergraduate, graduate, and professional degrees
- Available to full-time or part-time students
- Administered by schools participating in the Federal Work-Study Program. Check with your school's financial aid office to find out if your school participates
- https://studentaid.gov/understand-aid/types/work-study

## HOW DO I APPLY?

- For ROTC, contact the ROTC POC for your school or the Officer Strength Manager in your state
- For VA benefits go to: https://www.va.gov/education/
- For Federal Aid, complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) available at: https://studentaid.gov/h/ apply-for-aid/fafsa
- Colleges usually use the FASFA to determine your eligibility for additional state funded financial aid available to you. Check with your college financial aid office for more information.

## FOR MORE INFORMATION:

- Contact the Education Support Center: 866-ARNGEDU (276-4338)
- Visit us online: www.nationalguard.com/education
- Contact your State Education Services Office: https://ut.ng.mil/resources/service-member-support/education services



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