KANSAS NATIONAL GUARD EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

This assistance program is available to students enrolled full-time or part-time at accredited independent colleges and universities located in Kansas and Kansas public postsecondary institutions: the six state universities, Washburn University, community colleges and technical colleges.

Program Description

This program provides a percentage of tuition and fees up to a maximum rate charged by state educational institutions for enrollment. The percentage is determined by the number of eligible students and available appropriations. Students may be pursuing a certificate, diploma or degree program and must be current members of a Kansas Air/Army National Guard unit. Full-time enrollment is not required.

An applicant must meet the following eligibility requirements:

- Current member of the Kansas National Guard and in good standing
- After last semester of assistance, will serve at least 24 months in Kansas National Guard
- Student must have GED or high school diploma
- Enrolled in a Kansas educational institution and maintain a 2.0 GPA
- Not already have obtained a bachelor’s degree
- Must have FAFSA on file at institution
- Must apply for Federal Tuition Assistance, if applicable
- Will pay up to 15 credit hours per semester of assistance
- Must submit transcript to National Guard unit at the end of each semester

Recipients of this scholarship:

◊ shall remain in good standing at the Kansas educational institution where they are enrolled, and
◊ make satisfactory progress toward the completion of the requirements of the educational program in which enrolled.

Award Amount

The award amount is a variable subject to a number of factors including the:

- funds available;
- number of eligible applicants; and
- the student’s federal tuition assistance.

◆ If a recipient is unable to fulfill the service obligation they are responsible for repaying the Kansas Board of Regents the amount of the scholarship that they received.