What is Army ROTC?

- University level training in leadership, service, national security, fitness, & adventure
- 278 ROTC host programs nation-wide; the ROTC program develops 73% of Army Officers
- All instruction & mentoring by Army Officers or NCO
- Upon graduation, students become Army Officers & advance to technical studies in a specialty career field
Aztec Battalion

Bravo Company

Charlie Company

Delta Company
Aztec Army ROTC Overview

**General Information:**

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**Aztec AOR**

- SDSU
- CSUSM
- USD
- PLNU
- MCAS Miramar
- Admiral Baker Reserve Center
- 79th IBCT CAARNG
- US Navy SEAL Training Base

**Battalion Leadership**

- **PMS:** LTC Scot R. Hodgdon, Arrival: Jun 15
- **SMI:** MSG Julio C. Armas, Arrival: Oct 14
# Aztec Program Cadet Overview

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* Cadets attending Community Colleges

*Current as of MAY 2016*
Who We Are

**Cadet Demographics**
- Caucasian: 47%
- Asian/Pacific Islander: 17%
- Hispanic: 6%
- African American: 26%
- Other: 3%
- Native American: 1%

Source: CCIMS 29 June 2015

**Academic Disciplines**
- Generalist (80)
- Tech Management (6)
- Physical Science (20)
- Engineering (17)
- Nursing (6)

STEM Majors: 49

**TOTAL CADETS: 129**

Source: CCIMS Battalion Commissioning Forecast System – SDSU Aztec Battalion 12 May 2015
Who We Are Looking For

Scholars
Athletes
Leaders
Mentally and physically tough
Motivated
Aztec Army ROTC Benefits

Opportunities

- Physical Training
- Classroom Instruction
- Field Training
- Part of a TEAM
- ROTC Dorms

Monthly Benefits

- Freshman - $300
- Sophomore - $350
- Junior - $450
- Senior - $500
# AZTEC Army ROTC Battle Rhythm

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*Current as of AUGUST 2016*
Semesters of Fun and Excitement

Challenging and Rewarding Training
- Infantry Tactics
- Rappelling
- M4 Familiarization
- Land Navigation
- Obstacle Courses
- Color Guard
- Ranger Challenge Club

All photos available at facebook.com/SDArmyROTC
### Aztec Army ROTC Semester Road Map

#### Fall 2016

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**Spring 2017**

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**05AUG16**
2016 Aztec Army ROTC Highlights

Lab 2: Drill & Ceremonies

Colorguard for SDSU Game

9/11 Ceremony

Lab 3: CWST

Lab 4: LRC Ropes Course

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2016 Aztec Highlights

Miramar Air Show
Lab 5: Orienteering
Lab 6: Rappelling

Ranger Challenge
Lab 7: Survival
Lab 8: VBS

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2016 Highlights

March-On

Dining-Out

Fall 2015 LDX

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2016 Aztec Highlights

Commissioning Ceremony Spring 2016

05AUG16

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Summer Training

Premier Schools and Programs

- Airborne School
- Air Assault School
- Northern Warfare Training
- Cadet Troop Leader Training (CTLT)
- Nurse Summer Training Program (NSTP)
- Project GO (Global Officer)
- Cultural Understanding Language Program (CULP)
Officer Level of Responsibility
(First 18-24 Months)

Platoon Leader (2LT/1LT)

- Assisted by a Platoon Sergeant and four Squad Leaders
- Lead an organization of up to 50 personnel
- Trusted with equipment valued over 5 million dollars

Entitlements

$49,399 / year
Full Health Care Benefits
30 days paid Vacation per year
COLA and BAS Pay
Housing Allowance
Officer Level of Responsibility

(Within 4 Years)

Company commander (CPT)

-Assisted by a Company First Sergeant, Executive Officer, and four Platoon Leaders
-Commands an organization of up to 250 personnel
-Trustusted with equipment valued at over 60 million dollars

Entitlements

$76,726 / year
Full Health Care Benefits
30 days paid vacation / year
COLA and BAS Pay
Housing Allowance
UCMJ Authority
4-Year Scholarship Selection Considerations

Military Potential
- Athletic Participation
- JROTC Participation
- Physical Fitness
- Program Motivation
- Cadre Evaluation

Personal Factors
- Leadership Participation
- Off Campus Activities
- Character
- Exceptional Achievement
- Technical Interest

Scholarship
- Math/Science Achievements
- Intellectual Motivation
- Personal Statement

Selection Board Evaluation Factors:
- Physical Assess 11%
- CBEF 18%
- Board Points 25%
- SAT/ACT 18%
- PMS Interview 14%
- SAL Points 14%

Quality Index Factors
→ High School Class Rank/GPA (≥ 2.5)
→ SAT (≥ 920) / ACT (≥ 19) Scores
→ PMS Interview

Each year there are 70,000 applicants for a National Scholarship: only 3,000 are accepted
Campus Based Scholarships

- Scholar
  - Campus Academic Honors Designee
  - Cumulative GPA over 3.0 and SAT/ACT over 1100/24 (Freshmen and G2G)
  - Top third of class and either Cumulative GPA over 3.0 or SAT/ACT score above 1100/24 (Freshmen and G2G)
  - In an academic program with the Academic Discipline Mix (ADM) of 3, 4 or 5 IAW CC Reg 145-12 and a cumulative GPA over 2.5

- Athlete
  - Current member of collegiate competitive or intramural team
  - Current member of regional/city/competitive league
  - Either active involvement in organized competitive team sports/unit sports team (G2G) or active involvement in individual athletic competition (triathlon, mountain biking, running, martial arts, etc.)

- Leader
  - Elected member of student government, or student organization
  - Captain of collegiate level athletic or academic team
  - Girl Scout/Eagle Scout/Gold Star
  - Owns/Runs own business or in supervisory position
  - Served in position of responsibility in private club, private organization, or leader in volunteer service organization/activity
Scholarship Eligibility Requirements

Cadet Command Regulation 145-1, 2-4

- Must be between 17 - 31 years old (non negotiable)
- US Citizen
- Minimum 2.5 GPA (high school/college)
- Minimum 3.0 GPA (ROTC courses)
- Meet Height/Weight
- Physically Fit (Pass APFT)
- Pass DODMERB (DOD complete physical)
- No Civil Convictions
## Scholarship Program Winner Profile

### Mission Set 2017

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*College Board data for High School Class of 2013 not yet available*
How to Apply

1. Online application
   - http://www.goarmy.com/rotc/high_school_students.jsp
   - “Take the Next Step: Create An Account”

2. Complete requirements
   - Take SAT/ACT
   - Complete physical fitness test (via website)

3. Set up an interview (done locally at SDSU)
## San Diego Scholarship Recipients

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Aztec Army ROTC
ROTC PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

We are not JUST San Diego State, we are the Aztec Army ROTC Program

Our Partners/Affiliate Schools

Our Enablers

1. Project GO 1 of 27
2. 21 JROTC Programs in AO
3. “Compact for Success” Initiative
4. Nursing at SDSU/CSUSM/PLNU
5. Excellent partnership with local professional organizations and sports teams

Best Practices

1. More emphasis on progression and less on lateral entry
2. Mentorship Program
3. Leader Development – MSIVs plan, prepare, execute, and assess training
4. Incorporates training meetings into curriculum
5. Cadet of the Month, Quarter and Year
Questions