

Citizen Soldier with Illinois Army National Guard

Drill Pay (effective 1 Jan 22)

Most Unit Training Assemblies are scheduled for one weekend a month. (Pay shown for less than 2 years of service)

E1	\$244	E4	\$319
E2	\$273	E5	\$348
E3	\$288	E6	\$379

Monthly Active Duty Pay (effective 1 Jan 22)

Basic Training will be nine weeks long. Your job training (Advanced Individual Training) could be from 4 weeks to 2 years depending on the job (MOS) you enlist for. Soldiers who have dependents may receive additional pay (BAH). (Pay shown for less than 2 years of service)

E1	\$1,833
E2	\$2,054
E3	\$2,160

Annual Training Pay (effective 1 Jan 21)

Most units attend 15 days of annual training each year. Soldiers who have dependents may receive additional pay (BAH).

E2	\$1,207	E5	\$1,305	(Pay shown for less than 2 years of service)
E3	\$1,080	E6	\$1,424	
E4	\$1,196			

Illinois Guard Grant

- 100% college tuition paid to any state school or university
- Pays up to 4 years of state tuition at the school of your choice
- You must complete 1 year of service and be an active Guard member to qualify



Federal Tuition Assistance (TA)

- Available for up to \$4,500 per year in Tuition Assistance and Fees Combined for private schools
- Pays up to \$250.00 per semester hour; \$166 per quarter hour
- Must be a High School Graduate or GED Holder

Montgomery GI Bill for Reserve Components \$407.00 per month (Available to ALL units regardless of MOS)

You'll qualify for Montgomery GI Bill benefits as soon as you finish your Initial Active Duty Training. If you have previous military service, you'll qualify immediately upon enlistment. A six-year enlistment is required. This benefit is Tax Free. Participants must be a High School Graduate or GED Holder.

Simultaneous Membership Program (SMP) for College ROTC

- Combines your service in the Guard and College Reserve Officer Training Corps (ROTC)
- Paid as an E5 in the Army National Guard
- Paid ROTC Stipend **\$420 per month**
- GI Bill and MGIB Kicker ONLY Available to MOSQ'd soldiers
- GI Bill Kicker raised from **\$350 per month**
- Upon completion, commissioned as Second Lieutenant



Various Accelerated Promotion Opportunities (Tell your Recruiter if one of these apply):

- Do you have at least 24 semester hours of College Credit?
- Have you completed at least one year of JROTC or ROTC?
- Have you earned a Boy Scout Eagle Certificate or Girl Scout Gold Award Certificate?
- Interested in our referral program? Get promoted for referring your friends.

Split Option Training Program:

- Splits your Basic Training and Advanced Individual Training (Job Training) into 2 different time periods, usually in the summer months.
- Main reason to use this option is for high school juniors to accelerate their Army National Guard careers.

College Credit for Military Training and MOS

Army National Guard Soldiers can receive college credit for their military training. The American Council on Education is used by colleges in the recommendation for equivalent college credit. Many of these credits

Additional Benefits

- \$400,000 Life Insurance coverage
- Dental Insurance coverage
- VA Home Loans
- Reemployment Rights
- Post Exchange and Commissary privileges
- Space Available Air travel
- Federal Retirement Plan

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