NORTH CAROLINA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD
EDUCATION SERVICES OFFICE (AGESO)

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Montgomery GI Bill (Chapter 1606)

$276.00 per month	12+ semester hours
$207.00 per month	9-11 semester hours
$137.00 per month	6-8 semester hours
$ 69.00 per month	3-5 semester hours

Qualifications:
1) Six-year contract
2) H.S. Diploma or Equivalent
3) Basic Training and AIT

MGIB Kicker

Non-Prior Service	$200 per month
In-Service Recruit (AC)	$200 per month
Current Member (3 years)	$200 per month
OCS/WOCS/SMP	$350 per month
LT w/o Degree	$200 per month

Qualifications:
1) Meet basic MGIB requirements
2) Extend for six years
3) Eligible unit or MOS

NC Tuition Assistance Program (TAP)

$2,000.00 per academic year (1 July – 30 June)
Career Maximum: $8,000.00

Qualifications: Must have at least two years remaining on enlistment at time course ends.

Army National Guard Federal Tuition Assistance (ARNG FTA) (a.k.a. "ACES TA" or "DANTES TA")

Pays 75% of tuition up to $200.0 per academic credit hour.
Maximum: $4,000.00 per fiscal year (1 October – 30 September)
(Rates for AGR Soldiers differ. Must apply through Fort Bragg ESO.)

Qualifications: Must have enough time remaining on enlistment to complete course(s).

Combined usage of monetary benefits:
MGIB, Ch. 1606 can be used with ARNG FTA (½-time student or more) and NC TAP.
MGIB, Ch. 30 can be used with ARNG FTA (if not receiving MGIB Kicker) and NC TAP.
ARNG FTA + NC TAP can not exceed 100% (NC TAP applied first).

Submission Deadlines:

Applications for ALL tuition assistance benefits **must** be received by AGESO no later than the last day of the late registration period during which the funds will be applied.

ALL TUITION ASSISTANCE BENEFITS BASED ON AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS

Examination Programs

(Free to all NC National Guard members)

College Entrance Exams (SAT/ACT)
College Credit Exams (CLEP/DSST)
(CLEP/DSST – Also, free to Spouses.)
Teacher Certification Exams (PRAXIS)
Graduate Entrance Exams (GRE/GMAT)
Certification Exams (ASE/EMT/etc.)
Army Personnel Testing Program (ASVAB/AFAST/TABE)

College Credit for Military Experience

https://aarts.army.mil/