The 2022 Chief of Staff of the Air Force (CSAF) Private Pilot Scholarship Program (AFJROTC Flight Academy) will begin accepting applications on 30 August – 5 November 2021. The Air Force is funding scholarships for AFJROTC cadets to attend private pilot training at public/private universities during the summer of 2022. Instructors "should" nominate and submit applications for all eligible, highly motivated cadets for the AFJROTC Flight Academy Scholarship. Complete packages may be submitted any time during the application window but no later than the suspense date.

Applicants must be current sophomore, junior, or senior AFJROTC cadets (active or reserve status), who understand they are volunteering for a scholarship to a public/private university. There is no military service commitment or obligation, nor does program completion justify acceptance to military service, ROTC scholarship, or military academy appointment. Applicants must be at least 17 years old by 1 July 2022, obtain a minimum fitness assessment score of 50, and have a minimum and maintain a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or better (on a 4.0 scale) to be nominated.

Cadets/instructors must complete an application via WINGS, have parental/legal guardians' signed approval, and have endorsements from the Senior Aerospace Science Instructor (SASI) and school counselor. Cadets must complete an online aviation qualification test (AQT) comprised of five (5) sub-tests of the following: math, table reading, aviation information, instrument comprehension, and weight perception. The AQT testing window will open between **7 Sep – 3 Nov 21.** Cadets can be administered the AQT only once. An AQT practice website has been created at www.aqtpractice.com. Feel free to visit this website and provide the link to interested cadets immediately. They may take this practice test as many times as they wish.

NOTE ¹: The AQT must remain proctored for testing integrity, and instructors will serve as exam proctors. Cadets and instructors must coordinate to schedule the date and time for testing at the school site. The Air Force prohibits at-home testing as a testing site location.

If there are any application questions, please email jrotc.fa@au.af.edu and email all WINGS-related questions to the Help Desk at jrotc.jrs.contractor.support@au.af.edu.

NOTE ²: The Flight Academy Team intends to use the below application/selection timeline; however, please know these dates are subject to change.

The official notification will be distributed on Monday, 30 August 2021, for your review and action. Extensions will not be granted beyond the deadline; immediate action is imperative to ensure cadets' application is submitted accurately.

Below are important Flight Academy dates:

30 Aug 2021 – 5 Nov 2021: Application Window (ALL)

7 Sep 2021 – 3 Nov 2021: Complete Aviation Qualifying Test (AQT)

5 Nov 2021: All Cadet Applications Due

15-19 Nov 2021: Selection board

3 Dec 2021: Notify Select and Alternate Cadets