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ARMY JUNIOR ROTC PROGRAM SY 2025-2026

MISSION

The mission of the Army Junior ROTC program is "TO MOTIVATE YOUNG PEOPLE TO BE BETTER CITIZENS". To accomplish this mission, the program of instruction is designed to develop citizenship and patriotism, self-reliance, responsibility, self-discipline, communicative skills, appreciation for physical fitness, leadership and managerial skills.

PURPOSE

The Junior ROTC program prepares high school students for responsible leadership roles while making them aware of their rights, responsibilities, and privileges as American citizens. This program is a stimulus for promoting graduation from high school and it provides instruction and rewarding opportunities that benefit the school, community and nation.

COURSE EXPECTATIONS

- **Appreciation of the ethical values and principles that underlie good citizenship which include integrity, responsibility, and the respect for constituted authority.**
- **Development of leadership potential with the abilities to live and work cooperatively with others.**
- **Ability to think logically and to communicate effectively both orally and in writing.**
- **Appreciation of the importance of physical fitness and maintaining good health.**
- **Knowledge of the effects and dangers of substance abuse, ways to resist pressures to try drugs and how to help others to avoid them.**
- **Development of management skills including goal setting, visualization, and positive self-talk.**
- **Familiarity with the history and structure of military services.**
- **Knowledge of educational and vocational opportunities and the development of basic skills necessary to work effectively as a member of a military or civilian team.**
- **Understanding of the importance of high school graduation to a successful future.**

JROTC PROGRAM OF INSTRUCTION

The JROTC program is mandated by Public Law and governed by Army Regulation 145-2. The curriculum is reviewed annually, revised as required and published with an instructor's manual, Curriculum Manager, videos test bank, student text and workbook by U.S. Army Cadet Command. There are four primary levels of curriculum Leadership Education and Training (LET) I, II, III, and IV (grades 9-12) with emphasis on processing and applying the information learned. Every block of instruction is followed by "hands-on" activities or application. The seven primary units of instruction are:

- **JROTC FOUNDATIONS**
- **PERSONAL GROWTH AND BEHAVIORS**
- **TEAM BUILDING**
- **DECISION MAKING**
- **HEALTH AND FITNESS**
- **SERVICE LEARNING**
- **CITIZENSHIP AND GOVERNMENT**

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

DRILL TEAM	**COLOR GUARD**	**DRILL MEETS**
PARADES	**ATHLETIC EVENTS**	**RIFLE TEAM**
RAIDER TEAM	**SCHOOL SUPORT**	**VETERANS of FOREIGN WARS (VFW)**
COMMUNITY SERVICE	**BOOK STUDY**	

HONOR RATING/COMMITMENT:

Garinger High School has successfully maintained the highest ratings with the ARMY- HONOR UNIT WITH DISTINCTION. A student must select this elective by PERSONAL CHOICE and not be forced to take the subject. Each cadet is required to sign an agreement contract to this effect.

GRADING

The Cadet's grade is based on the following formula and is in accordance with the CMS Grading Policy

- **Drill/ Physical Training** **20%**
- **Classroom Instruction** **20%**
- **Evaluations** **30%**
- **Performance Evaluations** **50%**
- **Leadership and Discipline** **50**

CLASSROOM RULES

- **Cadets must be in the door when the bell rings or they will report to lockout.**
- **Respect your fellow Students and their personal space.**
- **No eating in the class.**
- **NO Cell phones (Unless authorized by instructor), hoodies, air pods/ear buds, sunglasses, or caps in class.**
- **Do not leave your desk without permission.**
- **If you have any questions, raise your hand.**
- **The class will not be dismissed until the tables and chairs are properly aligned, materials stored, and area clean.**

UNIFORM AND MATERIALS

Uniforms, equipment, and textbooks are issued to the cadet at no cost. A statement of responsibility must be signed by the parent/guardian assuming financial responsibility for any items lost or damaged. Cadets are responsible for the cleaning and maintenance of uniforms during the school year. Cadets will not be issued a uniform without a signed certificate of responsibility or who fails to adhere to the prescribed dress code standards.

Parent/Cadet Acknowledgement/ Agreement

I, the undersigned, have reviewed the memorandum referenced to the subject stated above, and agree to all the rules stated therein. Further, I understand that failure to adhere to these rules could result in demerits and my possible dismissal from the JROTC program.

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Last name, First Name (Parent)

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Signature (Parent) **Date**

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Last Name, First Name (Student)

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Signature (Student) **Date**