The Texas A&M Corps of Cadets is a premier national leadership development organization. Leveraging a military based cultural model, cadets are developed into well educated leaders of character who are prepared for the global leadership challenges of the future.

Membership in the Corps of Cadets is available to all students at Texas A&M who are looking for a more meaningful college experience. There is no military obligation tied to your status as a cadet. In fact, over 60% of cadets go on to pursue careers in the public and private sectors after graduation.

No matter who you are, where you’re from or what your goals for the future may be, the Corps of Cadets provides you with the space to create your purpose, pursue your passions and prepare for your future.

For over 145 years, the Texas A&M Corps of Cadets has taken students from all walks of life and made them into some of our nation’s top leaders, from the classroom, to the boardroom, to the battlefield and beyond. Scan the QR code for a video over the Corps’ rich history.
WHY JOIN THE CORPS OF CADETS?

HEAR FROM SOME OF OUR LEADERS ON WHAT THE CORPS HAS DONE FOR THEM:

MICHAEL RODRIGUEZ-GARZA ‘22 - HARLINGEN, TEXAS

“I joined the Corps of Cadets to define who I was. To me, the Corps is a place to practice discipline and develop as a leader. Over my four years here, I have been able to hone my skills and become the leader I was meant to be.”

OSCAR IBANEZ ‘21 - PLANO, TEXAS

“There’s the old phrase, ‘iron sharpens iron,’ and the Corps is no exception to that. Being constantly surrounded by motivated, intelligent, head-strong men and women has striking effects on a person. Without the Corps of Cadets I would not be who I am today.”

KENDALYN LYTLE ‘23 - BOERNE, TEXAS

“I’ve gained a lot from my time in the Corps, but the greatest thing that the Corps gave me was my buddy class and the relationships that I have with other Aggie Bandsmen and members of the Fish Drill Team. Without them I wouldn’t have had the confidence to become the cadet that I am today.”

CALLIE GUEST ‘24 - CYPRESS, TEXAS

“The Corps has given me so many opportunities that have allowed me to develop my leadership capabilities. From freshman year to now, the growth in ability to handle a rigorous caseload, manage time and stress effectively, and lead teams is exponential.”

Hear from cadet Caitlynn Walsh ‘24, 2023-2024 Corps Commander, on her unique journey to Texas A&M and the Corps of Cadets.
Cadet Resources

- Free tutoring, test and weekly reviews from professional tutors.
- Major specific academic support.
- Corps dedicated Scholastic Performance Specialists.
- Cadet Academic Honor Society.

Evening Study Time is a mandatory multi-hour study time. This daily-allotted time is dedicated to studying, projects, group work, and test reviews.

The Quad, home to the Corps of Cadets, is located conveniently in the heart of campus, and is dedicated to the academic success and professional development of cadets. The Quad houses four Leadership Learning Centers, which are equipped with computer labs as well as small and large group study rooms.

Snapshots of Current Cadet Colleges

- Engineering
- Arts & Sciences
- Agriculture & Life Sciences
- Bush School of Government
- General Academic Programs
- Mays Business School
- Education & Human Development
- Veterinary Medicine & Biomedical Sciences

Students in all majors are welcome to join the Corps of Cadets.

“The Corps of Cadets has provided me with many resources to aid in my academic success. Through Corps specific academic advising and study resources in our LLC’s, I have felt confident and prepared in every course that I have taken at Texas A&M.”

- Kyle Nelson ‘24

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OVER 2,300 SCHOLARSHIPS
AWARDED ANNUALLY

97% OF ALL ELIGIBLE CADETS RECEIVE CORPS SCHOLARSHIPS

Corps scholarships range from $1,200 to $17,000 per year, and are renewable each semester.

Corps scholarships carry no military obligation, and are awarded based on both merit and need.

The Corps of Cadets currently has a $75 million scholarship endowment, ensuring that cadets can receive the financial support they need, when they need it.

ROTC scholarship recipients are eligible to receive the Patriot Scholarship.

This award covers required room and board, providing nearly a full ride to Texas A&M.

The General Murray Scholarship is an exclusive award for out-of-state students.

This award effectively reduces total tuition and fees to be equivalent to those paid by Texas residents.

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DEVELOPING LEADERS

CAREER READY, IN EVERY SECTOR.

No matter the professional industry you plan to join, employers are always looking for individuals who know how to use their talents, strengths and interests to their advantage. The Corps of Cadets works hard to ensure that each student is prepared to demonstrate their abilities as they transition out of college and into their professional roles.

Naval ROTC develops midshipmen mentally, morally and physically while instilling the highest ideals of honor, courage and commitment. The program prepares young adults for leadership positions in an increasingly technical Navy and Marine Corps.

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HOLLINGSWORTH CENTER

The Hollingsworth Center enhances students’ capacities to be value-adding leaders in both the public and private sectors of the workplace. The Hollingsworth Center provides career readiness support, including internship and job assistance, to all cadets and other Texas A&M University students.

MILITARY OPPORTUNITIES

As the largest of our nation’s six Senior Military Colleges, the Corps of Cadets is proud to offer military commission opportunities to those who are eligible and interested. If commissioning into the military is one of your goals for the future, we invite you to learn more about Texas A&M’s ROTC programs below.

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GET INVOLVED

SPECIAL UNITS  tx.ag/SpecialUnits

Special Units allow cadets to gain practical experience in a number of fields. From skill building to preparing for future careers, these units provide cadets with the tools they need to succeed.

ROSS VOLUNTEERS  PARSONS MOUNTED CAVALRY  FISH DRILL TEAM

CORPS ATHLETICS

The Corps proudly sponsors several highly competitive athletic programs. Whether it’s golf, tennis, baseball, basketball, competitive marksmanship or something in between, each of our teams provides you with an excellent opportunity to stay involved with the sports you enjoy.

CORPS WOMEN’S SOCCER  CORPS MARATHON TEAM  CORPS MARKSMANSHIP UNIT

OFF THE QUAD

As part of one of the nation’s largest universities, the Corps is home to students who are active all across campus. With over 1,200 student organizations, there are endless opportunities to find and pursue your passions at Texas A&M.

“Being a cadet means making a commitment to yourself and Texas A&M University to embody the core values, be a keeper of the Aggie spirit and help make the university better as a whole. I decided to start an aviation organization after I attended the Women in Aviation International Conference. I have been extremely blessed with support in my own aviation journey, so creating and leading this organization has been a special way to give back and help others start flying,”

-Maria Hall ‘23, Squadron 23, Texas A&M Women in Aviation
NOW FORMING AT THE NORTH END OF KYLE FIELD, THE NATIONALLY FAMOUS

FIGHTIN’ TEXAS AGGIE BAND

As the official band of Texas A&M University, the Fightin’ Texas Aggie Band is the largest collegiate military marching band in the world.

Each member of the Fightin’ Texas Aggie Band is also in the Corps of Cadets. These cadets live, eat and train together on the Quad in one of six designated band units.

While membership in the Corps of Cadets is open to all students at Texas A&M, an audition is required to join the Fightin’ Texas Aggie Band.

Interested in seeing the Fightin’ Texas Aggie Band in action? Scan the QR code to view a playlist of halftime performances.

Visit https://musa.tamu.edu/auditions/ for more information on how to audition for the Fightin’ Texas Aggie Band.
TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY

Texas A&M opened its doors in 1876 as the state’s first public institution of higher learning. Today, we stand as a research-intensive flagship university dedicated to sending Aggie leaders out into the world prepared to take on the challenges of tomorrow. Texas A&M’s main campus in College Station is home to more than 69,000 students. With over 130 undergraduate degree programs, your possibilities for the future are endless.

Visit Admissions.tamu.edu for more information on how to apply to Texas A&M.

COLLEGE STATION, TEXAS

Located in the heart of the Houston-Dallas-Austin triangle, College Station serves as the home to Texas A&M’s main campus. This community has a small-town feel, with the amenities of a larger city. With close ties between Texas A&M and the College Station community, new students at Texas A&M are welcomed with open arms each year.
VISIT THE CORPS

The Corps of Cadets has a variety of recruiting programs. From in-person tours to virtual appointments, these programs provide prospective students and their families with the opportunity to explore the Corps of Cadets and the developmental opportunities available within the organization.

Visit tx.ag/VisitTheCorps for a full list of programs.

Join us for one of our Spend the Night With the Corps events!

This immersive, overnight experience provides future leaders with a first hand look at what life in the Corps is like.

Scan the QR code above or visit tx.ag/SNWC for registration and dates.
READY TO CONNECT?

To connect with our community of leaders, scan the QR code to fill out our future cadet form.

Questions? Contact our Corps Recruiting Office at

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(979) 845-9232