

ROTC Scholarship Criteria

(Beginning Fall 2017)

UNIT	TYPE	MILITARY PROVIDES	ILLINOIS TECH PROVIDES
Naval (Navy/Marines)	4 year- Type 1	Full tuition & fees, book allowance and monthly stipend for all 4 years.	Room & board** for all 4 years.
Army	4 year- Type 1	Full tuition & fees, book allowance and monthly stipend for all 4 years.	Room & board** for all 4 years.
Army	3 year-Type 1	Full tuition & fees, book allowance and monthly stipend for last 3 years.	Full tuition scholarship for the first year. Room and board** for last 3 years.
Air Force	4 year- Type 1	Full tuition & fees, book allowance and monthly stipend for all 4 years.	Room & board** for all 4 years.
Air Force	4 year- Type 2*	\$18,000 towards tuition & mandatory fees*, book allowance and monthly stipend for all 4 years.	Balance of remaining tuition after branch benefits for all 4 years. Illinois Tech scholarships combined with military tuition benefits cannot exceed tuition charges. Housing Scholarship*** for all 4 years.
Air Force	3 year-Type 2*	\$18,000 towards tuition & mandatory fees*, book allowance and monthly stipend for last 3 years.	1st year: Illinois Tech Air Force Scholarship (value of institutional scholarships awarded upon admission, min value of \$28,000). Last 3 years: Illinois Tech Air Force scholarship (covers remaining tuition balance after branch benefits). Housing Scholarship*** for all 4 years.
Navy (Must be currently enlisted personnel)	STA-21 Seaman to Admiral - 21	\$10,000 per year towards tuition for 3 years. Military pay and benefits.	Balance of tuition for 3 years. Cadet provides own room and board.
Marine Corps (Must be currently enlisted personnel)	MECEP Marine Corps Enlisted Commissioning Educational Program	Military pay and benefits.	\$10,000 per year tuition scholarship. Cadet provides own room & board and balance of tuition and fees.
Naval, Army, and Air Force (For students without ROTC scholarships)	College Program	ROTC courses and the opportunity to be selected for an ROTC scholarship and/or earn a commission.	Students maintain their non-ROTC, Illinois Tech scholarship while in the College Program. If student earns an ROTC scholarship, when it is activated, Illinois Tech will provide the same benefits as described in Type 1 or Type 2 ROTC scholarship.

***Air Force Type 2 Scholarship-** Effective for cadets matriculating Fall 2017 or later. Mandatory fees include: U-Pass fee, Student Service fee, Activity fee, and New Student fee. Mandatory fees do not include lab fees, graduation fee, health insurance and other miscellaneous fees. Chart for students who matriculated prior to Fall 2017 can be found [here](#).

****Room and Board-** The ROTC R&B Scholarship covers up to the cost of the standard double room in McCormick Student Village (MSV) and includes the cost of the Hawk 19 Meal Plan. The ROTC R&B Scholarship is available to cadets who live in MSV, Gunsaulus Hall, Carman Hall, or Illinois Tech sororities. Cadets who chose a housing/meal plan below the standard amount will receive a scholarship to cover the billed charges only. Cadets who choose to live in State Street Village (SSV) are not eligible for the ROTC R&B Scholarship but are eligible to receive an ROTC Board Scholarship for billed meal plan charges up to the cost of the Hawk 19 Meal Plan. Students living in Greek Housing are eligible for the ROTC Greek Housing Scholarship of up to \$1,900 per semester as outlined in the ROTC policy. Cadets living in sorority housing are eligible to receive coverage for one type of board coverage. Cadets can opt to receive a meal plan offered through the university or a meal plan offered through their sorority. If sorority board plan is selected, cadets are required to submit their meal plan bill to the Office of Financial Aid before funding is disbursed. Cadets should note that depending on their federal aid eligibility there may be additional adjustments to their account to ensure they remain within their allotted budget.

*****Housing Scholarship-** The Housing Scholarship is awarded at a rate of up to \$2,500 per semester and can be used toward any room charges at McCormick Student Village, Gunsaulus Hall, Carman Hall or Illinois Tech sororities. The Housing Scholarship does not apply to students living off campus, in State Street Village, or Greek Housing not owned by Illinois Tech.

Loss of ROTC Benefits:

In the event the branch does not provide benefits as outlined in the “Military Provides” category, Illinois Tech will not cover the difference. If the ROTC branch deems a cadet ineligible for a term, or the cadet no longer elects to participate in the ROTC program, the student’s financial aid will be reverted to the original scholarship package offered to the student at the time their admittance to the university. Cadets should note that these adjustments will occur once the student’s branch confirms ineligibility for a given semester.

ROTC Summer Continuation:

There is no ROTC scholarship award for cadets who wish to study at Illinois Tech during the summer term. However, the student's initial scholarship package will be utilized to calculate eligibility under the summer continuation. Cadets enrolling for summer classes are eligible to receive a summer scholarship calculated at the percentage of coverage of their initially awarded institutional aid following the [Summer Term Financial Aid Policy](#). Cadets will be notified of this eligibility at the conclusion of the spring semester.

The full ROTC policy can be found on the Illinois Tech Office of Financial Aid website [here](#).