

ILLINOIS TECH

NROTC Preparatory Program Scholarship Application

| Application Checklist | |
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| | Illinois Tech NROTC Preparatory Scholarship Application |
| | Apply to Illinois Tech through the Common Application |
| | Apply for Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) Illinois Tech ID: 001691 |
| | High School Transcript |
| | SAT/ACT Official Report (optional) |
| | Letters of Recommendation (SNSI recommendation required if NJROTC) |
| | Official Applicant Fitness Assessment (AFA) Score Sheet |
| | If accepted into the program , you will need to complete and submit the following paperwork, to be provided at a later date. |
| | NROTC Preparatory Scholarship Applicant Personal Data Record |
| | Drug Statement (NSTC 1533/101) |
| | Debarment and Suspension Form (NSTC 1533/102) |
| | Certifications and Statements of Understanding for NROTC Applications (NSTC 1533/112) |
| | Proof of Citizenship (Passport or Birth Certificate) |

Instructions

1. Submit your application and supplemental materials to Illinois Tech through the Common App.
2. Download the NROTC Preparatory Scholarship Application Form, the AFA scoring sheet, and NROTC Forms (listed above) from the [Illinois Tech NPP Scholarship webpage](#).
3. Complete the NROTC Preparatory Scholarship Application Form by typing directly into the document. Once completed, print out the application and sign in pen. Submit the signed and completed NROTC Preparatory Scholarship Application form on the Illinois Tech NPP Scholarship webpage.
4. Have a coach at your school, or your Senior Naval Science Instructor (SNSI) administer the AFA and email the signed copy of the AFA score sheet to ugaprocessing@iit.edu. AFA Information can be included on your application form, but the official AFA score sheet must be sent in by the person who administered the test, not by the applicant. If applying to the National NROTC Scholarship, applicants can resubmit a previously completed AFA.
5. You must obtain a letter of recommendation from either your SNSI, community leader, or teacher. If you participate in some form of JROTC, a recommendation from your SNSI is required. Additional letters of recommendation from other sources are encouraged but not required. All letters of recommendation must be emailed by the person writing the recommendation to ugaprocessing@iit.edu

If you are accepted into the program, you will need to attend New Student Indoctrination (NSI) the summer before you start at Illinois Tech. NSI is held at Naval Station, Great Lakes and lasts approximately three weeks. Once accepted into the program, candidates will need to complete a separate application packet to NSI in order to secure a spot; to include information on their medical status. Information on NSI paperwork and medical requirements can be found [here](#).

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact:

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Personal Information

Please enter your name as it appears on your passport or other official documents.

Name _____ Date of Birth _____
Last (Family) First Middle Suffix (Jr., Sr., etc.) (mm/dd/yyyy)

Legal Sex: Male
 Female

Preferred Name _____ Previous Last Name(s), if any _____

Email _____ Intended Major or Area of Study _____

Permanent Address

Street Address Apt. #
City/Town State/Province Country Zip/Postal Code

Phone _____ Alternate Phone _____
Begin with Area or Country Code Begin with Area or Country Code

Citizenship

Place of Birth _____
City/Town State/Province Country

US Citizen Dual US citizen; please specify other country of citizenship _____

US permanent resident visa; citizen of _____ Alien registration number _____

Other Citizenship _____ Visa _____

If you live in the United States, but are not a U.S. citizen, how many years have you lived in the country? _____

If not English, language spoken in your home _____ If not English, list your first language _____

Ethnicity

Race/Ethnicity information is optional. Information you provide will not be used in a discriminatory manner *and will not be used as a factor for selection or disqualification.*

Are you Hispanic or Latino? Yes No (country of family's origin _____)

How would you describe your racial background? (select one or more of the following categories):

- Asian (country of family's origin _____)
 Black or African American
 American Indian or Alaska Native (enrolled Tribal affiliation _____)
 Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
 White
 Other (List: _____)

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Academic Information

School _____ CEEB Code _____

Type of school: Public Private Correspondence Charter Parochial Home-School Other/Education Provider

School Address _____
Number and Street

City/Town _____ State/Province _____ Country _____ Zip/Postal Code _____

Start Date _____ (mm/yyyy) Date of Graduation _____ (mm/yyyy)

Counselor's Name _____ Phone _____
Begin with Area or Country Code

Counselor's Email _____ Fax _____
Begin with Area or Country Code

Are you currently enrolled in school? Yes No Will/did you graduate from High School early? Yes No

Current Year's Courses

Please list name, level (Honors, AP, IB, etc.) and credit value of your current year's courses.

| Semester #1/Trimester #1 | Semester #2/Trimester #2 | Trimester #3 |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------|
| _____ | _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ | _____ |

List all other high schools, colleges/universities (including summers), and academic programs you attended, beginning with ninth grade. You must submit transcripts from each school.

Other High Schools

| School Name | CEEB Code | Dates Attended | Location |
|-------------|-----------|----------------|----------|
| _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |

Colleges/Universities

| School Name | CEEB Code | Dates Attended | Location |
|-------------|-----------|----------------|----------|
| _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |

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Please list any Advanced Placement or International Baccalaureate exams taken along with the test date and score.

| | | | | | |
|-----------|---------|-------|-----------|---------|-------|
| Test Date | Subject | Score | Test Date | Subject | Score |
| Test Date | Subject | Score | Test Date | Subject | Score |
| Test Date | Subject | Score | Test Date | Subject | Score |

Standardized Test Information

List your test scores below. You must have the testing agency send official scores to each institution to which you are applying.

SAT Reasoning

| | | | | | | | |
|-----------|----------------------------------|------|----------------|-----------|----------------------------------|------|----------------|
| Test Date | Evidence Based Reading & Writing | Math | Optional Essay | Test Date | Evidence Based Reading & Writing | Math | Optional Essay |
|-----------|----------------------------------|------|----------------|-----------|----------------------------------|------|----------------|

SAT Subject

| | | | | | |
|-----------|---------|-------|-----------|---------|-------|
| Test Date | Subject | Score | Test Date | Subject | Score |
| Test Date | Subject | Score | Test Date | Subject | Score |

ACT

| | | | | | | |
|-----------|---------|------|---------|---------|-----------|----------------|
| Test Date | English | Math | Reading | Science | Composite | Optional Essay |
| Test Date | English | Math | Reading | Science | Composite | Optional Essay |
| Test Date | English | Math | Reading | Science | Composite | Optional Essay |

ASVAB

| | | | |
|-----------|------------|-----------|------------|
| Test Date | AFQT Score | Test Date | AFQT Score |
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Academic Distinctions

Please list any academic or educational awards and honors you received in high school (e.g. National Merit, National Honor Society).

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Extracurricular Information

READ CAREFULLY: Identify only those activities in which you engaged during school grades 9-12. NROTC is particularly interested in identifying activities in which an applicant has participated involving responsibility and leadership. Examples: NJROTC, Student Government, Eagle Scout, etc...

| Activity/Organization | Specific Accomplishments/ Positions Held | Grade Level(s) | | | | Hours/Week | Weeks/Year |
|-----------------------|--|----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|------------|------------|
| _____ | _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> 9 | <input type="checkbox"/> 10 | <input type="checkbox"/> 11 | <input type="checkbox"/> 12 | _____ | _____ |
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Athletic Activities

READ CAREFULLY: Identify only those sports in which you engaged during school grades 9-12. Mark the year(s) in which you were on the varsity team. If you lettered in the sport list that in the awards. Mark 'JV/Club' if you participated at this level in any year. If you will play a sport in college, check the box under 'College.' Do not list intramural activity.

| Sport | Positions Held | Awards/Recognition | Grade Level(s) | | | | JV/Club | College |
|-------|----------------|--------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| _____ | _____ | _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> 9 | <input type="checkbox"/> 10 | <input type="checkbox"/> 11 | <input type="checkbox"/> 12 | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
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Employment Information

List any work experience (including summer jobs) during the past three years.

| Employer | Job Description | Dates of Employment | Hours per week |
|----------|-----------------|---------------------|----------------|
| _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |

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Volunteering

READ CAREFULLY: Identify only those volunteering activities in which you engaged during school grades 9-12. List the number of hours performed per year next to the box corresponding to the correct school year and volunteer activity. Attach additional sheets if more space is needed.

| Activity | Description/Remarks | Grades/Hours | | | |
|----------|---------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| _____ | _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> 9 | <input type="checkbox"/> 10 | <input type="checkbox"/> 11 | <input type="checkbox"/> 12 |
| _____ | _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> 9 | <input type="checkbox"/> 10 | <input type="checkbox"/> 11 | <input type="checkbox"/> 12 |
| _____ | _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> 9 | <input type="checkbox"/> 10 | <input type="checkbox"/> 11 | <input type="checkbox"/> 12 |
| _____ | _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> 9 | <input type="checkbox"/> 10 | <input type="checkbox"/> 11 | <input type="checkbox"/> 12 |

- Are you a (check all that apply) Veteran Dependent of US Veteran Active US Military National Guard or Active Reserve
- If you are/were a part of the military, which branch (check all that apply) Army Navy Air Force Marines Coast Guard Space Force
- Are you applying to any service academies or other ROTC programs? Yes No
(If so, please list all in the additional information section.)
- Have you ever been rejected for any reason for service in any branch of the military? Yes No
(If so, please describe fully in the additional information section.)
- Would you be willing to attend any university with a similar program resulting in a Naval Commission? Yes No
- Are you going to be a first generation college student? Yes No Mother Father Sibling Aunt Uncle Cousin
(If "no", please indicate relatives who have completed a 4-year degree)

Family Information

If you have any family member(s) or legal guardian(s) who has served or is/are currently serving in the military, please indicate below.

Parent/Legal Guardian Military History (More room available in "Additional Information")

| Name (relationship) | Branch | Rank/Rate | Status (Active/Retired) | Commissioning Source if Applicable |
|---------------------|--------|-----------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
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Physical Fitness Information

Applicant height (feet, inches): _____

Applicant weight (lbs): _____

AFA Information:

(The official score sheet for the AFA will be submitted separately)

- Plank: _____
- Push-ups: _____
- 1 mile run time: _____
- Observer name, position: _____
- Observer phone number: _____

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Please answer the following questions. Provide explanations for “yes” replies in the additional information section below.

| | Yes | No |
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| 1. Have you ever applied for or signed any agreement concerning any program leading to a commission in any of the Armed Forces of the United States? (If 'Yes', list the date, place of application, program applied for and current status of application.) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2. Have you signed an Enlistment Contract (DD Form 4) with any of the Armed Forces of the United States? (If 'Yes', list the date, place, service, and current status of enlistment.) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3. Have you ever been arrested, detained, indicted, summoned into court, or convicted for any violation of civil or military law, including juvenile offenses and moving traffic violations? (If 'Yes', give complete description of incident, name and place of court, nature of offense, date, and disposition) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4. Are you currently awaiting trial or sentence, on probation, under suspended sentence, or under any other type of military or civilian restraint as a result of violation of law or regulation? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 5. Have you ever been known by any other name or names other than that used in this application? (If 'Yes', explain in affidavit form and submit with application, even if differences were only differences in spelling.) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 6. Do you have any moral obligations or personal convictions that will prevent you from conscientiously bearing arms and supporting and defending the constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 7. Have you ever taken any narcotic, sedative, or tranquilizer drugs other than as prescribed by a physician or dentist? (If 'Yes', attach a statement with the full circumstances, number of time used, amounts taken, period over which taken, and intent for further use.) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 8. Have you ever been arrested or convicted of trafficking illegal drugs? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 9. Have you ever used LSD, marijuana, sniffed glue or used any other hallucinogens, hypnotic, stimulants, or other known harmful or habit-forming drugs and/or chemicals? (If 'Yes', attach a statement with the full circumstances, number of times used, amounts taken, period over which taken, and intent for further use.) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Additional Information

If you have additional information that was not specifically requested on the application or did not fit in the space provided, feel free to include it here. If you need more space, please attach your response to the end of the application.

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Service Community

Which service community are you most interested in joining in the Navy and why? If you are not selected for that community, would you still accept your commission as a Naval Officer. Limit responses to 250 words.

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Essay Response

Discuss your reasons for wanting to become a Naval Officer. Specifically comment on leadership positions you have held, the challenges you have faced, and the lessons you have learned. Limit your response to 500 words.

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Please read and initial by each of the following statements below indicating your understanding of each. After initialing all statements, please sign and date at the bottom of the page.

Statements

1. _____ University will provide tuition, fees, and room & board for a one-year NROTC preparatory program scholarship as a Midshipman Candidate.
2. _____ Provided you meet the criteria below, you will be awarded a National NROTC scholarship to the University at the conclusion of your first year:
 - a. _____ Science/Technical major (Tier 1 / Tier 2 - 15 majors available).
 - b. _____ Maintain greater than a 2.8 GPA.
 - c. _____ Pass the Navy Physical Fitness Assessment once a semester with a score of "Good Low" or better.
 - d. _____ Reside at university (dormitories).
 - e. _____ Maintain Navy Bureau of Medicine and Surgery (BUMED) medical standards
3. _____ Upon completion of the first year, you will be financially responsible for all costs not covered by the NROTC National 4-Year Scholarship. Current Room and Board policies for Illinois Tech students on a ROTC scholarship can be found [here](#).

Verification

Your signature below confirms all information in this application (including any supplemental information) is factually true and honestly presented and that you are the person submitting this application.

Signature of applicant _____

Date _____