





Program Overview







- ➤ The J-100 Character-in-Leadership Scholarship (Type 1, HSSP) provides 100 cadets a full scholarship with benefits including:
 - > 4-years of 100% paid tuition at any university, or crosstown partner, with an AFROTC detachment
 - > \$10,000 per-year allowance for university-owned/on-campus housing
 - > Annual book stipend (\$675)
 - ➤ Monthly cadet stipend (Y1-\$300 / Y2-\$350 / Y3-\$450 / Y4-\$500)
- > There are no specific degree requirements
- > Scholarship recipients must meet all AFROTC requirements and pursue an officer commission







- > The J-100 program is open to all eligible AFJROTC/SFJROTC cadets
 - > 3.0 <u>unweighted</u> GPA
 - > 22 ACT or 1100 SAT
 - > 75 Physical Fitness Score (New AFJROTC Standard)
 - ➤ Minimum of 2 calendar years of AFJROTC experience
 - ➤ US Citizen, or in the process obtaining their US citizenship by first term of college freshman year



- > J-100 focuses on character, leadership, and citizenship
- > Inspires cadets to seek careers in the USAF and USSF
- > Additional PFT requirement for 200 cadets selected to LEB





- → J-100 is a scholarship focused on leadership performance & potential of the AFJROTC/SFJROTC cadet corps our DAF's most diverse program
- J-100 Board vs HSSP Interview-- Leadership Evaluation Board (LEB) panel interview is focused on a <u>qualitative</u> leadership evaluation vice the traditional <u>quantitative</u> selection process
 - > The LEB is a diverse three-person panel consisting of an officer, SNCO & civilian
 - Considers 4 areas: an Essay, Activity Sheet/Resume, Cadet's Officer/SNCO Rec Ltr, & Interview
- Program funds 100 four-year, full tuition scholarships, with \$10K per-year housing allowance, to 145 AFROTC host universities and crosstowns across the country

Applicant Demographics				Applicant Scholarship Offers				Applicants Enrolled at University
Year	Total Applied	% Female	% Minority	Scholarships Offered	Scholarships Accepted	% Female Accepted	% Minority Accepted	Total Enrolled (Fall of Freshman Year)
2021	257	44%	76%	100	94	50%	63%	84 Cadets
2022	416	46%	63%	100	93	43%	59%	82 Cadets
2023	371	45%	59%	145	124	52%	45%	TBD





2024 Timeline

- 11 Sep 1 Dec 23: Application Window for Cadets/Instructors
 - 10-12 Oct 23: Zoom Call Sessions for Instructors (1 per day)
 - > 1 Dec 23: Applications Close 1200 CST (Hard Deadline)
- **→** 4-7 Dec 23: JRX Application Review
- > 8 Dec 23: Announcement of Top 200 Finalists for LEB Interview
 - 8-15 Dec 23: Interviews Scheduled by LEB Panel Leads
- 8-12 Jan 24: LEB Interviews
- 26 Jan 24: Announcement of J-100 Scholarship Selects (100 Primary)
 - 6-8 Feb 24: Zoom Call Sessions for J-100 Selects (1 per day)
- 1 Feb 30 Apr 24: Accept/Decline Scholarship Offer in WINGS





Frequently Asked Questions

- ➤ Is the J-100 scholarship for underrepresented groups or first-generation college students only? **NO**
- ➤ My cadet did not meet the minimum score for ACT or SAT. Can I request a "No Test" waiver for them? NO
- ➤ Can the housing allowance be used for any housing complex near the university? NO
- ➤ Are cadets required to pursue a Technical degree to qualify for a J-100 scholarship? NO
- ➤ Does the university of choice or degree plan improve a cadet's chances for J-100 scholarship? NO







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- ➤ Do cadets have to pay back the J-100 scholarship if they drop AFROTC after their Sophomore year? YES
- Can a cadet transfer the J-100 scholarship to another university? YES
- ➤ Will cadets selected for J-100 incur a military service commitment? YES
- Can cadets apply for J-100, a Service Academy, and/or other ROTC scholarships at the same time? YES
- ➤ Are all J-100 scholarship selects required to complete a medical evaluation through DoDMERB? YES







