



Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corps (JROTC) Pathway

Honor and Commitment; these words are more than just a motto. The Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corps (JROTC) is a high school program aimed at educating students in leadership roles while making them aware of the benefits of good citizenship. The program consists of four full-credit elective classes that combine interesting classroom instruction with the opportunity to serve the school and the community. Students that maintain enrollment in the program have the following post-secondary benefits:

- A student presenting evidence of successful completion of at least two academic years of JROTC under any military department is entitled to advance promotion to the grade of no less than E-2 on initial enlistment in an active or reserve component of the military. At their discretion, the military departments may award the grade of E-3 for successful completion of three academic years of JROTC.
- Upon acceptance to a four-year college or university, a student presenting evidence of successful completion of three academic years of the JROTC may be entitled to not less than one year of credit in the Senior ROTC Program.

Campus branches are determined by the FBISD Board of Trustees in conjunction with the Department of Defense. Current program locations are as follows:

Air Force Program: Dulles, Elkins, Kempner, Marshall

Army Program: Hightower

Marine Program: Ridge Point, Travis, Willowridge

Navy Program: Austin, Bush, Clements

Pathway Course Sequence

- JROTC I
- JROTC II
- JROTC III
- JROTC IV

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JUNIOR RESERVE OFFICERS' TRAINING CORPS (JROTC)

Course Name: Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corps (JROTC) I, II, III, IV

Course Number: RO111, RO121, RO132, RO142

Offered in: 9–12

Credits: 1–4

Level: On Level

Prerequisites: None

Description: The JROTC programs emphasize character education, student achievement, wellness, leadership, and diversity. Students are trained in military history, leadership protocol, weaponry, and drill in a specific military branch. JROTC makes significant contributions to the school environment and community as a whole while fostering servant leadership. Students shall maintain at least normal progression of academic achievement leading toward graduation. Acceptable standards of conduct as defined by the Military Service are critical to student success. Students who participate in JROTC are under **no military** obligation following high school. *JROTC I (RO111) counts as a Physical Education substitution.*