

NJROTC OPPORTUNITY

NJROTC IS A LEADERSHIP PROGRAM DESIGNED TO GIVE STUDENTS A HEAD START. NJROTC DEVELOPS THE SELF- DISCIPLINE, SELF-CONFIDENCE, AND LEADERSHIP SKILLS TO HELP YOU SUCCESSFULLY MEET LIFE'S CHALLENGES. PEOPLE WHO ARE SUCCESSFUL IN LIFE, WHO SUCCEED IN BUSINESS, INDUSTRY, AND EDUCATION, HAVE DEVELOPED STRONG SELF-DISCIPLINE, THE ABILITY TO LEAD AND MOTIVATE OTHERS, AND A WELL-ROUNDED CHARACTER. THE NJROTC CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTIONAL ACTIVITIES ARE DESIGNED TO DEVELOP YOUR LEADERSHIP ABILITY REGARDLESS OF YOUR CAREER PATH.

NOW BEING OFFERED TO EAHS STUDENTS!

ADMINISTRATORS AND FACULTY FROM EAST ASCENSION HIGH SCHOOL AND ST. AMANT HIGH SCHOOL HAVE TEAMED UP TO OFFER NJROTC TO EAHS STUDENTS!



WHAT SHOULD I KNOW ABOUT THE PROGRAM OFFERED AT ST. AMANT HIGH?

NJROTC is an elective high school course, which is offered during the academic day. Students may enter the program in any year, grades 9 thru 12. The Naval Science courses include: classroom academics, physical fitness, personal appearance and good grooming habits, respectful conduct and leadership training.

Students enrolling in the *NJROTC* program must be of good moral character, at least 13 years old, and must agree to accept and maintain the high standards of behavior and personal appearance required of cadets. There are no academic, physical or medical limitations placed on enrollment, however, cadets engage in moderate physical activity and a LHSAA sports physical is required.

ABOUT THE PROGRAM

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Do I have to wear a uniform?	Do I have to get a haircut?	Am I obligated to Military Service?	Do I have to join an NJROTC competitive team?
<p>Wearing a military uniform one full day a week (Wednesday) is a key component of the NJROTC program. Wearing a uniform builds individual pride, respect, unit identity and cohesion. Physical fitness uniforms are required twice a week (Tuesday and Thursday) for our twice- weekly fitness program.</p>	<p>Male cadets must get and maintain a haircut where the sides and back are tapered and does not overlap the ears. A small amount of bulk is permitted on top, but, no single strand of hair can exceed two inches in length. Female cadets, when in uniform, must either have short haircut or wear the hair so that it does not touch the collar of the uniform shirt. Additionally, multi-color, unnatural hair color or highly stylized hair is not allowed.</p>	<p>There is no military service obligation of any kind associated with enrollment in an NJROTC course. Cadets who decide to join the military after graduation, apply for an ROTC scholarship to a four year college/university, or apply for admission to a military academy, or apply for enlistment in one of the four military services; there are advantages to having NJROTC experience in High School.</p>	<p>Activities outside the normal class period are optional, but the real advantage to being a member of the NJROTC Cadet Corp is realized when you are an active participant in our extracurricular activities. Our team activities include: Air Rifle; Drill Teams; Physical Fitness; Leadership Camps; and Academic competitions.</p>

FUN ACTIVITIES INCLUDE:

Field Trips, Drill Competitions, Military Ball, Sports Field Day, Leadership Camps and Community Service.

HOW DOES PARTICIPATION WORK?

Should you join the program, you will be scheduled for NJROTC at fourth block. Transportation is provided by APSB. A bus will take you to SAHS for class and then return to EAHS in time for dismissal. There will also be days when cadets stay at SAHS for after school activities and will require their own transportation home as they would for any other club or sport. Students will receive a grade for the class just as they would for taking classes at EAHS. We believe this is a fantastic opportunity to offer our students.

If you are interested and would like more information or would like to sign up, a counselor will be on campus on Monday, July 11th and Tuesday July 19th. You may also call and leave a message for a counselor. Don't forget also that prep days are Friday, July 15th for 9th grade, Monday, July 18th for 12th grade, Tuesday, July 19th for 11th grade and Wednesday, July 20th for 10th grade.

Should you like to speak directly to an NJROTC Instructor, you may contact:

Captain Dennis Beaver or MSGT Phillip G. Daily III

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