



TX-093 JROTC



We in AFJROTC hope that you will consider joining the cadet corps this coming school year! Please be sure that your counselor is aware of your choice to give us a try!



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INFORMATION FOR INCOMING FRESHMEN TO RYAN HS

FROM: Ryan HS Air Force JROTC

Dear Parents,

We would like to provide some basic information regarding the Air Force Junior ROTC program at Ryan HS in hopes that your student might want to enroll.

First and most importantly, our program is NOT designed to recruit for the military. We are simply a citizenship class where we teach leadership and followership skills. For those students who do pursue a military career, whether straight out of high school, college ROTC, or one of the Service Academies, taking Junior ROTC can only help prepare your student.

We average 110-140 enrolled cadets each year. If your student is in band, theater, or a sport, we ensure they are free to participate in all things offered at Ryan. Every year we have several students involved in these other activities.

Here are some of the benefits of taking AFJROTC:

- ⇒ **Earn your PE or Elective credits**
- ⇒ **Two field trips minimum each year (one overnight)**
- ⇒ **Earn a Letter Jacket (Usually Sophomore or Junior year)**
- ⇒ **Class and Cadet Corps Parties and BBQs**
- ⇒ **Annual Cadet Military Ball with all 4 High Schools**
- ⇒ **PE (We call it PT) on Fridays**
- ⇒ **Travel to numerous competitions (Drill, Orienteering, Rocketry, Drone, Cyber, Color Guard, Physical Training)**
- ⇒ **Optional Leadership Camps each June**

Wearing the AFJROTC uniform and following specific grooming standards (including hair color) are a requirement to remain in our class. Boys must cut their hair to military standards and shave. Girls on the other hand are taught how to put their hair up on their one uniform day each week.

Students may join AFJROTC at any time during high school. Please call 940-369-3149 with any questions. We hope that you consider taking our class this coming year!

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