Commissioning Starter Kit

IMPORTANT: The program information below is for you. Learn all you can before contacting others for assistance. Reading about the programs is the first step in showing your commitment.

Once you have reviewed the information provided below, you can set up an advising appointment at the Education and Training Office with one of the counselors. We recommend that you have a 'prepared' list of questions to email the counselor before your appointment in order to help the counselor help you.

Are you serious or just curious?

Serious airmen...

- give their best effort to understand basic information and then seek the help of others.
- develop an appropriate planning schedule
- set long term goals and take consistent and patient steps to get there
- promote positive rapport with those helping them throughout the process
- know why they want to become an officer

Career Advice and First Steps:

FIRST: Build a prosperous Air Force career

- -- Learn your job
- -- Be the top performer
- -- Complete CDCs early! Excel at OJT!
- -- Seek leadership opportunities conduct training/improve work processes or environment
- -- Support the community-Volunteer, join local association
- -- Strive for excellence compete for SrA below-the-zone/quarterly and annual awards

SECOND: Take active steps academically.

-- Take general education courses if you have no civilian college that will also satisfy your CCAF

THIRD: Schedule an appointment with an Education Counselor

FOURTH: Organize your tasks, establish personal deadlines, and begin completing application forms and documents.

Programs: AF Academy starter page https://www.academyadmissions.com/enlisted/

ROTC starter page (ASCP/POC-ERP/SOAR) <u>https://www.afrotc.com/scholarships/enlisted/</u> DAF Teams: AFROTC Enlisted Commissioning Programs | General | Microsoft Teams

OTS starter page

https://www.recruiting.af.mil/About-Us/Line-Officer-Candidate-Information-and-Resources/

AF Biomedical Science Corps - Physician Assistant & Doctor of Physical Therapy programs https://kx.health.mil/kj/kx3/afbsceducation/Pages/home.aspx

Nurse Enlisted Commissioning Program

https://myfss.us.af.mil/USAFCommunity/s/knowledge-detail?pid=kA0t000000wlXSCAY

AF Medical Service Corps Guide https://kx.health.mil/kj/kx7/AFMSCUtilizationEducation/Pages/home.aspx

Enlisted to Medical Degree Preparatory Program (EMDP2) links Uniformed Services University https://myfss.us.af.mil/USAFCommunity/s/knowledge-detail?pid=kA0t0000000WIPFCAY

Air National Guard https://www.goang.com/is-ang-for-me/active-and-prior-service

Resources and Background:

DAFMAN 36-2032 - Military Recruiting and Accessions

AF Officer Classification Directory-30 APR 24

Find the latest version for AFSC descriptions/eligibility/education criteria https://myfss.us.af.mil/USAFCommunity/s/knowledge-detail?pid=kA0t0000000WICzCAI

Pilot Candidate Selection Method (PCSM) - TBAS test http://access.afpc.af.mil/pcsmdmz/

AF Officer Qualifying Test:

The Eielson Testing Office schedules the AFOQT and TBAS exams. To schedule your test, please call 377-3283.

- AFOQT Form Prep Materials

 http://access.afpc.af.mil/pcsmdmz/AFOQTPrepMaterials.html
- AFOQT FAQ's

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- o <u>http://access.afpc.af.mil/pcsmdmz/faq2_0.html</u>
- Pilot Candidate Selection Method (PCSM)
 - o <u>http://access.afpc.af.mil/pcsmdmz/index.html</u>
- Test of Basic Aviation Skills (TBAS)
 - o http://access.afpc.af.mil/pcsmdmz/TBASInfo.html