

## Memorandum

TO:	The Honorable Greg Abbott, Governor The Honorable Dan Patrick, Lt. Governor The Honorable Dade Phelan, Speaker of the House of Representatives Members, Texas Senate Members, House of Representatives
FROM:	DeChà Reid Senior Director, Financial Aid Services
DATE:	May 4, 2023
SUBJECT:	2023-2024 Texas Armed Services Scholarship Program Nomination

The Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board is pleased to announce the 2023-2024 nomination period is open for the Texas Armed Services Scholarship Program (TASSP). TASSP was created to encourage students to participate in Reserve Officers' Training Corps (ROTC) or other undergraduate officer commissioning programs at Texas institutions of higher education and become members of the Texas Army National Guard or the Texas Air Force National Guard, or commissioned officers in any branch of the armed services of the United States.

The governor and the lieutenant governor may separately appoint two students, and each state senator and state representative may appoint one student to receive a TASSP scholarship. Students must meet specific requirements to be eligible for a nomination and to receive a scholarship. Details about the scholarship and the nomination process are found on the attached flyer.

Nominations for the program are currently open for the 2023-2024 academic year (fall 2023/spring 2024) and must be submitted by **August 31, 2023**. To submit a formal nomination, you or your designated staff member will go to: <u>https://www1.thecb.state.tx.us/apps/tassp/</u>.

Please contact External Relations by email at <u>er@highered.texas.gov</u> or phone at (512) 427-6111 should you have any questions or require additional assistance. Thank you for your commitment to the students of Texas and your continued support to strengthen higher education.

<u>Attachment</u>