



NEW JERSEY ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

Recruiting and Retention Command
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Dear Mayor,

Each year students and parents from your community and throughout New Jersey look for ways of financing a college education.

I would like to make you aware that you can help these students go to college tuition-free here in New Jersey.

The New Jersey Legislature passed a law, which provides a tuition-free college education, as well as graduate school, for every member of the New Jersey Army National Guard at all New Jersey Public Colleges and Universities.

The New Jersey National Guard Tuition program enables students to meet their educational and leadership goals. It ensures New Jersey's best and brightest have the opportunity to attend college in New Jersey. It also ensures that the New Jersey Army National Guard has the highest quality members to provide for New Jersey's Homeland Security requirements.

Unfortunately only a few of the thousands of eligible students in your community participated in this program last year. I believe participation in this program would be greatly increased if this opportunity were more widely known.

Please help me get the word out about this excellent program to the citizens in your community. My team is advising parents and school officials throughout your community, but we could enhance our efforts if you mentioned it in your next newsletter, advised your local community groups and included the program in correspondence with interested constituents.

I would be happy to speak to you or a member of your staff about the tuition program, and the outstanding opportunities provided by the New Jersey Army National Guard. You can get more information about the New Jersey Army National Guard by visiting our web site at www.state.nj.us/military/army. I can be contacted at 609-562-0710 or via email at dennis.devery@nj.ngb.army.mil.

Sincerely,

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