

Thank you for your interest in an appointment to one of the United States Service Academies. Please complete this application and return it with the required attachments and recommendations to the address by **Friday, October 17, 2014**

MILITARY ACADEMY SELECTION BOARD-Class 2019

UNITED STATES CONGRESSMAN TOM GRAVES

702 S. THORNTON AVENUE

DALTON, GA 30720

I. PERSONAL DATA

Full Name: _____

Preferred Name: _____

Permanent Local Address: _____

County: _____

City: _____ Zip Code (including 9 digits): _____ - _____

Temporary Address (if applicable): _____

Cell Phone Number: _____

Alternate Telephone (specify type): _____

Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Name(s): _____

Email Address required: _____

Date and Place of Birth: _____

Social Security Number: _____/_____/_____

Are you a U.S. citizen? Yes No

Are you a resident of Georgia 14th District: Yes No

II. ACADEMIC DATA

Name of High School: _____

Class Rank: _____

Graduation Date: _____

Approximate Grade –point Average: _____

SAT Scores: Math _____ OR ACT Scores: Math _____
Verbal _____ Verbal (English) _____

I plan to take/retake the SAT/ACT on (date) _____.

Note: If you plan to take the 2014 October SAT, your scores will not reach our office in time for consideration.

III. MILITARY ACADEMY INFORMATION

Nominations are possible to The U.S. Air Force Academy, The U.S. Military Academy (West Point), The U.S. Naval Academy, or the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy. In order of preference, please list the Military academies for which you have interest.

First Choice _____

Second Choice _____

Third Choice _____

Fourth Choice _____

Have you submitted (or are you planning to submit) an application to any other nominating source, such as a U.S. Senator, Vice President, etc? If so, to whom was this application made?

IV. PERSONAL INFORMATION

Have you ever been charged with or convicted of a felony? Yes No

If yes, please explain in detail on a separate sheet of paper.

Please attach the following to your application:

1. List your extracurricular activities, honors and awards, including all volunteer experience.
2. List any work experience, paid or unpaid, including the number of hours per week.
3. Furnish the names and addresses of **three** people who are aware of your abilities and desire to attend a military academy. Please provide letters of recommendation from these 3 references and **submit with your application**.
4. Attach a recent photograph
5. Attach an official transcript with seal from your high school.
6. Ensure that your SAT/ACT scores are submitted to our office.
7. In **200 words or less**, explain your reasons for wanting to attend a military academy.
8. Include a one-page, typewritten, **200-word essay** that addresses the question: **Why is it important to have a strong military?**
9. Include a one-page, typewritten, **150-200 word essay** that addresses the question: **I believe three important qualities in a United States military officer are _____.**

Please send your COMPLETED, unstapled application, including the required attachments and recommendations, to:

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The deadline for receiving the **completed** application is

Friday, October 17, 2014.