



State OCS

State Officer Candidate School (OCS) is a 4-phase program conducted during Inactive Duty Training (IDT) weekends and two 15-day Annual Training (AT) periods. The entire program takes 17 months to complete. This OCS program is conducted by the 175th Regional Training Institute (RTI) according to the following schedule . . .

Gold Phase	Preparatory training begins with weekend training assemblies at Camp Ripley in March, April, May and June
Phase I	A 15-day AT period in June to July at Camp Ripley
Phase II	IDT (weekend training) at Camp Ripley begins immediately after Phase I, August through July of the following year
Phase III	A 15-day AT period at Fort Lewis, Washington in July to August
Graduation	Commissioning Ceremony in August or September

State OCS Enrollment Criteria

- Minimum of 60 semester credits prior to Phase I start date
- Minimum GT score (from ASVAB) of 110
- Minimum age 18, maximum age 30 (up to age 35 with state waiver)
- AIT graduate unless OCS enlistment option
- Pass standard 3-event Army Physical Fitness Test
- Meet height and weight standards
- Have a secret security clearance or a clearance request submitted
- Must be a U.S. citizen
- Pass a medical examination for commission (Chapter 2, AR 40-501)
- All physical or moral waivers must have been requested (if applicable)