



# 2021-2022 School Profile

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## GENERAL OVERVIEW

Founded in 1889, Missouri Military Academy (MMA) is a private all-boy college preparatory boarding academy that serves grades 7 through 12 with a post-graduate year. Located in a safe and peaceful setting in rural Missouri, MMA educates young men from around the world who seek college preparatory and career readiness programs using a military educational model employing structure, self-discipline and accountability. Our 360° Education™ focuses on academic excellence, self-confidence, character development, physical development, personal motivation and leadership training to prepare young men to take command of their personal lives and their future.

## FACULTY

Our highly dedicated and qualified faculty are very familiar with boys' academic needs and relational teaching. They provide one-on-one tutoring, guided study hall and academic advising on a weekly basis. More than half of our faculty have post graduate degrees. They are dedicated to the intellectual, social development and growth of each cadet.

## CLASS SIZE AND STUDY HALL

The average class has 14 cadets with many classes having less than 10 cadets. Mandatory supervised study halls are held every evening, Sunday through Thursday, from 7:15 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. in the barracks. This focused time allows for the development of personal responsibility, individualized attention and the establishment of strong teacher-cadet relationships.

## CURRICULUM

Our curriculum provides a well-rounded liberal arts education while meeting Missouri state graduation requirements. It promotes critical thinking skills and freedom of inquiry, with particular emphasis placed on speech and writing across the curriculum, STEM and Project Lead the Way, Cybersecurity, Business, Language and Fine Arts. Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion education and awareness are incorporated into our curriculum through domestic educational tours and the celebration of all cultures and traditions. Juniors and seniors may take college dual-credit, trade and fine arts courses through William Woods University, Hart Career Center, and Presser Performing Arts Center. Qualifying cadets can earn college credits by enrolling in MMA's Triumph Program.

Our curriculum is designed to support our 360° Education™ and provide a challenging academic environment that supports the development of life skills. The presence of our international student population provides a global perspective and an enriching educational experience for every cadet.

## PROGRAM OF STUDIES

Our academic program is delivered through a 4x4 block schedule that requires cadets to take four courses each semester, enabling cadets to take eight courses every school year. This format provides cadets many diverse academic opportunities.

## ARMY JROTC

The Academy's Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (JROTC) program, recognized as an "Honor Unit with Distinction," is an integral part of our curriculum and focuses on leadership and citizenship education. The JROTC Leadership, Education and Training (LET) courses are required for all cadets in grades 9 through 12.

## EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY

The Koster Global Media Center supports the use of the latest educational technology. Every cadet is provided a laptop computer to enhance their educational experience and familiarity with software packages and the latest educational resources. Google classroom is regularly used in all classes. The majority of the academic classes use electronic textbooks.

## EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Varsity sports include the following: football, soccer, cross country, basketball, wrestling, baseball, tennis, swimming, track, and golf. Other activities include: Boy Scouts of America, nationally recognized rifle and drill teams, Raiders team, horseback riding, photography, student government, Model United Nations, Missouri Boys State, bagpiping, and Future Business Leaders of America.

## COMMUNITY SERVICE

Staff, faculty, and cadets are involved in a robust community service program. Middle school cadets are required to earn 10 hours of community service each academic year, and high school cadets are required to earn 20 hours each year. Two cadet Community Service Days are scheduled annually to help cadets reach their service goals, and to instill an ethos of service before self. Cadets also participate in service learning projects coordinated by the JROTC Department.

## ACADEMIC RECOGNITION

Academic achievement is recognized through both the National Honor Society and MMA's Delta Phi fraternity which recognizes our top academic performers throughout the school year.

The Academy's successful Future Business Leaders of America club consistently competes and earns honors in state competition. Our band has regularly been recognized for its outstanding performance, and has earned top honors in the National Military School Band and Choir Festival for the past three years.

## COLLEGE ACCEPTANCE

Year after year, MMA celebrates a college acceptance rate of 100% with our graduates.

## GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

English .....	4	JROTC/LET .....	4
Mathematics .....	3	Physical Education .....	1
Science .....	3	Practical Arts .....	1
Social Studies .....	3	Electives .....	3
Fine Arts.....	1	Health .....	½
Personal Finance .....	½		

Total: 24 credits

**Providing a 360° Education™**

### GRADING SYSTEM

Numeric score	Letter Grade
97 - 100	A+
93 - 96	A
90 - 92	A-
87 - 89	B+
83 - 86	B
80 - 82	B-
77 - 79	C+
73 - 76	C
70 - 72	C-
67 - 69	D+
63 - 66	D
60 - 62	D-
Below 60	F

### GRADE POINTS

Grade	Dual Credit Courses	Regular and JROTC Courses
A	5	4
B	4	3
C	3	2
D	2	1
F	0	0

*Credit is earned for PE/Athletics, but not included in GPA.*

**CLASS RANK**  
Senior class ranking is determined by cumulative, weighted GPA.

**SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED TO THE CLASS OF 2021**  
**\$6,467,808**

### TYPICAL DAILY SCHEDULE FOR CADETS

	(M, T, Th, F)	Wednesday
Wake up	0600 (6:00 am)	
Physical Training (PT)/Drill instruction (3 days/week)	0615	
Personal hygiene/room inspections	0645	
Formation/Uniform Inspections	0725	
Breakfast	0730	
Period 1	0805	0805
Period 2	0940	0900
Advisor Support Period	1115	
Lunch	1155	1140
Period 3	1240	0955
Period 4	1415	1050
Commandant Training (Leadership, life skills, etc.)		1315 - 1555
Formation	1545	1315 - 1555
Varsity Athletics/Intramurals/Clubs/PT	1610	1610
Dinner	1830	1830
Study Hall	1915-2030	1915-2030
Personal Time	2045-2200	2045-2200
Taps/Lights out	2200 (10:00 pm)	2200

### CLASS OF 2021 – COLLEGE ACCEPTANCES

ALERT Academy	George Washington University	Olivet Nazarene University	Univ. of Health Sc. & Pharm.
Austin Peay State University	Graceland University	Oral Roberts University	University of Iowa
Bethany College	Hawaii Pacific University	Penn State University	University of Maine
Boston College	Hult International Business School	Purdue University	University of Maine-Augusta
Boston University	Indiana Tech	Rochester Institute of Tehcnology	University of Maine-Machias
California Univ. of Pennsylvania	Johnson & Wales University	Rockhurst University	University of Maine-Presque Isle
Carthage College	Kansas State University	Santa Clara University	University of MO Columbia
Colorado State University	Kennesaw State University	Sewanee University	University of Nebraska-Lincoln
Columbia College	Liberty University	Southeast Missouri Stae University	University of North Dakota
Cornell University	Lincoln University	Southern Illinois University	University of North Florida
Creighton University	Lindenwood University	Southern University and A & M	University of Northern Colorado
Culver Stockton College	Lipscomb University	St. Charles Community College	University of Notre Dame
Dalhousie University	Loyola University	St. Louis Community College	University of Oklahoma-Norman
DePaul University	Maine Maritime Academy	Technologico de Monterrey	University of South Carolina
Drake University	McKendree University	Texas Tech University	University of South Florida
Drury University	Metropolitan Community College-KC	The Citadel	University of Southern Maine
Eastern Nazarene College	Michigan State University	Union University	University of Tampa
Elmhurst University	Missouri Southern State University	United States Army	Univ. of Texas Rio Grande
Embry Riddle Aeronautical Univ.	Missouri State University	United States Marine Corps	University of Tulsa
Embry Riddle University	Missouri Univ. of Science and Technology	United States Navy	Vaughn Coll of Aero & Tech
Emirates Aviation University	Missouri Valley College	Universidad de Monterrey	Volunteer State Community Coll.
Emmanuel College - Boston	Neumont College of Computer Science	Universidad Latina de America	Western Michigan University
Florida Institute of Technology	New England Institute of Technology	University of Alaska Fairbanks	Westminster College
Florida Polytechnic University	New York Institute of Technology	University of California	William Jewell College
Fort Lewis College	Northwest Missouri State University	University of Central Missouri	
Full Sail University	Norwich University	University of Chicago	
George Mason University	Ohio Northern University	University of Cincinnati	