

List of Academies and Contact Information



United States Air Force Academy
www.usafa.af.mil



United States Coast Guard Academy
www.cga.edu



United States
Merchant Marine Academy
usmma.edu



United States Military Academy
at West Point
www.usma.edu



United States Naval Academy
www.usna.edu

“ Thank you for your
interest in attending
one of our nation's
Service Academies.
I am pleased you
have decided to
pursue a nomination,
and I look forward to
working with you.”

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Senator Lindsey Graham

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Lindsey Graham".



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Lindsey Graham
United States Senator from South Carolina

**Applying
for a
Nomination
to a
Service
Academy**

**Class of
2021**



UNITED STATES AIR FORCE ACADEMY • UNITED STATES COAST GUARD ACADEMY • UNITED STATES MERCHANT MARINE ACADEMY • UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY AT WESTPOINT • UNITED STATES NAVAL ACADEMY

Timeline for Requesting a Nomination from Senator Graham

Official application process opens July 15, 2016

Deadline to submit application requirements 11:59pm, November 1, 2016

Interviews for qualified candidatesNovember-January 2017

Nominations due to each Academy..... January 31, 2017

Candidates notified of nomination by Senator Graham February 2017

Candidates notified of appointment by the Academy.....April – May 2017

Eligibility Requirements

- Must be United States citizen
- Must be a legal resident of South Carolina
- Must meet medical, physical and academic requirements set by the individual Academies
- Cannot be pregnant or have a legal obligation to support children or other dependents
- Must be between 17 and 23 years of age (United States Merchant Marine Academy - between the ages of 17 and 25)

Additional Information

- Candidates should request a nomination from all possible nominating sources; including, but not limited to, both your United States Senators and Congressman
- Incomplete application files will not be considered for a nomination from Senator Graham
- A nomination does not guarantee an offer of appointment
- Communication with Senator Graham's office is by email through your online tracking account

2016 Application Requirements

For High School Seniors

- Create an online tracking account - www.lgraham.senate.gov
- Complete 2016 Online Service Academy Application
- Complete Online Checklist
 - ✓ Upload Correspondence from the Academy(s) verifying you are an official candidate
 - ✓ Upload 2 letters of recommendation
 - ✓ Upload 2016 Principal or Guidance Counselor Recommendation Form
 - ✓ Upload official high school transcript showing your final junior grades and numerical class rank
 - ✓ Upload ACT and/or SAT scores
 - ✓ Upload Candidate Overview

For Students Attending a Service Academy Prep School or College/University

- Create an online tracking account - www.lgraham.senate.gov
- Complete 2016 Online Service Academy Application
- Complete Online Checklist
 - ✓ Upload Correspondence from the Academy(s) verifying you are an official candidate
 - ✓ Upload 3 letters of recommendation
 - ✓ Upload ACT and/or SAT scores
 - ✓ Upload Candidate Overview

For Active Duty Service Men and Women

- Apply via your commanding officer and get their recommendation/endorsement
- Create an online tracking account - www.lgraham.senate.gov
- Complete 2016 Online Service Academy Application
- Complete Online Checklist
 - ✓ Upload Correspondence from the Academy(s) verifying you are an official candidate
 - ✓ Upload 3 letters of recommendation
 - ✓ Upload ACT and/or SAT scores
 - ✓ Upload Candidate Overview

All information must be uploaded via the online tracking account by 11:59pm Tuesday, November 1, 2016
Deadline Is Firm — No Exceptions Will Be Made