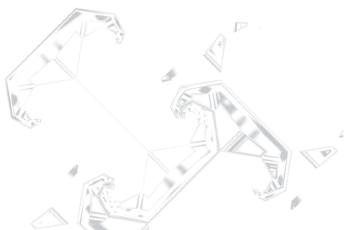




20th SPECIAL FORCES GROUP



Headquartered in Birmingham, Alabama the 20th Special Forces Group (Airborne) has united with 18-Series positions located in Alabama, Florida, Indiana, Maryland, Massachusetts, Mississippi and North Carolina. Regardless of what state you live in you can serve in any Army National Guard Special Forces Company.



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REQUIREMENTS TO JOIN THE ELITE GROUP OF SOLDIERS

PROCESS:

- Attend Special Forces Readiness Evaluation (SFRE). This is not required while on active duty.
- Attend Special Forces Assessment and Selection (SFAS) at Fort Bragg (can attend while on active duty).
- Attend Special Forces Qualification Course (SFQC) to train in a specific 18 series MOS.
- After being selected through these stages, you are awarded your Special Forces Tab and will receive an assignment with a designated group.
- The training will continue with language school and Military Freefall once assignment is received.
- Training takes 53-95 weeks long, depending on the specific MOS that is chosen.



SPECIAL FORCES (18 SERIES MOS) QUALIFICATION COURSES:

- 18A - Officers (1LT/Jr CPT)
- 18B - Weapons Sergeant
- 18C - Engineer Sergeant
- 18D - Medical Sergeant
- 18E - Communications Sergeant

EXCEPTIONAL REWARDS FOR YOUR SERVICE:



- Generous Bonuses available
- One year "try one" contracts are available to explore the Guard option
- Monthly paycheck
- Specialty Pay (Airborne and SDAP for all 18 Series, as well as Demo, Language, SCUBA and MFF for those who qualify)
- Eligible for all North Carolina National Guard education benefits to include state and federal tuition assistance, GI Bill programs, and up to \$50,000 loan repayment for any current loans
- Advanced training and continued education to maintain proficiency
- Continued eligibility for Tricare Health and Dental Programs, as well as SGLI benefits
- Continued use of The Thrift Savings Program (TSP)

20-YEAR RETIREMENT

You will be able to combine your years of prior service with your time in the National Guard and stay on track for a 20-year retirement.

Contact a recruiter to see if you meet the criteria and requirements to become a Green Beret Elite Soldier.

* National Guard programs and benefits are subject to change. Your RC Career Counselor is the best source for up-to-date information on the range of opportunities available to you in Guard Special Forces.