

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

JUNIOR YEAR

★ APRIL ★

Senator Cruz's Nomination Application Opens.

Candidates must contact the appropriate Service Academy admissions office to request an application package.

SENIOR YEAR

★ FALL ★

Submit your transcript to Senator Cruz's Austin office. Your transcript must reflect all of the courses completed in your junior year of high school.

Complete your nomination application by the October deadline listed on Senator Cruz's website.

★ WINTER ★

If you have been selected for a nomination, you will be notified by Senator Cruz's Nominations Coordinator by mid-December.

At the beginning of February, the Academies will begin notifying candidates about their appointments with the final notices in mid-April.

FACTS TO REMEMBER

Senator Cruz's office does not conduct in-person interviews.

Our office will use the highest ACT/SAT scores for each category. We encourage you to take the exams as many times as needed, but your scores must arrive to the office by the application deadline.

You will be required by the Academy to take a Physical Aptitude Examination. Your Academy will provide more information regarding this examination.

You will be required to take a mandatory medical examination scheduled by the Department of Defense Medical Examination Review Board (DoDMERB). You must be medically qualified by DoDMERB by June 1st following your senior year of high school.

If you have questions regarding the Academy Nominations process, please contact Senator Cruz's Academy Nominations Coordinator at:
(512) 916-5834
or
Academy_Nominations@Cruz.senate.gov

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U.S. SENATOR TED CRUZ

U.S. SERVICE ACADEMY
★ NOMINATIONS ★



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U.S. SERVICE ACADEMIES

A nomination from your elected official is only one part of the admissions process and does not guarantee admission to an Academy. It is important that you notify the appropriate Academies of your interest by applying for admission before beginning the nomination process.

★ U.S. Air Force Academy
Colorado Springs, CO
www.academyadmissions.com

★ U.S. Merchant Marine Academy
Kings Point, NY
www.usmma.edu/admissions

★ U.S. Military Academy
West Point, NY
www.usma.edu/admissions

★ U.S. Naval Academy
Annapolis, MD
www.usna.edu/admissions



WHO CAN APPLY FOR A NOMINATION

Candidates who wish to apply for a nomination from Senator Cruz's office must meet the following criteria:

★ Be a United States Citizen

★ Be a Legal Texas Resident

★ Be at least 17 years of age, but not older than 23 (not older than 25 for the Merchant Marine Academy), by July 1 of the year of admission.

★ By law, graduates of the service academies are appointed to active duty as commissioned officers and serve in the appropriate branch of the armed forces for a minimum of five years.

NOMINATION SOURCES

You are strongly encouraged to apply for a nomination through all available nominating sources.

You may apply for a nomination from both of your U.S. Senators, your U.S. Representative, and the Vice President of the United States.

If you are a dependent of a deceased or disabled veteran, there may be additional service-connected sources available. For more information, please contact your Academy of interest.

APPLYING FOR A NOMINATION

To be considered for a nomination, a complete application package must include the following:

1. Online Application and Questionnaire

2. Resume

3. Four Recommendation Forms - (forms can be found on Sen. Cruz's nominations website)

4. Official High School Transcript and College Transcripts (if applicable)

5. Official ACT or SAT Scores

-ACT Code: 7186

-SAT Code: 0261

The application form can be completed online at <http://cruz.senate.gov>. Find the link under "Student Resources" and follow all instructions to create an application profile.

Supporting items, such as your transcript and SAT or ACT scores, should be mailed to the Austin office:

Senator Ted Cruz
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