

# Military Science & Leadership Minor Curriculum Guide

The Department of Leadership Studies at Fort Hays State University (FHSU) offers a 21-credit hour Minor in Military Science and Leadership to all university students. This program is designed for students who are interested in enhancing their collegiate study and or military careers with leadership education within a military context. Attachable to all university degree programs and majors, a Minor in Military Science and Leadership adds value to the collegiate experience and career preparation for both the military and civilian sectors.

FHSU has partnered with the Kansas Army National Guard (KSARNG) to bring an Officer Candidate School (OCS) program to campus. One of only two collegiate OCS programs in the country, this on-campus program is comprised of both FHSU coursework and US Army training. The classes listed in this minor are a part of the OCS curriculum, but can be taken without any level of commitment to the KSARNG. In the process of earning a Minor in Military Science and Leadership students will simultaneously earn a Certificate in Leadership Studies. While this minor is most beneficial for those either currently serving, or interested in the military, the contextual learning can benefit those in a wide variety of majors and career trajectories.

This minor is available to all majors across campus. The Minor in Military Science and Leadership consists of 21 credit hours in both Military Science and Leadership Studies courses.

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| <u>Minor Core</u>  | <u>12 Hours</u> |
| LDRS 300 Introduction to Leadership Concepts               | 3 Hours         |
| LDRS302 Introduction to Leadership Behavior                | 3 Hours         |
| LDRS310 Fieldwork in Leadership Studies                    | 3 Hours         |
| MIL 201 Military Leadership Development                    | 3 Hours         |
| <u>Electives in Military Science</u>                       | <u>9 Hours</u>  |
| MIL 100 Fundamentals of Soldiering                         | 3 Hours         |
| MIL 102 The US Army  | 3 Hours         |
| MIL 203 Basic Army Fieldcraft                              | 3 Hours         |
| MIL 301 Introduction to Military Briefings and Instruction | 3 Hours         |
| MIL 302 Soldier Health and Fitness                         | 3 Hours         |
| MIL 401 Platoon and Staff Leadership I                     | 3 Hours         |
| MIL 402 Platoon and Staff Leadership II                    | 3 Hours         |
| <b>Total</b>   | <b>21 Hours</b> |