



LOUISIANA NATIONAL GUARD

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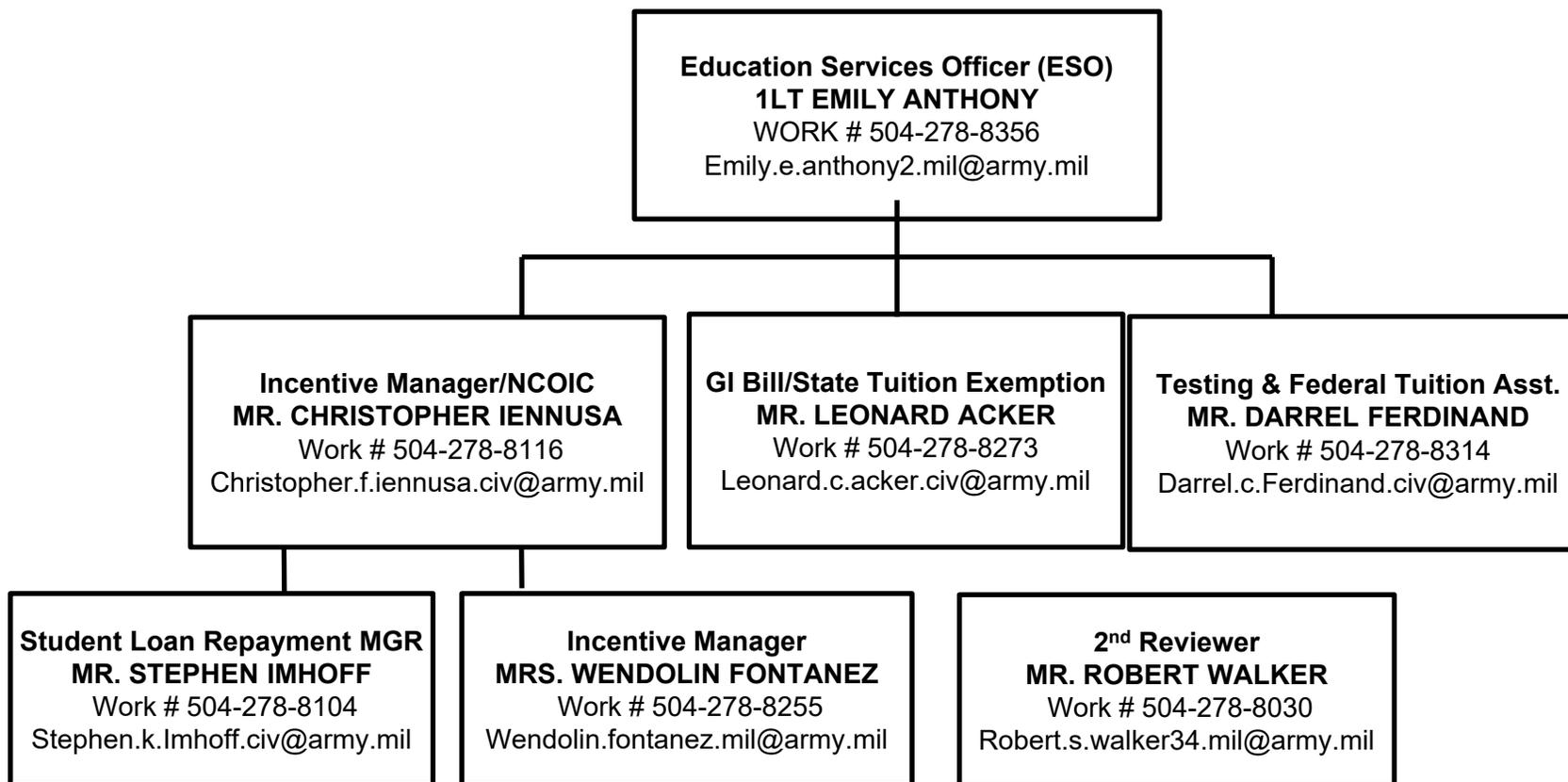
EDUCATION SERVICES





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As of 22NOV22



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Current Incentives

- Non-Prior Service Enlistment Bonus (NPSEB)
 - \$20,000
- Re-enlistment Bonus (REB)
 - 6 YR - \$20,000
 - 4 YR - \$12,000
 - 2 YR - \$5,000
- Student Loan Repayment Program (SLRP)
 - Can be issued upon enlistment OR re-enlistment for \$45,000
 - Additional \$5,000 in repayment available with 6YR extension
- Chaplain Loan Repayment Program (CLRP)
- Enlisted Accession Bonus (EAB)
- GI Bill Kicker
 - \$200-\$350 per month stipend while attending school, depending on rank (can be issued at enlistment, re-enlistment, or within 1 year of commission)
- **Unavailable at this time:**
 - Officer Retention Bonus (ORB)
 - Warrant Officer Retention Bonus (WORB)



Education

- Ch. 1606 GI Bill
- Post 9/11 GI Bill
 - Earned through qualifying Active-Duty service
 - COVID orders, Federal Deployments, etc.
- State Tuition Exemption Program (STEP)
 - Free tuition at all in-state, public schools in LA (This does NOT cover fees)
- Federal Tuition Assistance (FTA)- \$4,000 per year to pay for school
- Credentialing Assistance (CA)- \$4,000 per year for job training & licensing. Go to www.armyignited.army.mil to learn more.
- Army Personnel Testing
 - SIFT, AFCT, DLPT, DLAB
 - Offered at Jackson Barracks, Carville, and Camp Beauregard
 - GT Score Enhancement Course offered year-round

Contact Mr. Ferdinand for FTA, CA and Testing
Contact Mr. Acker to discuss GI Bill and STEP.



(STEP) Eligibility Requirements

1. Be an actively drilling member of the Louisiana National Guard
2. Live in the state of Louisiana
3. Must be in good standing with the Louisiana National Guard
4. Must be seeking an Associate's, Bachelor's or Master's Degree
5. Must maintain good academic standing with school
6. Must pay all additional fees applied to bill (LA STEP only covers tuition, not the fees)

Note: If a Soldier loses eligibility, they do have the ability to earn it back by getting back in good standing with that school.

STEP & TOPS: If a Soldier qualifies for both, they will get STEP and the TOPS Stipend (not the full TOPS amount).



We would love to come to your unit on a drill weekend and brief your Soldiers on the Education Benefits available to them.

Reach out to 1LT Emily Anthony at emily.e.anthony2.mil@army.mil to schedule a visit!



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Questions?