



The East Lee Leadership Academy (ELLA) provides students with a high-quality education, incorporating the JROTC principles of leadership, discipline, patriotism, community service, and honor. Our staff is dedicated to the development of the mental, physical, and moral well-being of all student-cadets by preparing these young men and women to become productive and self-directed American citizens.


The vision of ELLA is to become a world-class provider of leadership education and to prepare students in career success by providing rigorous and relevant learning opportunities while challenging students to achieve the highest potential of their minds and bodies. At the heart of the ELLA vision is the determination to create independent learners.



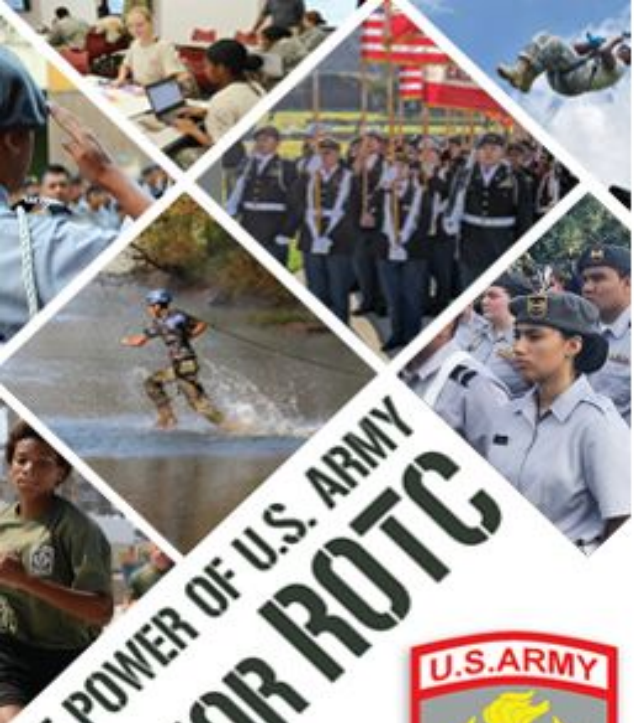
The success of the program is largely due to great Army JROTC Instructors in your high school classroom.

- JROTC Instructors are retired three years or less from the Army in grades E-6 (Staff Sergeant) through O-6 (Colonel) and have excellent records of military performance.
- Bachelor's degree for Senior Army Instructor (SAI)
- Associate's degree for Army Instructor (AI)
- Completion of JROTC Resident Instructor Training
- Completion of JROTC Basic and Advanced Distance Learning


JROTC Instructors complete a Child Care National Agency Check and Inquiries (CNACI) background investigation.



**East Lee County
High School JROTC
Leadership Academy**



**THE POWER OF U.S. ARMY
JUNIOR ROTC**





TO MOTIVATE YOUNG PEOPLE TO BE BETTER CITIZENS

The Army JROTC Program emphasizes character education, student achievement, wellness, leadership and diversity. It is a cooperative effort on the part of the military services and host institutions to produce successful students and citizens, while fostering in each school a more constructive and disciplined learning environment. JROTC makes substantial contributions to students, schools and communities which benefit greatly from its presence.

JROTC is the Department of Defense's (DOD) largest youth development program in our secondary schools. The purpose as defined in Title 10 United States Code, Section 2031 is to instill in students in the United States secondary educational institution the values of citizenship, service to the United States, personal responsibility and a sense of accomplishment.

US ARMY JROTC FACTS

Army Junior ROTC was established by the National Defense Act of 1916 • 1700+ secondary schools have JROTC units • Army JROTC has over 275,000 cadets • Tools are available in the JROTC Program structure, curriculum and co-curricular activities to overcome common challenges in education • JROTC is fun while it provides opportunities that cannot be found in any other program

PROGRAM QUALITY INDICATORS		
CATEGORY	SCHOOL	JROTC
Attendance	~87.5%	~91.3%
Graduation	~50%	~66%
Indiscipline	~2.6%	~<1%
Drop Out	~<1%	~<1%
GPA	~2.23	~2.50

~275K Cadets and ~3800 Instructors performed over 1 million hours of Community Service and Service Learning.

ELCHS JROTC Extracurricular Competitive Teams Include:

- Raiders
- Marksmanship
- Drill
- Drone Racing
- Robotics
- Color Guard



PROGRAM OUTCOMES

- Graduate high school students prepared to succeed in post-secondary options and career pathways.
- Make decisions that promote positive social, emotional, and physical health.
- Value the role of the military and other service organizations.
- Act with integrity and personal accountability as students learn to lead others to succeed in a diverse and global workforce.
- Engage in civic concerns that impact the community and society at large

