

**Army Europe CYS
Scholarship Program:
It's a WIN WIN for CYS
employees and
military kids!**



**Earn free college credit
while improving your
knowledge and
performance as a CYS
professional serving
military kids across US
Army Europe.**



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**2018-2019
School Year**

How the Program Works:

CYS Europe will offer select classes that can lead to a degree in Child Development through Central Texas College (CTC). Three sessions each school year will be offered. Employees can apply for a scholarship for these classes and get a total of up to 24 credit hours paid for by CYS. Students must be employed a minimum of 3 months prior to application, be current on all installation training requirements, and remain employed within CYS for a minimum of 180 days following completion of any paid course. For more information on the program, its requirements, and to apply please go to the CYS Scholarship webpage at

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2018-2019 Scholarship Schedule

FALL SEMESTER		
CLASS DATES	CLASS NAME	CREDITS
10 Sept-04 Nov 2018	Children with Special Needs	3
15 Oct-28 Oct 2018	Mentoring for Early Childhood Educators	1
WINTER SEMESTER		
CLASS DATES	CLASS NAME	CREDITS
28 Jan-24 Mar 2019	The School Age Child	3
04 Feb-17 Feb 2019	Technology in the classroom	1
SPRING SEMESTER		
CLASS DATES	CLASS NAME	CREDITS
15 April-23 June 2019	Administration of Programs for Children - I	4
13 May-27 May 2019	Deployment and Military Families	1

- Students have the option of selecting "hybrid" classes (combination of face-to-face and online instruction) OR strictly online instruction. In some locations only an online option is offered.
- Exact dates and times vary depending upon location.
- You will need to work with your CYS Trainer in completing the application process.
- Students are responsible for purchase of any required materials, earning a grade of C or better, and completing a post-class online survey.

What CYS employees are saying about the program:

- ✦ "Not only did I benefit from this class in the knowledge and skills that I gained; the center and the children that are in it benefited from what I learned."
- ✦ "With every class I take it gives me a better understanding of my job, children and parents with knowing how to communicate and work to be effective in what I do."
- ✦ "It gives you ideas on the things you can do to improve your classroom. Also gives you the tools to become a well rounded teacher."
- ✦ "Taking these courses and obtaining the knowledge provided, I have decided to pursue a career in early childhood education."
- ✦ "With these courses I have been able to move up from a CYPA to a Supervisory Program Specialist. I am very proud of what I have done by taking these courses."
- ✦ "Shows appreciation of staff, commitment to growth of individual and program and shows interest in providing the most professional standards in childcare..."
- ✦ "Being able to increase the quality of workers helps the community by providing better care for our soldiers as well as providing opportunities for our army civilians."
- ✦ "Through this class I found more inspiration for the classroom and for the children that are in my care that I would not have been able to attain. Being able to step out of the classroom and being able to explore all the theories on creativity and then being able to see it at work in the classroom is a priceless experience."
- ✦ "The scholarship has given me an opportunity to further my education, it has been difficult with moving around from place to place with my active duty spouse, this will help me greatly in my future goals."
- ✦ "This is one of my favorite benefits to being a CYS employee."