

2026 Military Academy Nomination Deadlines Class of 2029 Rep. Brad Schneider (IL-10)

June 26 th , 2026	Application Submission for Nominations Begin
August 2026	Service Academy Information Night Exact Date & Location TBD
October 31 st , 2026	Submission Deadline All application materials must be submitted by 5pm CT (See checklist below)
December 5 th , 2026	Interview Day <i>Service Academy Nomination Board meets with all candidates</i>
December 31 st , 2026	Nomination submitted to academies. Nomination letters sent to candidates.
March 2027	Reception For All Nominated Students
June 2027	Send-Off Ceremony with All Academy Appointees

Nomination Application Checklist:

- ☐ Online Application – [Click Here to Access](#)
- ☐ Student's Photo
- ☐ High School Transcript
- ☐ ACT/SAT Scores
- ☐ A Letter to Congressman Schneider Explaining Why You Want to Attend a Service Academy
- ☐ 3 Recommendations (Recommenders Can Use Sample Form or Submit Their Own Letter)
- ☐ Student must sign the authorization form 18 years or older. Parents must sign the authorization form if applicant is under the age of 18.