

## **Course Description**

## MSL1001 | First Year Basic Army ROTC | 2.00 credits

Introduction to Army organizations, military customs, basic marching drills, map reading, and land navigation techniques, drown-proofing, rappelling, river crossing techniques, and physical fitness. Physical fitness training and laboratory required.

## **Course Competencies:**

Competency 1: ROTC Military Science (MS) I Course and Purpose:

MSL1001 Fall Semester introduces Cadets to the personal challenges and competencies critical for effective leadership. Cadets learn how the personal development of life skills such as critical thinking, performance and resilience enhancement skills, and communication will benefit them throughout their lives and careers. Cadets will begin learning the basics of squad-level tactics, which will be reinforced during a weekly lab facilitated by MS III Cadets, supervised by MS IVs and Cadre.

## **Learning Outcomes:**

- Communicate effectively using listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills
- Solve problems using critical and creative thinking and scientific reasoning
- Create strategies that can be used to fulfill personal, civic, and social responsibilities