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Subject: Re: Soldiers disrespect towards cadets.

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The ROTC you are thinking of is college ROTC which is basically used to commission officers like you said. I'm in the JROTC, which is a high school program. Even with what you said though, I see your point. I know people who want to be officers, but they entered the military as an E-3 or lower. Not only do they have to work harder at it, but they will have seen combat before any of the commissioned officers coming out of the ROTC program. That's a downside to the ROTC program I think, because they don't have any combat experience before picking their route in the military; whether be they choose to have their own company, or do something else.

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