- 1. Academic awards- recognition given to individual cadets for scholastic achievement or excellence.
- 2. Athletic awards- recognition given to individuals for athletic participation or excellence.
- **3.** Commitment- a pledge or promise to do something; dedication to a long-term course of action.
- **4. Decorations-** an indication of honor, such as a badge, medal, or ribbon.
- **5. Individual awards-** recognition given to an individual for outstanding academic, athletic, or military achievement, or for excellence in competition, contribution to unit goals or outstanding service.
- **6. Initiative-** the power to begin or follow through energetically with a plan or task; determination.
- **7. Military awards-** recognition given to individuals for participating in JROTC sponsored activities, or for leadership excellence.
- **8. Miscellaneous awards-** recognition given to individuals for participation in school or community service activities, or in activities that enhance the JROTC program.
- **9. Motivation-** a force that moves a person to action; often inspired by an idea, fact, event, or goal.
- **10. Responsibility-** the quality of being reliable, trustworthy, and accountable for your actions.
- **11. Unit awards-** recognition given to a JROTC program for being an honor unit or an honor unit with distinction