



# CAP CADET PROGRAMS

## Horizontal Curriculum Map

### LEADERSHIP

**Goal.** The goal of the Cadet Program's leadership element is to develop in cadets the ability to think independently and lead others in an atmosphere of teamwork and mutual respect.

**Version:** July 2016

**Monthly Requirement:** 1.5 hours

CONTENT AREA	ACADEMICS	ACTIVITIES	AIR FORCE TRADITIONS	SERVICE LEARNING
<b>RESOURCES</b>	Learn to Lead - Vol. 1, Personal Leadership - Vol. 2, Small Team Leadership - Vol. 3, Indirect Leadership - Vol. 4, Strategic Perspectives - Lesson Plan Library - Curriculum Guide	Cadet Great Start - Curriculum Guide - New Cadet Guide  Learn to Lead Activity Guide  Cadet Encampment Program - Cadet Encampment Guide - Cadet Encampment Handbook - Lesson Plan Library - 20 contact hours in leadership ed.  Red Ribbon Leadership Academy - Curriculum Guide - Student Guide  Region Cadet Leadership School - Curriculum Guide - Readings  Cadet Officer School - Curriculum Guide - Student Guide - Readings  Spaatz Association Leadership Grants	The Uniform - New Cadet Guide - CAP Uniform Manual - Curry Blues Voucher  Military Customs & Courtesies - Respect on Display  Drill & Ceremonies - Cadet Drill Guide - AFMAN 36-2203 - CAP Drill & Ceremonies - AFOATS Drill & Ceremonies Videos - AFJROTC Drill & Ceremonies Instructor Guide	Cadet Staff Service - Cadet Staff Handbook  Staff Duty Analysis - SDA Guide  Cadet Advisory Council - CAC Handbook
<b>ASSESSMENTS</b>	Achievement Tests  Milestone Award Exams	Informal - Course Critiques - Quizzes - Instructor Feedback	Uniform Inspection Scorecard  Drill & Ceremonies Performance Tests	CAPF 50 Leadership Feedback
<b>AWARDS</b>				



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### AEROSPACE

**Goal.** The goals of the Cadet Program’s aerospace element are to inspire in youth a love of aviation, space and technology; provide them with a foundation in aerospace’s scientific principles; and introduce them to aerospace career opportunities. Cadet “aerospace” includes the separate domains of aviation, space, and cyberspace.

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CONTENT AREA	ACADEMICS	ACTIVITIES	CAREER EXPLORATIONS	FLYING
<b>RESOURCES</b>	Aerospace Dimensions - Module 1 Introduction to Flight - Module 2 Aircraft Systems & Airports - Module 3 Air Environment - Module 4 Rockets - Module 5 Space Environment - Module 6 Spacecraft - Study Guide - Leader’s Guide  Aerospace: Journey of Flight - Teacher’s Guide	STEM Kits (Flight simulator, robotics, weather stations, astronomy, MARC, rocketry, quadcopter, hydraulics)  Activity Guides: - Model Rocketry - Advanced Rocketry - Introduction to Robotics - Introduction to Cyber Security - Aerospace Excellence (AEX) 5 books  Air Force Association Grants  Cyber Patriot  Encampment Program - 4 core classes (aviation, space, cyber) - 6 hours of tours, speakers, hands-on	National Cadet Special Activities (30+ academies) - Aviation Careers - Air Force Careers - Technology Careers  AE Careers Module (online)	Cadet Orientation Flights - Powered Aircraft - Glider Aircraft - Military Aircraft  National Flight Academies  Advanced National Flight Academy
<b>ASSESSMENTS</b>	Achievement Tests  Milestone Award Exams	Informal - Course Critiques - Quizzes - Instructor Feedback	Informal - Course Critiques - Quizzes - Instructor Feedback - Project-Based Learning	Informal - Course Critiques - Quizzes - Instructor Feedback
<b>AWARDS</b>		Cadet Rocketry Badge Cadet STEM Badge Cadet Cyber Badge		Formal - Flight Evaluations (academies) - FAA Written Exams (academies)



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**FITNESS**

**Goal.** The goal of the Cadet Program's fitness element is to develop in cadets a habit of regular exercise.

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CONTENT AREA	ACTIVITIES	ACADEMICS	ATTITUDES
<b>RESOURCES</b>	Best Guide to Physical Fitness  Encampment Program (1 hr academics, 7 hours fitness activities)	Fit to Fly - Student Text - Instructor Guide  Lesson Plan Library  PYFP Test Videos	Mentoring  Promotion Board Counseling
<b>ASSESSMENTS</b>	Cadet Physical Fitness Test (Presidential Youth Fitness Program, modified for CAP)  Informal - Course Critiques - Performance Checks - Instructor Feedback	Informal - Course Critiques - Quizzes - Instructor Feedback	
<b>AWARDS</b>	Cadet Merit List - Cadet Fitness Excellence Badge		Squadron Hall of Fame  PYFP Awards



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### CHARACTER

**Goal.** The goal of the Cadet Program’s character element is to develop in cadets an ability to think critically about moral and ethical issues, and to develop a commitment to live CAP’s Core Values.

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CONTENT AREA	ACADEMICS	ACTIVITIES	MENTORING	SERVICE LEARNING
<b>RESOURCES</b>	The Cadet Oath Cadet Wingman Course Flight Time: Values for Living Medal of Honor Character Development Fit to Fly - Student Text - Instructor Guide Let’s Go Fly - Student Text - Instructor Guide	DDR-X Cadet Honor Academy Wreaths Across America Encampment program (C1 Honor Agreement, C2 Core Values, C3 Becoming a Core Values Leader, and C4 Drug-Free Lifestyle) Region Cadet Leadership School Cadet Officer School International Air Cadet Exchange “Schoolhouse Weave”	Adult staff serving as role models, chaperones, and mentors Interactions with Air Force members as role models and mentors Cadet Wingman Program as peer-to-peer mentoring Ministry of presence by CAP chaplains Feedback Meetings (promotion boards)	Cadet Staff Service Red Ribbon Leadership Academy National Character Day Wreaths Across America Participation in CAP’s Emergency Services mission (real-world humanitarian efforts) Color guard & honor guard activities Other community service projects.
<b>ASSESSMENTS</b>	Informal - Course Critiques - Quizzes - Instructor Feedback	Informal - Course Critiques - Quizzes - Instructor Feedback	Informal	Informal - Course Critiques - Quizzes - Instructor Feedback
<b>AWARDS</b>	Cadet Merit List - Academic Excellence Badge			