

CRITICAL INFORMATION:

- Core Values: Integrity First, Service Before Self, and Excellence in All We Do(Be able to define these)
- Mission Statement of the Air Force: To Fly, Fight, and Win, in Air, Space, and Cyberspace
- Mission Statement of AFJROTC: To develop citizens of character dedicated to serving their nation and community.
- Cadet Honor Code: This cadet will not lie, cheat, or steal, nor tolerate those who do.
- Air Force Motto: Aim High

Air Force Chain of Command:

- **Commander in Chief:** The Honorable Joseph R. Biden
- **Vice President:** The Honorable Kamala D. Harris
- **Secretary of State:** The Honorable Antony Blinken
- **Speaker of the House:** The Honorable Nancy Pelosi
- **Secretary of Defense:** The Honorable Lloyd James Austin III
- **Deputy Secretary of Defense:** The Honorable Kathleen H. Hicks
- **Secretary of the Air Force:** The Honorable Frank Kendall
- **Under Secretary of the Air Force:** The Honorable Colin Kahl
- **Chairman of Joint Chiefs of Staff:** General Mark A. Milley (Army)
- **Air Force Chief of Staff:** General Charles Q. Brown Jr.
- **Vice Air Force Chief of Staff:** General David W. Allvin
- **Chief Master Sergeant of the Air Force:** CMSAF JoAnne S. Bass
- **Commander, Air Education and Training Command:** Lt Gen Marshall B. Webb
- **Commander, Air University:** Lt Gen. James B. Hecker
- **Commander, Holm Center:** Brigadier General Leslie A. Maher
- **Director, AFJROTC:** Col Stephen Sanders

Important Dates:

1. The Air Force was founded on September 18, 1947
2. The Army was founded on June 14, 1775
3. The Marine Corps was founded on November 10, 1775

4. The Navy was founded on October
5. 13, 1775
6. The Coast Guard was founded on August 4, 1790
7. First ROTC was founded at Norwich University in Vermont in 1916
8. First AFJROTC was founded in 1964 in Wyoming
 - Founded by: Army Lt Edgar R. Steevers
9. First time women allowed in AFROTC was in 1972
 - *Made public law in 1973
10. NJ-761: First Unit in New Jersey formed in 1976
 - Presidents Day: Third Monday of February
 - Memorial Day: Last Monday of May
 - D-Day: June 6, 1944
 - Flag Day: June 14
 - Independence Day: July 4 (1776)
 - Veterans Day: November 11
 - Pearl Harbor Attack: December 7, 1941
 - Revolutionary War: Apr 19, 1775 – Sep 3, 1783
 - Civil War: Apr 12, 1861 – Apr 9, 1865

Honor Guard Information:

- There are **13 stripes** on the American Flag and they stand for the **13 original colonies**.
- There are **7 red stripes** and **6 white stripes** on the American Flag.
- The **50 stars** are arranged in **5 rows of 6 stars** and **4 rows of 5 stars**
- The Blue field of stars is also called the union.
- **Red:** Hardiness and Valor
- **White:** Purity and Innocence
- **Blue:** Vigilance, Perseverance, and Justice
- **Truck:** Ball on top of the flagpole
- The only time the flag is flown during the hours of darkness is when it is **properly illuminated**.
- When the flag is flown upside down, it is a **signal of distress**.
- The “Star-Spangled Banner” was written by **Francis Scott Key in 1814** (War of 1812 - Battle of Baltimore)
- The “Star-Spangled Banner” became the **National Anthem of the United States in 1931**.

- Last 5 Presidents: Hon. Donald J Trump, Hon. Barack H. Obama, Hon. George W. Bush, Hon. William J. Clinton, Hon. George H. W. Bush, Hon. Ronald W. Reagan
- When used to cover a casket, place the **union at the head and over the left shoulder.**
- When a **president or past president dies**, you are required to fly the flag at **half-staff for 30 days.**
- When a **Vice President, or Speaker of the House dies**, the flag will be flown at **half-staff for 10 days.**
- **Nicknames for the American Flag:** “Old Glory”, “Star- Spangled Banner”, and “Stars and Stripes”.
- First General order: “To take charge of this post and all government property in view.”

Locations:

- U.S. Military Academy: West Point, New York
- U.S. Naval Academy: Annapolis, Maryland
- U.S. Air Force Academy: Colorado Springs, Colorado
 - Mascot of the Air Force Academy: Falcon
- U.S. Coast Guard Academy: New London, Connecticut
- U.S. Merchant Marine Academy: Kings Point, New York
- Capital of the United States: Washington D.C.
- Capital of New Jersey: Trenton

Local Government:

- 3 Branches of Government: Legislative, Executive, Judicial
- Governor of New Jersey: The Honorable Philip D. Murphy
- Lieutenant Governor of New Jersey: The Honorable Sheila Y. Oliver
- Senators of New Jersey: The Honorable Robert Menendez, Honorable Cory A. Booker
- Mayor of Piscataway: The Honorable Brian C. Wahler

Uniform and Dress:

- Back of pants is **7/8 of an inch longer** than the front.
- Male Fingernails **cannot pass the edge of the finger**
- Female Fingernails **cannot extend ¼ inch past the edge of the finger**

- **Gig Line:** the straight line formed by the line in the shirt, the edge of the belt buckle, and the fly.
- The length of the coat sleeves **should not be longer than the ends of your hands**

Armed Inspection:

1. Model of Rifle Used for Drill: M1903 Springfield Rifle Replica
2. Caliber of M1903: .30-06 (pronounced “30-ot-6”) Springfield Rifle Round
3. Weight of M1903: 8 ½ pounds
4. Length of the M1903: 43.3 inches
5. Effective firing range of the M1903: 1,000 yards
6. Maximum firing range of the M1903: 5,500 yards
7. The M1903 Springfield is an American five-round magazine fed, bolt-action service repeating rifle, used primarily during the first half of the 20th century. It was officially adopted as a United States military bolt-action rifle on June 19, 1903.

Manuals:

- Air Force Drill Manual: Air Force Manual (AFMAN) 36-2203. (Used for reg and inspection)
- Army Drill Manual: Army Training Circular (ATC) 3-21.5 (Used for armed reg, inspection, and color guard [rifle movements])
- Air Force Dress and Appearance Manual: Air Force Instruction (AFI) 36-2903 (Used for uniform wear and appearance)
- IAW: “In accordance with”

Instructor:

- Senior Aerospace Science Instructor: Lt Col Richard Kerr
- Aerospace Science Instructor: N/A

NJ-761 Group Staff:

- Group Commander: C/Col Shannen Justiniani
- Deputy Group Commander: C/Lt Col Khushi Patel
- Group Superintendent: C/CMSgt Vir Patel

NJ-761 Squadron Staff:

- Mission Support Squadron Commander: C/Lt Col Zyiire Brown
- Mission Support First Sergeant: C/SMSGT Tehzeeb Farooqui

Drill Team Staff

- Drill Team Commander: C/2nd Lt Matthew Hagg
- Deputy Drill Team Commander: N/A
- Color Guard Commander:

Drill Team Commanders:

- Unarmed Regulation: C/TSgt
- Unarmed Inspection: C/TSgt
- Armed Regulation: C/TSgt
- Armed Inspection: C/TSgt

Armour:

- C/Sra
- C/Sra

Cadet Creed:

MUST KNOW

I am an Air Force Junior ROTC Cadet.

I am connected and faithful to every Corps of Cadets who served their community and nation with patriotism.

I earn respect when I uphold the Core Values of Integrity First, Service Before Self, and Excellence In All We Do.

I will always conduct myself to bring credit to my family, school, Corps of Cadets, community, and to myself.

My character defines me. I will not lie, cheat, or steal. I am accountable for my actions and deeds.

I will hold others accountable for their actions as well.

I will honor those I serve with, those who have gone before me, and those who will come after me.

I am a Patriot, a Leader, and a Wingman devoted to those I follow, serve, and lead.

I am an Air Force Junior ROTC Cadet.

Air Force Song:

MUST KNOW

Off we go into the wild blue yonder,
Climbing high into the sun;
Here they come zooming to meet our thunder,
At 'em boys, Give 'er the gun! (Give 'er the gun!)
Down we dive, spouting our flame from under,
Off with one heckuva roar!
We live in fame or go down in flame. Hey!
Nothing'll stop the U.S. Air Force!

OPTIONAL









Minds of men fashioned a crate of thunder,
Sent it high into the blue;
Hands of men blasted the world asunder;
How they lived God only knew! (God only knew then!)
Souls of men dreaming of skies to conquer
Gave us wings, ever to soar!
With scouts before and bombers galore. Hey!
Nothing'll stop the U.S. Air Force!









Here's a toast to the host
Of those who love the vastness of the sky,
To a friend we send a message of his brother men who fly.
We drink to those who gave their all of old,
Then down we roar to score the rainbow's pot of gold.
A toast to the host of men we boast, the U.S. Air Force!

OPTIONAL BUT RECOMMENDED

Off we go into the wild sky yonder,
Keep the wings level and true;
If you'd live to be a grey-haired wonder
Keep the nose out of the blue! (Out of the blue, hey!)
Flying men, guarding the nation's border,
We'll be there, followed by more!
In echelon we carry on. Hey!
Nothing will stop the U.S. Air Force!

RANKS:

Enlisted Ranks	E-1	E-2	E-3	E-4	E-5	E-6	E-7	E-8	E-9
	Airman Basic	Airman	Airman First Class	Senior Airman	Staff Sergeant	Technical Sergeant	Master Sergeant	Senior Master Sergeant	Chief Master Sergeant
	(No Insignia)								

Officer Ranks	O-1	O-2	O-3	O-4	O-5	O-6	O-7	O-8	O-9	O-10
	2 nd Lieutenant	1 st Lieutenant	Captain	Major	Lieutenant Colonel	Colonel	Brigadier General	Major General	Lieutenant General	General
										

Special Ranks	E-9 Special		O-10 Special	
	Chief Master Sergeant of the Air Force		General of the Air Force*	
				


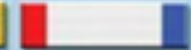












*General of the Air Force is a special rank given when the USA is at war with a country of an equivalent rank. The only General of the Air Force to ever exist was General Henry Arnold. There is currently no General of the Air Force.

RIBBONS:



AIR FORCE JUNIOR ROTC

Wear your Ribbons Properly and Proudly!

					
Air Force JROTC Gold Valor Award	Air Force JROTC Silver Valor Award	Cadet Humanitarian Award	Silver Star Community Service with Excellence Award	Community Service with Excellence Award	Air Force Association Award
					
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Military Order of World Wars Medal	Military Officers Association Award	Veterans of Foreign Wars Award	National Sojourners Award	Sons of the American Revolution Award	Scottish Rite, Southern Jurisdiction Award
					
Military Order of the Purple Heart	Air Force Sergeants Association	Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War	Sons of Confederate Veterans H.L. Hunley Award	Tuskegee Airmen Inc. AFJROTC Cadet Award	The Retired Enlisted Association Award
					
Celebrate Freedom Foundation Award	National Society United States Daughters of 1812	Air Commando Association Award	Non-Funded National Award	Distinguished Unit Award With Merit	Distinguished Unit Award
					
Outstanding Organization Award	Outstanding Flight Ribbon	Top Performer Award	Outstanding Cadet Ribbon	Leadership Ribbon	Achievement Ribbon
					
Superior Performance Ribbon	Academic Ribbon	Leadership School Ribbon	Special Teams Competition	Orienteering Ribbon	Co-Curricular Activities Leadership Ribbon
					
Drill Team Ribbon	Color Guard Ribbon	Sabre Team Ribbon	Marksmanship Ribbon	Good Conduct Ribbon	Service Ribbon
					
Health and Wellness Ribbon	Recruiting Ribbon	Activities Ribbon	Attendance Ribbon	Dress and Appearance Ribbon	Longevity Ribbon
					
Bataan Death March Memorial Hike Ribbon	Patriotic Flag Ribbon	Gen Carl A. Spaatz Award (CAP)	Gen Ira C. Eaker Award (CAP)	Amelia Earhart Award (CAP)	Gen Billy Mitchell Award (CAP)
					
		Gen J. F. Curry Award (CAP)			

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Rifle Parts:

M1903

