Mission

Mission: To train Officers, Chief Warrant Officers, and Noncommissioned Officers who are involved in the planning and execution of reconnaissance collection and tactical security tasks at the Troop and Squadron level, as well as Joint Asset planners and operators who support ground operations. Students will focus on applying the Fundamentals of Reconnaissance and Security, as well as established doctrine and TTPs, into the planning of various High Intensity and Counter Insurgency Operations in time constrained environments. Students will develop skills in asset synchronization, reconnaissance equipment employment and tactical techniques to accomplish a myriad of reconnaissance and security scenarios.

Training is built around the following Course objectives:
1. Subject Matter Expert of Reconnaissance and Security Fundamentals
2. Application of Mission Analysis
3. Integration of supporting assets
4. Application of Mission Command through operational planning

Graduates will understand the intricate details, as well as the time limitations, involved in planning Cavalry operations at the Troop and Squadron level.

Cavalry Leader Course Schedule

Day	
Day 1	In-Processing, CAV History, IPB (Task Org, Aviation/A2C2), Logistics
Day 2	IPB (Terrain, Enemy analysis)
Day 3	Recon Fundamentals, CCIR , NAI Dev, Asset Sync, CDR recon guidance
Day 4-5	Forms of Recon (Zone, Route, Area, Urban)
Day 6-7	Security Fundamentals, Forms of Security (Screen, Guard, Cover)
Day 8	Troop Order #1 Planning
Day 9	**Troop Order #1 Brief**
Day 10-12	Cavalry Operations Adaptive Planning Exercise (COAPEX)
Day 13	Troop Order #2 Planning
Day 14	**Troop Order #2 Brief**
Day 15	AAR, Graduation

For complete list of CLC class dates, search "Cavalry Leader" on the ATRRS website (https://www.atrrs.army.mil/atrrscc/search.aspx?newsearch=true)

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Pre-Reading

Reading: Students will read various case studies and articles, as well as research Army Field Manuals and Joint publications, throughout the course. Prior to reporting the student should be familiar with the following:

1) FM 17-95 Cavalry Operations
2) FM 3-20.971 Reconnaissance Troop
3) FM 3-0 Operations
4) FM 5-0 The Operations Process
5) FM 3-90 Tactics

https://armypubs.us.army.mil/doctrine/index.html

Additionally, the following will be read by students prior to arrival on Day 1:

1. Trading Saber for Stealth (AKO/CAC Login Required)
2. Fighting for Information- Armor Magazine (AKO/CAC Login Required)
3. Starry- ACR vs. Armor- Starry Papers 1978 (AKO/CAC Login Required)

General Information

Student Requirements: Active Army/Marine and Reserve Component Commissioned and non-commissioned Officers (AR, IN, EN, AV, MI, FA, SIG), First Lieutenant (P) through Major who are graduates of any captain career course with orders for assignment as planners or commanders of Reconnaissance/Cavalry organizations. Warrant Officers (AV, FA, MI) CW3-CW5 who are serving in Reconnaissance units on staff or in aviation units (TACOPS track recommended). Non-commissioned officers in the grade of E7 who are graduates of the Battle Staff NCO course and/or assigned as, or selected to be assigned as a reconnaissance/ cavalry troop first sergeant or a squadron operations sergeant or operations sergeant major.

Security Clearance Required: NA

Uniform/ equipment: Students will wear ACU/ duty uniform throughout the course.
Laptops will be issued on the first day of training. No additional equipment is required.
Reporting: Students will report to Bldg 5145, Harmony Church, Ft Benning, GA, on the first day of training NLT 0730 in duty uniform. Early reporting is not required

Billeting

Billeting: Barracks are not available. For billeting information contact the lodging office at Fort Benning, GA as soon as possible. Soldiers traveling on official orders (PCS/TDY) have priority and may make reservations in advance. Address of Lodging: Building 399, Gillespie Street. 706-689-0067 ext. 2800/2538 from 0800-1630. Website reservation inquiries are accepted 24 hours a day, 7 days a week at http://www.benningmwr.com/forms/lodging-index.php. Room rates range from $36 to $75 per night for single and double guest rooms. A fee of $5 is assessed for each additional guest. Check-in between 2pm and 6 pm unless your reservation is guaranteed with a credit card for late arrival. After 6 pm, vacant rooms are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Check-out time is 11am.

Directions to Patton Hall: Students using the Fort Benning Main Post entrance will proceed to the intersection with 1st Division Road. Veer right on 8th Division Road and continue onward, past the gas station and over the overpass. In 300 yards turn left on Ninth Armored Division Road down the hill into the car park. The General Instruction Facility is the first building on the right as you enter the Armor School complex. Turn right and park in the front of the building on your right. The welcome room is on the second floor of the building at the 9th Armored Division Road end of the building.

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Contacts

Course Manager:
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Instructors:
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706-626-8435

Training Specialist:
706-626-8038

Click here for a Full Contact List with email addresses (AKO/CAC Login Required)

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The Cavalry Leaders Course is completely exportable and conducts several Mobile Training Team (MTT) missions annually. Courses can be requested through official TRADOC requests (TRAP requests) sent through your units higher G3 section. Please contact CLC cadre directly to confirm availability of dates and instructors, as well as for assistance in the TRAP process.

Hosting units will be responsible for providing the resources required to conduct the class, most notably classroom space for each small group and access to computers for all students.

Contact the Course Manager for a complete list of requirements and coordination required to conduct an MTT.

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