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Plan of the Week

"THE FLYING TIGER CADETS"

Dec 1st - Dec 5th, 2025

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All Cadets are responsible for knowing the contents of the Plan of the Week each week.

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Operations Officer: Jean Michel, Karissa
Administration Officer: Nova, Gricelys
Supply Officer: Lopes-Torres, Annalie
Public Affairs Officer: Ho, Jennifer
First Lieutenant: Palma, Maria
Master at Arms: Rong, Caio
Company Athletic Officer: Andrade, Melanie
Educational Service Officer: Antoine, Isaiah

National Chain of Command:

Commander In Chief: The Honorable Donald Trump
Vice-President: The Honorable JD Vance
Secretary of State: The Honorable Marco Rubio
Secretary of Defense: The Honorable Pete Hegseth
Secretary of Navy: The Honorable John Phelan
Chairman of the JCS: General Dan Caine
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Commander, NSTC: Rear Adm. Matthew T. Pottenburgh
MCPON: Master Chief John Perryman
Marine Corps Commandant: General Eric M. Smith
SMMC: Sergeant Major Carlos Ruiz

Weather:

Monday: Sunny	28°F - 40°F
Tuesday: Rain and Snow	31°F - 39°F
Wednesday: Mostly Cloudy	30°F - 36°F
Thursday: Rain and Snow	14°F - 38°F
Friday: Partly Sunny	15°F - 28°F



Weekly Schedule:

***Only read your class' schedule**

<u>Chief Barros, Alexander:</u>	<u>Week 1</u>	<u>Houston, Kim:</u>	<u>Week 1</u>
Monday: <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Period 2/6: Ch. 2, Mandatory Customs, Courtesy, Etiquette, and Ceremonies● Period 4: (Cont.) Sea Power and Western Civilization, Ch. 1 slides #54-59● Period 5: (Cont.) Importance of Sea Power, Ch. 1		Monday: <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Period 2: Read Ch. 3 American Sea Power + Quiz● Period 4/5: Review Ch. 1 & Ch. 2	
Tuesday: <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Period 2/6: Ch. 2, Mandatory Customs, Courtesy, Etiquette, and Ceremonies● Period 4: (Cont.) Sea Power and Western Civilization, Ch. 1 slides #54-59● Period 5: (Cont.) Importance of Sea Power, Ch. 1		Tuesday: <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Period 2: Read Ch. 4, PT Training● Period 4/5: Review Ch 1. & Ch 2, PT Training● Current Events due all periods	
Wednesday: <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Period 2/6: (Cont.) Ch. 2, Mandatory Customs, Courtesy, Etiquette, and Ceremonies● Period 4: Ch. 1, Sec 1, The Age of Discovery● Period 5: (Cont.) Importance of Sea Power, Ch. 1		Wednesday: <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Period 2: (Cont) Ch. 4● Period 4/5: Ch 1 Quiz 16-39● Current Events due all periods	
Thursday: <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Period 2/6: Uniform Inspection● Period 4: Uniform Inspection● Period 5: Uniform Inspection		Thursday: <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Period 2: Quiz Ch.4● Period 4/5: Quiz Ch 1 16-39● Uniform Inspection	
Friday: <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Period 2/6: Physical Fitness● Period 4: Physical Fitness● Period 5: Physical Fitness		Friday: <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Period 2: Quiz Ch. 4, PT Training● Period 4/5: PT Training● Homework due all period.	



This Week in Naval History:

***USS = United States Ship

- Dec 1st, 1921: Over Norfolk, Virginia, the non-rigid C-7 completes the first flight of an airship inflated with helium gas, which becomes standard on Navy airships.
- Dec 2nd, 1799: The frigate Chesapeake is launched at the Gosport Navy Yard in Virginia.
- Dec 5th, 1941: The aircraft carrier Lexington (CV-2) sails from Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, for Midway Atoll to deliver SB2U Vindicators of Marine Scout Bombing Squadron (VMSB) 231.

General Military Training:

What is the name of the rank O-4?

Answer: Lieutenant Commander.

This Week:

- ☆ **Platoon Chief & Commanders Practice**
→ Mon. Dec 1st, 2025
- ☆ **Uniform & All-Hands**
→ Thur. Dec 4th, 2025
- ☆ **Weekly Team Meetings**
→ Monday: Drone & PT
→ Tuesday: Colorguard
→ Thursday: Colorguard
- ☆ **Classroom Instructions (After school)**
→ Mondays: NS1
→ Tuesdays: NS2
→ Wednesdays: NS3

Future events:

- ☆ **Massachusetts Maritime Academy**
→ Mon. Dec 8th, 2025
- ☆ **Annual Military Inspection (AMI)**
→ Wed. Jan 21st, 2025
- ☆ **Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB)**
→ Wed. March 25th, 2025; 1400-1600

Joke/Riddle of the day:

Why did the turkey join the band?

Answer: Because it had drumsticks.



Quote of the Week:

“If you fell yesterday, stand up today”

- H.G Wells

IMPORTANT NOTES!!:

★ Everyone has mandatory attendance for Platoon Practices!

It will count into your NJROTC grade! Check Google Classroom or the board outside the office for which Platoon you're in.

Bravo/Charlie Platoon: Tuesdays Weekly

Alpha/Delta Platoon: Thursdays Weekly

★ Message from Senior Chief about Rank Ups

As you all may have seen on my posts on google classroom, rank ups have officially begun on Mondays (after 2pm), Tuesdays, and Thursdays! (Those are the only available days) to rank you guys up!! This week is also the last week of rank up! After December 5th rank ups will be closed and please note that it is required!

For my NS1's : Make sure you get your grades up as you need a C+ average, and then make sure you turn in your report card to your admin officers, and have them give it to me! After that, start studying your military knowledge to complete the short test to rank up. Make sure you guys rank up if you can, as it is required for you guys!

To my NS2's and above: You guys already know what to do :)

If you need any help with studying or doing anything to rank up, make sure you come and contact me! Thank you all :)

Questions, Comments, or Concerns?

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★ Link for Color Guard Sign Up. Access link on Google Classroom

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeSJ76apX4QLmNay_46CVIz2j-0f2xjVTUD_OgMuR3gaRmK8Hw/viewform



Cleaning Duty:

NAMES: DATE : December 2, 2025 # TIME:**2:00pm-3:00 pm Attendance**

Reyes Almanzar, Jorge	A	P	EA	T
De La Cruz Terrero, Alice	A	P	EA	T
Calix Vallecillo, Selvin	A	P	EA	T
Zhao, Kelsey	A	P	EA	T

Accountable Cadets: C/PO2 Palma, Maria | C/PO3 Arne, Taisha

Current Events:

Painstaking search for victims of Hong Kong fire continues but some may never be found, official says

By: Chris Lau, Rhea Mogul.

Dec 1, 2025

The death toll has risen to 151 people and at least 30 remain missing, officials said Monday, after the city’s worst fire in decades, which tore through seven high-rise towers of the Wang Fuk Court complex. The housing complex, which was undergoing renovations, was home to more than 4,000 people, many of which were elderly. The number of people arrested over the fire has risen to 14 and more arrests may follow, authorities said, as they accused construction companies of buying and using materials that were not fire-safe. Most of those arrested are consultants, contractors and subcontractors connected to the construction work, and 13 of them are being investigated on suspicion of “manslaughter by way of gross negligence,” officials said. An estimated 600 disaster victim identification specialists have been slowly going door to door to clear each apartment since the fire was extinguished Friday. “During the search, bodies were found in the building corridors, flats, staircases, and even on rooftops,” said police superintendent Cheng Ka-chun, who led the specialist police identification unit. Images released by police showed boiler-suit-clad searchers carefully checking through the ashes of burned belongings inside a fire-ravaged unit. The complex task is made harder by dim lighting conditions and narrow corridors blocked by fallen objects, police said.



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