



AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE CADETS CADET PROGRAM CHANGE SUMMARY

PREVIOUS PROGRAM

Phases

1. Recruit
2. Basic
3. Proficiency
4. Advanced
5. Qualified
6. Applied

Capability Statements

Modules

1. Aerospace skills
2. Drill Skills
3. Field Craft
4. Cadet Skills

Promotion Courses

Assessments

Personal Development and Leadership conducted as individual subjects in the curriculum

Content driven (PPT focused); classroom based; module focused

Instructor-led centric (pedagogy)

Individual instructor-led lessons

Standardised Cadet Program

NEW PROGRAM

Phases

1. Orientation
2. Initial
3. Junior
4. Intermediate
5. Senior (Yrs 4-6)

Learning & Development Statements

Elements (Foundation)

1. Air and Space
2. Drill and Ceremonial
3. Field Skills
4. Service Knowledge
5. Personal Development and Leadership
6. Community Engagement

Elements (Extension)

1. Aviation
2. Drill and Ceremonial
3. Field Skills
4. Cadet Leadership Program (Personal Development and Leadership/Service Knowledge)

Cadet Leadership Program underpinned by Cadet Rank Profiles, Cadet SITREP, and Cadet/Staff/Parent Guides

Focus on feedback of development through Cadet SITREP

Personal Development and Leadership, embedded throughout Cadet learning continuum

Inquiry-based learning (practical); application of underpinning knowledge; flexible

Cadet-centred (heutagogy)

Facilitated Missions and Experientials

Individualised Cadet Program divided between Foundation and Extension learning options