

~~Republika ng Pilipinas~~  
(Republic of the Philippines)  
KAGAWARAN NG EDUKASYON AT KULTURA  
(DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE)  
Maynila

December 28, 1977

DEPARTMENT ORDER  
No. 64, s. 1977

ORGANIZATION OF AEROSPACE CADETS OF THE PHILIPPINES

To: Bureau Directors  
Regional Directors  
Coordinator, State Colleges and Universities  
Schools Superintendents  
Heads of Private Schools, Colleges  
and Universities

1. To promote national enthusiasm in aviation among the youth of the land, the Philippine Air Force and the Aerospace Association of the Philippines have jointly embarked on the organization of the Aerospace Cadets of the Philippines (ACP). ACP aims to employ both military and civilian resources to train the Filipino youth to meet the requirements for leadership and civic service through Aerospace Education and Military Training. In this connection, the Reserve Airlift and Tactical Support Group, Philippine Air Force, is giving instruction to aerospace cadets established at different secondary schools in Metro Manila. Similar instruction will be given in the provinces soon. Attached is a copy of ACP Program of Instruction.
2. The ACP Program of Instruction is patterned after the YDT and CAT programs with additional subjects in line with aviation. This has been made possible by substituting aerospace education for outdoor activities in YDT program and elementary map reading and exercise in CAT program since some subjects are outdoor in nature.
3. All cadets who have undergone the ACP Program of Instruction are hereby credited as having complied with the requirement of YDT and CAT.
4. Wide dissemination of this Department Order is desired.

(SGD.) JUAN L. MANUEL  
Secretary of Education and Culture

Incl.:

As stated

Reference:

N o n e

Allotment: 1-2-3-4--(D.O. 1-76)

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index under the following subjects:

AVIATION  
PROGRAM, SCHOOL  
SCHOOLS

SOCIETY or ASSOCIATIONS  
STUDENTS







PROGRAM OF INSTRUCTIONS

FOR

AEROSPACE CADETS OF THE PHILIPPINES

PHASE I - FIRST YEAR

ACP CITIZENSHIP TRAINING I

(40 hours)

Respect & Reverence	5
Punctuality & Promptness	3
Obedience	2
Cooperation	5
Patriotism & Loyalty	5
Courage & Bravery	5
Goals of the New Society (PLEDGES)	5
Community Service & Development	10

AEROSPACE EDUCATION & TRAINING I

(30 hours)

Introduction to ACP Program & Organization (PAF-AAP-ACP)	5
History of Aviation	5
Military Drills, Inspection & Ceremonies	10
Military Courtesy & Discipline	5
Aerobics	5

PHASE II - SECOND YEAR

ACP CITIZENSHIP TRAINING II

(35 hours)

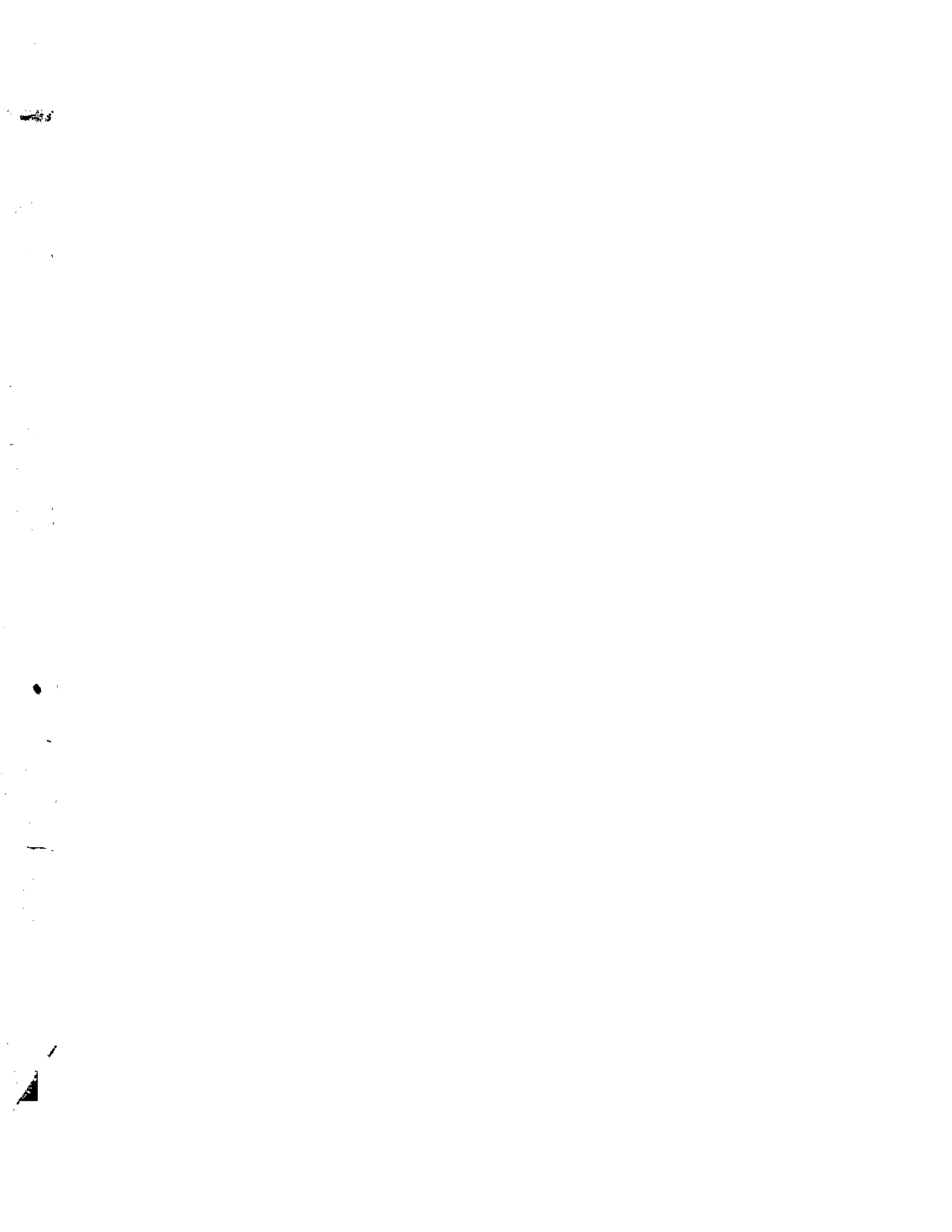
The Filipino Flag	5
The National Anthem	5
The Patriotic Pledge & the Pledge of Allegiance	5
Duties & Obligation of a Citizen	10
Community Service & Development	10

AEROSPACE EDUCATION & TRAINING II

(35 hours)

History of PAF, AAP & ACP	5
Military Leadership	5
Military Drills, Inspection & Ceremonies	10
The Challenge of Aerospace Power	5
Rules of the Air	5
Air Traffic Services	3
Introduction to Aerospace	2









PHASE III - THIRD YEAR

ACP CITIZENSHIP TRAINING III

(30 hours)

The New Constitution of the Philippines	5
Our Heroes	5
National Defense Act (Art 1, 11-Sec. 51, 53 80-83)	5
CAT I AFPR G 314-033 dtd 23 Sep 75	5
Community Service & Development	10

AEROSPACE EDUCATION & TRAINING III

(40 hours)

The ACP leader -	
Characteristics	3
Leadership Principles	3
Military Drills, Inspection & Ceremonies	5
Aircraft Recognition & Designation	5
Basic Aviation Meteorology	5
Air Navigation	5
Airways Communication	5
Radio Aids to Navigation	5
Aerobics	4

PHASE IV - FOURTH YEAR

ACP CITIZENSHIP TRAINING IV

(70 hours)

Orientation & Organization	2
Military Drills & Ceremonies	20
National Defense Act & Relative Provision in the New Constitution & Martial Law Concept	2
Military Courtesy & Discipline	2
Military Justice	2
Military Leadership & Command	4
AFP Unit Organization	2
Power for Aircraft	6
Airport, Airways and Electronics	6
Basic Weapon Rifle Armalite M-16, 5.56 MM	4
Preparatory Marksmanship	10
Interior Guard Duty	6
Basic Military Correspondence	4

ACP CAMP TRAINING

Theoretical:

- Theory of Flight
- Basic Aerodynamics
- Basic Instruments
- Physiology of Flight
- Safety in the Air
- Search and Rescue (SAR)







Actual:

Orientation Flight  
Observation Flight

ACP PROGRAM OF INSTRUCTIONS

SUBJECT:

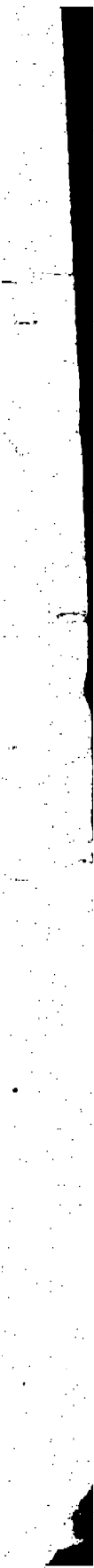
NUMBER OF HOURS

ACP CITIZENSHIP TRAINING

190

1. Respect & Reverence	5
2. Punctuality & Promptness	3
3. Obedience	2
4. Cooperation	5
5. Patriotism & Loyalty	5
6. Courage & Bravery	5
7. Goals of the New Society (PLEDGES)	5
8. Community Service & Development	20
9. Military Drills, Inspection & Ceremonies	45
10. Military Courtesy & Discipline	5
11. The Filipino Flag	5
12. The National Anthem	5
13. The Patriotic Pledge & The Pledge of Allegiance	5
14. Duties & Obligation of a Citizen	10
15. Community Service & Development	10
16. The New Constitution of the Philippines	5
17. Our Heroes	5
18. National Defense Act (Art 1, 11- Sec 51, 53; 80-83)	5
19. AFP I AFPR G 314-033 dtd 23 Sep 75	5
20. Organization & Organization	2
21. National Defense Act & Relative Provision in the New Constitution and Martial Law Concepts	2
22. Military Justice	2
23. Military Leadership & Command	4
24. AFP Unit Organization	2
25. Introduction to AFP Home Defense Program	2
26. Elementary Map Reading	8
27. Basic Weapon Rifle Armalite M-16	3
28. Preparatory Marksmanship	10
29. Interior Guard Duty	6
30. Basic Military Correspondence	4









AEROSPACE EDUCATION & TRAINING

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- 1. Introduction to ACP Program & Organization (PAF-AAP-ACP)
  - 2. Introduction to Aerospace
  - 3. History of Aviation
  - 4. History of PAF, AAP & ACP
  - 5. The Challenge of Aerospace Power
  - 6. Rules of the Air
  - 7. Air Traffic Services
  - 8. The ACP Leader
- Characteristics  
Leadership Principles
- 9. Power for Aircraft
  - 10. Airports, Airways and Electronics
  - 11. Basic Aviation Meteorology
  - 12. Air Navigation
  - 13. Airways Communication
  - 14. Radio Aids to Navigation
  - 15. Aircraft Recognition & Designation
  - 16. Theory of Flight
  - 17. Basic Aerodynamics
  - 18. Basic Instruments
  - 19. Aerobics

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RECAPITULATION:

ACP CITIZENSHIP TRAINING  
AEROSPACE EDUCATION & TRAINING

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