



JROTC



The mission of Air Force Junior Reserve Officers Training Corps (JROTC) is to “Develop citizens of character, dedicated to serving their nation and community” with the following stated goals:

To instill

- The value of citizenship
- Service to the United States
- Personal responsibility
- A sense of accomplishment

This mission and accompanying goals combine with the Air Force’s Core Values of “Integrity, Service before Self, and Excellence in All You Do” to clearly support Cathedral Prep’s mission to create young men of “Spirit, Mind, and Body.”

We aim to educate and train our high school cadets in citizenship; to promote community service; to instill responsibility, character, and self-discipline; and to provide first-class instruction in Cultural Studies, principles of flight, leadership, management, and character education.

Specific objectives of the AF JROTC program are:

- 21st Century Themes of Global Awareness, Civic Literacy, Health Literacy, Financial Literacy
- Life skills of Leadership, Social Interaction, Personal Accountability, Personal Initiative & Flexibility
- 21st Century Skills of Problem Solving, Communication and Creativity

In concert with the school’s stated college preparatory role, we have tailored the 4-year AF JROTC curriculum to meet academic requirements and student interests.

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965 Aerospace Science I/Cultural Studies I	Two Semesters
Grade: 9	Credit: 1.0
Prerequisite: None	
<p>This is the first year of a two-year course of instruction in Cultural Studies. Cultural Studies is a multidisciplinary course that introduces students to various regions of the world from a geographic, historical and cultural perspectives. The course provides increased international awareness into foreign affairs that permits a more educated understanding of other cultures and enhanced knowledge of America's interests and role in the global community. Geopolitical issues such as terrorism, economics, politics, security concerns, religion, environmental policies, human rights, disease, over-population, literacy, and other cultural topics will be examined. The regional areas covered are the Middle East, Europe, and Russia and the former Communist nations of Europe and Asia. All students enrolled in this course are required to wear the AF JROTC uniform (provided at no cost to students) on a prescribed uniform wear day each week. Classes are conducted in the proper wear of the uniform, military traditions, the history of JROTC, basic military drill maneuvers, military customs and courtesies, and respect for the flag and its traditions. College credit through the University of Colorado, Colorado Springs may be awarded to students completing this course with a grade of B or higher. This course may be taken to meet the student's 1st year social studies requirement.</p>	
966 Aerospace Science I/Cultural Studies I H	Two Semesters
Grade: 9	Credit: 1.0
Prerequisite: Recommendation for Honors	
<p>This is the first year of a two-year course of instruction in Cultural Studies. Cultural Studies is a multidisciplinary course that introduces students to various regions of the world from a geographic, historical and cultural perspective. The course provides increased international awareness into foreign affairs that permits a more educated understanding of other cultures and enhanced knowledge of America's interests and role in the global community. Geopolitical issues such as terrorism, economics, politics, security concerns, religion, environmental policies, human rights, disease, over-population, literacy, and other cultural topics will be examined. The regional areas included in this course are the Middle East, Europe, Russia and the former Communist nations of Europe and Asia. The honors and academic sections of this course are taught utilizing the same textual and supplemental materials. The honors student is required to show greater conceptual understanding and is required to complete 'term' projects. All students enrolled in this course are required to wear the AF JROTC uniform (provided at no cost to students) on a prescribed uniform wear day each week. Classes are conducted in the proper wear of the uniform, military traditions, the history of JROTC, basic military drill maneuvers, military customs and courtesies, and respect for the flag and its traditions. College credit through the University of Colorado, Colorado Springs may be awarded to students completing this course with a grade of B or higher. This course may be taken to meet the student's 1st year social studies requirement.</p>	

967 Aerospace Science II /Cultural Studies II	Two Semesters
Grade: 10	Credit: 1.00
Prerequisite: Successful completion of Aerospace Science I or the permission of the principal	
<p>This is the second year of a two-year course of instruction in Cultural Studies. Cultural Studies is a multidisciplinary course that introduces students to various regions of the world from a geographic, historical and cultural perspective. The course provides increased international awareness into foreign affairs that permits a more educated understanding of other cultures and enhanced knowledge of America's interests and role in the global community. Geopolitical issues such as terrorism, economics, politics, security concerns, religion, environmental policies, human rights, disease, over-population, literacy, and other cultural topics will be examined. The regional areas covered in this course are Asia, Africa, and Latin America. All students enrolled in this course are required to wear the AF JROTC uniform (provide at no cost to students) on a prescribed uniform wear day each week. Classes are conducted in more advanced phases of military drill and color guard, along with classroom instruction in both verbal and written forms of communication, performance feedback, the 'followership' aspect of leadership, and health and wellness topics specific to male adolescents. College credit through the University of Colorado, Colorado Springs may be awarded to students completing this course with a grade of B or higher. This course may be taken to meet the student's 1st year social studies.</p>	
971 Aerospace Science II/Cultural Studies II H	Two Semesters
Grade: 10	Credit: 1.0
Prerequisite: Successful completion of Aerospace Science IH or the permission of the principal	
<p>This is the second year of a two-year course of instruction in Cultural Studies. Cultural Studies is a multidisciplinary course that introduces students to various regions of the world from a geographic, historical and cultural perspective. The course provides increased international awareness and insight into foreign affairs that permits a more educated understanding of other cultures and enhanced knowledge of America's interests and role in the global community. Geopolitical issues such as terrorism, economics, politics, security concerns, religion, environmental policies, human rights, disease, over-population, literacy, and other cultural topics will be examined. The regional areas covered in this course are Asia, Africa, and Latin America. The honors and academic sections of this course are taught utilizing the same textual and supplemental materials. The honors student is required to show greater conceptual understanding and is required to complete 'term' projects. All students enrolled in this course are required to wear the AF JROTC uniform (provided at no cost to students) on a prescribed uniform wear day each week. Classes are conducted in more advanced phases of military drill and color guard, along with classroom instruction in both verbal and written forms of communication, performance feedback, the 'followership' aspect of leadership, and health and wellness topics specific to male adolescents. College credit through the University of Colorado, Colorado Springs may be awarded to students completing this course with a grade of B or higher. This course may be taken to meet the student's 1st year social studies requirement.</p>	

963 Aerospace Science III	Two Semesters
Grade: 11 or 12	Credit: 1.0
Prerequisite: None	
<p>Advanced Aerospace Science and Aerospace Fundamentals is designed to prepare third year cadets for increased roles of responsibility within the corps of cadets and provides them information about themselves, others and leadership. Students receive a blended curriculum which includes the fundamentals of aviation and flight; leadership and management theory; and personal wellness and fitness. Students are assigned to functional positions within the corps of cadet structure and are responsible for cadet personnel, supply, and some planning of extracurricular events. All students enrolled in this course are required to wear the AF JROTC uniform (provided at no cost to students) on a prescribed uniform wear day each week. College credit through the University of Colorado, Colorado Springs may be awarded to students completing this course with a grade of B or higher. This course may be taken to meet the student's 1st year social studies requirement.</p>	
969 Aerospace Science IV	Two Semesters
Grade: 12	Credit: 1.0
Prerequisite: None	
<p>The course is designed to allow 12th grade cadets the freedom and flexibility to design, develop and execute the current year corps of cadets activity program. On-going programs such as the Annual JROTC Military Ball, drill and color guard competitions, personal wellness and fitness programs, cadet physical testing, and cadet field trips are coordinated by AS-4 cadets. All students enrolled in this course are required to wear the AF JROTC uniform (provided at no cost to students) on a prescribed uniform wear day each week. College credit through the University of Colorado, Colorado Springs may be awarded to students completing this course with a grade of B or higher. This course may be taken to meet the student's 1st year social studies requirement.</p>	

