



UNITED STATES **MARINES**

GRADUATION CEREMONY
MCRD PARRIS ISLAND, SC

WELCOME TO MARINE CORPS RECRUIT DEPOT

PARRIS ISLAND

On behalf of the Commanding General, Marine Corps Recruit Depot and Eastern Recruiting Region, welcome to this morning's graduation ceremony. Today's graduates have earned the title "United States Marine" through hard work, perseverance, and personal sacrifice. While we recognize what they have accomplished, we must also recognize the role you played. Your support and encouragement sustained them, helping them realize their goal of becoming a Marine. Thank you, and welcome to our Marine Corps family!

You're undoubtedly aware that the Marine Corps and our country expect much of your Marine. They are now held to a higher standard; a standard rooted in our core values and embraced during their transformation from civilian to Marine. They have established a solid foundation that will allow them to face life's challenges with confidence, courage, and honor. They have been tested in recruit training and will face greater tests in the future.

This pamphlet provides a brief overview of our core values and the concept of transformation, and provides guidance useful during your new Marine's leave period and for reporting to their next assignment. Please review this information together. You will better understand what your Marine has done, and they will be better prepared for their next stage of training. If you have any questions your Marine cannot answer while home, please contact your local recruiter.

Thank you for entrusting us with your Marine. Together, we, the Marine Corps family, can keep our Marines focused on their mission and purpose. The result will be limitless potential for success in the Marine Corps and in life.

I hope you enjoy the remainder of your visit at Parris Island and will take time to tour our Recruit Depot with your Marine. Please accept my best wishes for a happy and safe return home for both you and your Marine.



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*PLEASE RISE



“Some people live their whole lives and wonder if they have made a difference. Marines don’t have that problem.”

President Ronald Reagan

**UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS
RECRUIT TRAINING REGIMENT
MARINE CORPS RECRUIT DEPOT
PARRIS ISLAND, SOUTH CAROLINA**

13 September 2024

Recruit Training Regiment

COMMANDING OFFICER.....Colonel C. B. McArthur
SERGEANT MAJOR.....Sergeant Major D. L. Watts

Third Recruit Training Battalion

COMMANDING OFFICER.....Lieutenant Colonel B. L. Tye
SERGEANT MAJOR.....Sergeant Major S. A. Howard

Commander of Troops
First Sergeant J. J. Jenkins

Parade Adjutant
Staff Sergeant M. Moas

Company “M”, Third Recruit Training Battalion

COMMANDING OFFICER.....Captain S. P. Miller
COMPANY FIRST SERGEANT.....First Sergeant J. Jenkins
LEAD SERIES COMMANDER.....Captain D. J. Gasapo
FOLLOW SERIES COMMANDER.....First Lieutenant R. W. Shanahan
LEAD SERIES CHIEF DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....Gunnery Sergeant J. D. Butler
FOLLOW SERIES CHIEF DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....Staff Sergeant A. Scruggs

Drill Masters
Gunnery Sergeant M. N. Moreno
Staff Sergeant B. Graham

Chaplain
Lieutenant Junior Grade T. M. West

Color Guard

Sergeant A. C. Gonzales Sergeant B. A. Pazoki
Sergeant C. C. Barlow Sergeant C. M. Hockstep

PLATOON 3064

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| SENIOR DRILL INSTRUCTOR | GySgt C. P. McCane |
| DRILL INSTRUCTOR..... | SSgt A. L. Kingdom |
| DRILL INSTRUCTOR..... | Sgt Y. R. Castellon |
| DRILL INSTRUCTOR..... | Sgt M. E. Gaspar |



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| PLATOON HONOR GRADUATE..... | PFC D. J. White |
| HOMETOWN..... | Black Shear, GA |
| RECRUITED BY..... | Sgt Kandt |

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| PLATOON HIGH SHOOTER..... | PFC E. M. St. John (341) |
| MARKSMANSHIP INSTRUCTOR..... | Cpl Darden |
| PLATOON HIGH COMBINED PFT/CFT..... | PFC R. Patterson Jr. (596) |

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| PVT Agudoplateros, J. M. | PVT Fry, J. K. | PFC Raiter, R. L.* |
| PVT Allen, J. R. | PFC Gaddy, M. E. | PFC Ramirez Jr., M. A.* |
| PVT Ambrocio, M. | PVT Galloway, M. J. | PVT Ramosgonzalez, R. J. |
| PFC Arrazolalozano, I. A. | PFC Garnica, A. | PFC Ratchford, D. A. |
| PVT Basilio, A. N. | PFC Gomez Jr., M. A. | PVT Ribeiroharris, J. B. |
| PFC Bennett, C. W. | PFC Gomezgarcia, G. | PVT Riggs, N. A. |
| PVT Berrones, I. | PVT Goyco, J. A. | PVT Roberts, L. L. |
| PFC Berry, A. M. | PVT Hallman, M. A. | PVT Roberts, T. |
| PFC Bishop, K. B. | PFC Hartman, A. J. | PVT Rotramel, T. J. |
| PFC Bracy, B. A. | PFC Hebert, J. T. | PVT Ruelle, S. R. |
| PFC Brogan, R. S. | PVT Hedges, T. M. | PVT Salinassalinas, I. |
| PVT Brown, D. E. | PFC Henault, K. M. | PFC Sanchezrodriguez, J. Z. |
| PVT Brumbach, C. N. | PVT Irizarry, L. A. | PVT Santos, J. O. |
| PFC Bryant, S. D. | PVT Jatta, M. L. | PVT Segovianohernandez, F. |
| PVT Burkes, J. L. | PVT Johnson, E. J. | PVT Sloan, S. S. |
| PVT Burns, D. J. | PFC Justice, C. Q. | PVT Stalheim, C. M. |
| PVT Bush Jr., W. C. | PVT Kennedy, J. H. | PFC Stinchcomb, J. M. |
| PVT Castillo santos, A. F. | PFC Lamoree, J. R. | PFC St. John, E. M.* |
| PFC Chavis, J. | PFC Laurent, S. | PVT Stone, L.A. |
| PVT Chin, I. B. | PVT Lee, A. M. | PVT Strickland, A. L. |
| PFC Conyers, T. J. | PVT Link, Z. S. | PVT Thomas, M. J. |
| PFC Corbett, M. M. | PFC Mahone, J. A. | PFC Thrasher, B. C. |
| PFC Cortez, M. O. | PVT Meadows III, R. | PFC Tindell, W. T. |
| PVT Cox, K. Z. | PFC Medina, A. E. | PVT Vreen, J. G. |
| PVT Crossman, C. R. | PVT Miller, T. A. | PVT Wages, W. T. |
| PFC Cruzolarte, J. R. | PVT Monroe Jr., G. J. | PVT Wall, A. B. |
| PFC Daigle, C. A. | PVT Morenolopez, J. P. | PVT Walston, Z. A. |
| PFC Darden II, R. R. | PVT Nguyen, H. V. | PVT Walton, L. W. |
| PVT Dearmond, M. S. | PVT Parsons, B. W. | PFC White, D. J.* |
| PFC Diaz, D. A. | PFC Patterson Jr., R. * | PFC Williams, A. P. |
| PFC Fahmy, S. W. | PFC Perezrodriguez, J. | PVT Zatorsky, B. C. |
| PFC Forrester, F. R. | PVT Phatcharaamphai, T. | |
| PVT Frett, E. D. | PVT Pollack, L. M. | |

*Denotes meritorious promotion to current rank.

PLATOON 3065

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| SENIOR DRILL INSTRUCTOR | GySgt J. Merriweather |
| DRILL INSTRUCTOR..... | Sgt A. Stone |
| DRILL INSTRUCTOR..... | Sgt M. Dallas |
| DRILL INSTRUCTOR..... | Sgt A. Fletcher |



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| PLATOON HONOR GRADUATE..... | PFC A. Ramos |
| HOMETOWN..... | Fort Lauderdale, FL |
| RECRUITED BY..... | SSgt Rosen |

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| PLATOON HIGH SHOOTER..... | PFC E. Black (343) |
| MARKSMANSHIP INSTRUCTOR..... | Sgt Barry |

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| PLATOON HIGH COMBINED PFT/CFT..... | PVT J. Smith (582) |
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| PVT Acosta, J. D. | PFC Gray, A. R. | PVT Parsons, G. E. |
| PVT Adkins, Da. M. | PVT Guerreroestrella, C. | PVT Polk I, F. L. |
| PVT Alvaradocaceres, L. F. | PVT Gutierrez, C. | PFC Procuniar, B. C. |
| PVT Archibald, D. J. | PFC Helgestad, T. R. | PFC Ramirez, N. O. |
| PVT Archila, M. A. | PVT Helton, A. S. | PVT Ramirezmoran, L. M. |
| PFC Bennett, J. A. | PVT Hertz, C. M. | PFC Ramos, A. I.* |
| PFC Black, E. D. | PVT Hoang, J. L. | PFC Richardson, R. A. |
| PVT Brown, K. N. | PVT Hobbs, D. E. | PFC Rivashidalgo, J. O. |
| PVT Bussey, K. I. | PVT Holley, D. J. | PFC Roberts, S. R. |
| PFC Butler, T. J. | PVT Hulion, D. B. | PFC Rothwell, N. E. |
| PVT Canocorona, A. E. | PFC Humphrey, C. M.* | PVT Salas, V. A. |
| PVT Canter, A. B. | PVT Jagne, O. M. | PVT Salazarabrejo Jr., R. C. |
| PFC Cappera, J. G.* | PFC Jarviopena, A. M. | PVT Satkin, N. S. |
| PVT Castillotovar, M. A. | PVT Joines, J. S. | PFC Savage, E. J. |
| PVT Castleberry, C. L. | PFC Jordan, K. W. | PFC Schulz Jr., M. D. |
| PVT Cirius, M. A. | PFC Keener, J. T. | PFC Screteck, C. A. |
| PVT Conteh, K. A. | PFC Kehati, S. T. | PVT Smith, J. T. |
| PVT Cortesrosas, R. | PVT King, J. R. | PVT Steimer, C. E. |
| PVT Cuomo, J. D. | PVT Kious, L. A. | PVT Strickland, T. J. |
| PFC Daniels, C. R. | PFC Lafferty II, Z. A. | PVT Surber, K. K. |
| PFC Dill, E. E. | PVT Lawson, B. M. | PFC Thomas II, D. D. |
| PVT Dobbs, J. I. | PVT Lopez, C. J. | PVT Thompson, M. T. |
| PVT Dominguezortiz, L. A. | PVT Lopezordonez, J. | PFC Trader, A. G. |
| PVT Downing, E. H. | PVT Lopezvicente, E. V. | PFC Tungjairob, A.* |
| PVT Edmonds, H. M. | PVT Martin, B. A. | PFC Turner, O. J. |
| PFC Evans, W. M. | PVT McCurry, B. M. | PVT Valentine, W. H. |
| PVT Farr, M. X. | PFC McVeaanderson, B. M. | PVT Velazquez, F. |
| PVT Finney, A. J. | PFC Millergonzalez, A. R.* | PFC Wells, I. K. |
| PFC Frye, G. J. | PVT Nealiscarroll, D. P. | PFC Whiteheadartemus, T. C. |
| PVT Galvan, T. | PFC Nichols, P. W.* | PVT Whitley, Q. S. |
| PVT Galvezperez, J. F. | PFC Nutter, B. D. | PVT Williams, C. D. |
| PVT Gasca, R. | PVT Olmosramos, B. J. | PVT Willoughby, N. L. |
| PFC Gonzalez, Zachary W. | PVT Ortiz, H. W. | PVT Zeoli, B. S. |

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| SENIOR DRILL INSTRUCTOR | GySgt G. Bocanegra |
| DRILL INSTRUCTOR..... | SSgt J. Taykowski |
| DRILL INSTRUCTOR..... | SSgt G. Hill |
| DRILL INSTRUCTOR..... | Sgt E. Holmes |



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| PLATOON HONOR GRADUATE..... | PFCA D. GabinGonzalez |
| HOMETOWN..... | Orlando, FL |
| RECRUITED BY..... | SSgt Post |

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| COMPANY HIGH SHOOTER..... | PFC J. S. Applegate (341) |
| MARKSMANSHIP INSTRUCTOR..... | Sgt Seda |

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| PLATOON HIGH COMBINED PFT/CFT..... | PFC I. A. Levitch (590) |
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| PVT Aparicio, J. E. | PFC Gogolin, R. S. | PFC Pierre, T. W.* |
| PFC Applegate, J. S.* | PVT Gonzalezsilva, A. O. | PVT Purtell, K. B. |
| PVT Arab, J. Y. | PVT Gudino, G. | PFC Quijada III, V. |
| PFC Bailey, R. L. | PVT Helton, A. T. | PVT Reynolds, J. M. |
| PFC Ballard, H. A. | PFC Henaorivera, G. A. | PFC Rivers, J. L. |
| PFC Berrones, C. J. | PVT Hernandezmendoza, D. | PVT Robinson, B. M. |
| PFC Bowman, C. T.* | PVT Huynh, D. P. | PVT Rodriguez, K. I. |
| PVT Briggs, B. P. | PFC Jaco, P. I. | PFC Roopnarine, E. A. |
| PFC Bryant, R. M. | PVT Jimenez, B. S. | PVT Rosario, N. J. |
| PVT Busso II, M. C. | PFC Johnson, D. D. | PVT Ruzich, E. J. |
| PVT Cabrera, M. A. | PVT Juscak, N. H. | PFC Saldana, J. V. |
| PVT Cantada, J.B. | PVT Konpha, S. | PFC Sapp, C. P. |
| PVT Castro III, F. | PVT Lavelle, J. S. | PVT Satterfield, M. T. |
| PFC Cervoniccorrea, A. Y. | PVT Leandry, M. | PVT Silvalmenar, J. S. |
| PVT Channell, J. G. | PVT Leonard, D. G. | PFC Smalley III, M. J.* |
| PVT Chiosi, J. K. | PFC Levitch, I. A.* | PFC Smith, L. S. |
| PVT Coleman, B. L. | PFC Likens, J. J. | PVT Spurlock, G. B. |
| PVT Collins, A. D. | PFC Lister, J. L. | PFC Sternquist, L. W. |
| PVT Collins, S. G. | PVT Livoti, N. A. | PVT Stettler Jr., A. S. |
| PFC Davis, K. D. | PVT Lombard, J. J. | PFC Stills, T. R. |
| PFC Diazperez, J. R. | PFC Martinezbaez, A. | PVT Stinson, A. E. |
| PVT Dolin, G. D. | PFC Mazzo, N. M. | PVT Tanner, D. D. |
| PVT Dornquist, J. A. | PVT McGrath, E. C. | PFC Tavarez, S. |
| PFC Dozier, B. W. | PVT Mendozacaceres, J. A. | PFC Thomas, G. E. |
| PVT Emory, D. B. | PFC Merino, A. | PFC Trotter, R. J. |
| PFC Escobedopocco, A. V. | PVT Mignault, A. R. | PVT Velazquez, K. C. |
| PVT Estrada, R. A. | PVT Montero, J. D. | PFC Visbalbanks, A. Q.* |
| PFC Fauhiger, G. B.* | PFC Monzonariza, I. A. | PFC Wagner, H. S. |
| PVT Feagins III, R. J. | PVT Mora, A. | PVT Walton, J. A. |
| PVT Francis, D. T. | PVT Nguyen, T. | PVT Waseleski II, M. |
| PFC Fuller, L. M. | PVT Nichols, S. J. | PVT Zhang, F. |
| PFC Gabingonzalez, A. D. | PFC Ortizmiller, M. A. | PVT Zorrillamorales, J. E. |
| PFC Garcesvasquez, M. A. | PFC Paul, N. E. | |
| PFC Garcia, A. | PFC Perry, E. M. | |

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| SENIOR DRILLINSTRUCTOR | SSgt M. L. Reed |
| DRILL INSTRUCTOR..... | SSgt E. Iniguez |
| DRILL INSTRUCTOR..... | Sgt J. P. Gallagher |
| DRILL INSTRUCTOR..... | Sgt S. Askew |
| DRILL INSTRUCTOR..... | Sgt W. P. Lake III |



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| PLATOON HONOR GRADUATE..... | PFC M. G. Wormley |
| HOMETOWN..... | Sykesville, MD |
| RECRUITED BY..... | Sgt Sutherland |

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| PLATOON HIGH SHOOTER..... | PFC D. R. Moralesstarnes (333) |
| MARKSMANSHIP INSTRUCTOR..... | Sgt Cochran |
| PLATOON HIGH COMBINED PFT/CFT..... | PVT J. Salazar (591) |

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| PVT Aggarwal, S. | PFC Grier, D. L. | PVT Rieger Jr., J. D. |
| PVT Arredondotobar, K. | PVT Griffin, C. K. | PFC Roche Jr., D. F. |
| PFC Becerra, J. R | PVT Hawkins, A. A. | PVT Rodriguez, L. A. |
| PFC Bechtold, J. T. | PVT Heanue, B. C. | PVT Rodriguezbaez, J. G. |
| PVT Bellomo, F. | PVT Helms, J. J. | PVT Rodriguezcruces, A. D. |
| PVT Benitez, M. N. | PVT Hernandez, E. E. | PVT Rohrbaughlewis, N. W. |
| PVT Breedlove, S. A. | PVT Hernandez, J. T. | PFC Romeroarmentero, J. |
| PVT Brown, L. M. | PFC Hernandezrodriguez, M. Y. | PVT Rudisel, Jaylen J. |
| PVT Brutus, F. A. | PVT Hershey, D. P. | PVT Rutstein Jr., J. A. |
| PVT Cabrera, J. | PVT Hurtubise, D. R. | PFC Sabillonmolina, R. |
| PFC Calderon, Luis A. | PFC Jarry, N.J. | PVT Salazar, J. M. |
| PVT Canas, A. A. | PVT Jimenezherrera, J. A. | PVT Sampson, J. J. |
| PFC Cash, C. E. | PVT Jones Jr., K. A. | PVT Santiagoalazar, J. G. |
| PVT Cooper Jr., C. L. | PVT Keator II, E. A. | PVT Santosjose, J. |
| PFC Cotton, T. L. | PVT Knowlton, T. A. | PFC Saranthus, A. K. |
| PVT Curell, A. J. | PVT Knox, J. J. | PVT Seay, J. Z. |
| PFC Davis, W. D. | PVT Kramer, R. J. | PVT Serrano Jr., F. J. |
| PVT Diazguzman, F. H. | PVT Lee, J. A. | PVT Shema, I. G. |
| PFC Diep, D. T. | PFC Light, A. R. | PVT Sheridan, J. J. |
| PVT Dimaggio, L. A. | PVT Lovins, A. H. | PVT Sousa, M. E. |
| PVT Doll, M. R. | PVT Martinez, L. M. | PVT Tegomamorales, R. |
| PVT Durham, P. A. | PVT Masonnatta, T. A. | PVT Thompson, T. R. |
| PVT Ellis, B. M. | PFC Mejiahernandez, J. E. | PFC Thurson, C. A. |
| PVT Figueroa, N. | PVT Milliner, A. L. | PVT Valencia, A. J. |
| PVT Fiske, J. R. | PFC Moralesstarnes, D. R. | PFC Ware, A. T. |
| PVT Franca, A. | PVT Nash, D. L. | PVT Wilde, J. R. |
| PVT Gaminchi, P. A. | PVT Padillaarroyo, E. J. | PVT Wilson, M. D. |
| PFC Garciacardena, J. J. | PVT Petty, C. B. | PFC Wormley, M. G.* |
| PVT Gillis, J. R. | PVT Prescod, N. D. | |
| PVT Gonzalez, J. E. | PFC Rainer Jr., S. D. | |
| PVT Gorman, P. C. | PFC Reynoldshatch, N. J. | |
| PVT Green Jr., J. H. | PVT Richey, G. S. | |

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| SENIOR DRILL INSTRUCTOR | SSgt S. Banuski |
| DRILL INSTRUCTOR..... | SSgt K. Levy |
| DRILL INSTRUCTOR..... | Sgt T. Washington |
| DRILL INSTRUCTOR..... | Sgt C. Freeland |
| DRILL INSTRUCTOR..... | Sgt K. Partridge |



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| PLATOON HONOR GRADUATE..... | PFC J. N. Shue |
| HOMETOWN..... | Fairfax, VA |
| RECRUITED BY..... | Sgt Thomas |

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| PLATOON HIGH SHOOTER..... | PVT T. M. Jamieson (334) |
| MARKSMANSHIP INSTRUCTOR..... | Cpl Ahlstrom |
| COPMANY HIGH COMBINED PFT/CFT..... | PVTB.A. Marquezhernandez (600) |

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| PFC Acevedo Jr., L. G. | PFC Gallino, T. A. | PVT Montoya, J. E. |
| PFC Acevedo, B. J. | PFC George, E. D. | PVT Natal, X. J. |
| PVT Aebrischer, F. P. | PVT Goetz, W. R. | PVT Nelson, Z. L. |
| PVT Alachedelgado, D. M. | PVT Gregory, K. J. | PVT Obrien, C. P. |
| PVT Anastasi, R. R. | PVT Gregorycolon, E. S. | PVT Oviedoseguera, W. L. |
| PVT Aristilde, A. | PVT Harris, J. K. | PVT Paradise, S. D. |
| PVT Azar, A. C. | PFC Helton, B. T. | PFC Perezfernandez, R.* |
| PVT Bae, J. | PFC Hensley, K. L.* | PVT Phillips, S. M. |
| PVT Baksh, E. | PFC Hernandezdelgado, L. A. | PFC Pineda, O. A. |
| PVT Bautista, R. D. | PVT Hickey, B. W. | PVT Pollard, C. P. |
| PVT Bender, K. E. | PFC Hiedcavage, N. J. | PVT Pollard, J. D. |
| PVT Bennett, M. H. | PVT Hollander, C. G. | PVT Poynor, C. S. |
| PFC Bermudez, A. A. | PVT Jackson, J. R. | PVT Randjr, C. D. |
| PVT Bermudez, J. L. | PVT Jamieson, T. M. | PVT Reeves, N. A. |
| PVT Bowlin, A. J. | PVT Jamieson, W. E. | PVT Rego, L. W. |
| PVT Calahan, S. R. | PFC Jang, H. | PFC Rincon, J. J.* |
| PVT Callefajardo, E. A. | PVT Jerry, J. J. | PVT Ritta, W. D. |
| PFC Cardoza, J. R. | PVT Jorge, J. R. | PVT Ruiz, A. |
| PVT Castromaldonado, S. Y. | PVT Kent, T. T. | PVT Russell, D. J. |
| PVT Clark, M. A. | PVT Kershner, M. B. | PVT Sanders Jr., K. N. |
| PFC Cochran, H. P. | PVT Krukowski, T. J. | PVT Scott, K. L. |
| PVT Corderocastillo, R. | PFC Libman, A. D.* | PVT Selvaggi, T. S. |
| PVT Cortorrealreyes, G. J. | PVT Long, O. E. | PVT Sherrell Jr., A. J. |
| PVT Cronin, B. R. | PVT Lovley, L. P. | PFC Shue, J. N.* |
| PVT Cuny, G. M. | PVT Marquezhernandez, B. A. | PVT Sites, L. P. |
| PVT Darrenkamp, A. C. | PVT Marroquinabreu, C. S. | PVT Spooner, P. J. |
| PVT Degro, N. J. | PVT Marvin, B. E. | PFC Vega, C. |
| PVT Dorr, C. R. | PVT Mejiamartinez, J. I. | PVT Wilkins, C. D. |
| PFC Dort, W. D. | PVT Mells, M. L. | PVT Yu, M. |
| PFC Fay Jr., S. J.* | PVT Michel III, J. C. | PFC Zarco, J. G. |
| PVT Feliz, H. T. | PVT Miller, M. A. | PVT Zarco, L. A. |
| PVT Fuller, S. J. | PVT Miller, P. I. | PVT Zeigler, Z. C. |
| PFC Funkhouser, N. E. | PVT Minnich, A. P. | |
| PFC Gallagher Jr., S. E.* | PVT Mizell, J. S. | |

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PLATOON 3070

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| SENIOR DRILLINSTRUCTOR | SSgt D. Scherwinski |
| DRILL INSTRUCTOR | SSgt E. Benitezortega |
| DRILL INSTRUCTOR | Sgt C. Caballero |
| DRILL INSTRUCTOR | Sgt T. Herrera |



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| COMPANY HONOR GRADUATE | PFC A. D. Chambers |
| HOMETOWN | Cleveland, OH |
| RECRUITED BY | SSgt Hayes |

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| PLATOON HIGH SHOOTER | PVT M. Gutierrez (337) |
| MARKSMANSHIP INSTRUCTOR | Sgt Benjamin |

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| PLATOON HIGH COMBINED PFT/CFT | PVTT A. Newton (585) |
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| PVT Adkins, D. A. | PFC Hess, J. A. | PVT Poskittgreen, E. C. |
| PVT Alban, K. A. | PVT Hill, R. A. | PFC Purtee, R. P. |
| PVT Allison, T. P. | PVT Hostetler, R. S. | PFC Rowe, D. W. |
| PVT Avila, J. A. | PVT Hunt, E. J. | PFC Ruiz, B. A. |
| PVT Banks, R. J. | PVT Jack, J. R. | PVT Ryan, J. A. |
| PVT Banner, B. T. | PFC Jarquingarcia, E. | PFC Saidmurodov, S.* |
| PVT Barnes, T. D. | PVT Johnson II, R. C. | PVT Sakhokia, D. |
| PVT Begin, M. W. | PVT Johnson, L. D. | PFC Salyer, S. P. |
| PVT Bockstanz, A. J. | PVT Kamber, H. L. | PVT Sandler, Ryan L. |
| PVT Bush, P. B. | PVT Kellem, D. X. | PFC Sayfutdinov, U. K. |
| PFC Cabral, L. G.* | PVT Kost, A. A. | PVT Schmitt, B. N. |
| PFC Camposmota, C. | PVT Kowalski, D. A. | PVT Shramko, A. D. |
| PVT Cervantesherandez, J. L. | PVT Kuzmichev, Y. | PFC Simonelli, M. G. |
| PFC Chambers, A. D.* | PVT Lancaster, J. M. | PVT Sparks, J. A. |
| PVT Chen, B. | PVT Laskowski, F. P. | PFC Spikes, M. G. |
| PFC Conn, C. D. | PVT Layne, A. L. | PVT Taddia, V. D. |
| PVT Connors, G. K. | PVT Lopez, W. B. | PVT Teel III, J. R. |
| PVT Cruz, Z. A. | PFC McDaniel Jr., R.A.* | PFC Thomas, E. A. |
| PVT Daniel, D.A. | PFC Mezarina, J. | PVT Thomas, M. A. |
| PVT Dove, G. K. | PFC Miller, J. A. | PVT Tizio, A. J. |
| PVT Drammeh, M. | PVT Miracle, C. C. | PVT Tovarlopez, U. |
| PVT Dunn, C. A. | PVT Molinafajardo, M. S. | PVT Tremble, B. P. |
| PVT Eaddy Jr., C. C. | PVT Montoyagonzalez, J. M. | PVT Turkaly, B. M. |
| PVT Edmiston, M. H. | PVT Morrison, J.P. | PFC Tyler, J. M. |
| PVT Ellsworth, K. J. | PFC Neririos, B. | PVT Vanbentem, N. R. |
| PVT Forney, I. M. | PFC Newton, T. A.* | PVT Varnadore, T. P. |
| PVT Goyes, J. A. | PVT Nichols, H. P. | PVT Wasley, D. T. |
| PVT Goyes, J. S. | PVT Obryan, K. A. | PVT Wendt, C. J. |
| PVT Graham, J. K. | PVT Olivo, E. S. | PVT West, R. D. |
| PVT Gutierrez, M. A. | PVT Orellana, F. D. | PFC Wideman, S. C.* |
| PVT Gutierrez, M. L. | PFC Padron, O. A. | PVT Wieber, J. M. |
| PVT Hedger, K. C. | PVT Phillip, J. E. | PVT Zielinski, Z. T. |
| PVT Hernandez, D. A. | PVT Polley, H. T. | |
| PVT Hernandez, E. D. | PFC Polo, J. I. | |

TRANSFORMATION



The Marine Corps makes Marines and wins battles. We consider these two activities to be inextricably linked, and believe the individual Marine decides the outcome of any conflict or military action despite constant advances in battlefield technology.

Today, Marines are committed across the globe to operations as diverse as guarding American diplomatic missions, providing disaster relief, and conducting combat operations. Thousands more remain forward deployed, ready to secure our nations' interest on short notice.

Operating successfully in such diverse and complex operating environments is challenging, but these challenges are not new. Marines have faced, and overcome, similar challenges throughout history. To ensure our future success, we looked to the Marines of the past to see what made them successful in battles like Belleau Wood, Iwo Jima, the Chosin Reservoir, Hue City, and Fallujah. We found that strong character and a fighting spirit rooted in core values were essential to our past success. Developing strength of character and instilling these core values is the essence of what we call "transformation."



THE TRANSFORMATION LIFECYCLE



The transformation process begins with recruiting, where we select young men and women of demonstrated potential and commitment and prepare them for recruit training.

Transformation accelerates during boot camp, where Drill Instructors remain the key to making Marines. Drill Instructors transform recruits into basic Marines through intense, demanding training including close order



drill, physical fitness, academics, combat water survival, close combat, and marksmanship. They instruct, mentor and lead recruits, exemplifying Core Values in all they do. Their efforts culminate during the 11th week of training in the Crucible, a grueling 54-hour evaluation of physical, mental, and moral fitness emphasizing selflessness and teamwork.

Transformation is sustained and reinforced throughout each Marine's period of service while assigned to operating units, where teamwork and commitment are essential to success. Regular training and individual mentorship support the continued development of each Marine. Additionally, required formal courses of Professional Military Education emphasize further development of character and core values.



Ultimately, we seek to return transformed Americans home to strengthen our society at the completion of their service. The Corps is known for making Marines who leave active duty to become strong leaders in the community. These Marines demonstrate the lasting value of strength of character based on our core values.



U.S. MARINE CORPS CORE VALUES

Generations of American men and women have given special meaning to the term United States Marine by their performance on and off the battlefield. Feared by enemies, respected by allies, and loved by the American people, Marines are a “special breed.” This reputation was gained and is maintained by adhering to a set of enduring core values, the guiding beliefs and principles that give us strength, influence our attitudes, and regulate our behavior. Our Core Values are:

HONOR

The quality that guides Marines to exemplify the ultimate in ethical and moral behavior; to never lie, cheat, or steal; to abide by an uncompromising code of integrity; to respect human dignity; to have respect and concern for each other. The quality of maturity, dedication, trust, and dependability that commits Marines to act responsibly; to fulfill obligations; to be accountable for actions and to hold others accountable for their actions.

COURAGE

Courage is the mental, moral, and physical strength ingrained in Marines to carry them through the challenges of combat and the mastery of fear; to do what is right; to adhere to a higher standard of personal conduct; to lead by example, and to make tough decisions under stress and pressure.

COMMITMENT

The spirit of determination that leads to professionalism and mastery of the art of war. It leads to the highest order of discipline for unit and self; enabling 24-hour-a-day dedication to Corps and Country; pride; concern for others; and an unrelenting determination to achieve a standard of excellence in every endeavor. Commitment is the value that establishes the Marine as the warrior and citizen others strive to emulate.

GUIDANCE FOR NEW MARINES

As one of our Corps' newest Marines, you will normally travel to your home of record for 10 days of well earned "boot leave" prior to reporting for follow-on training at the School of Infantry. While home on leave, take the time to rest and re-connect with your Marine family and friends. Stay true to our core values of honor, courage, and commitment. Maintain your physical fitness, and remain safe in day-to-day activities. Use this time to rest, reflect upon the commitment you have made to our Corps and nation, and prepare for your next phase of training. I encourage you to contact your recruiter and assist them in selecting qualified candidates for enlistment.

YOUR RESPONSIBILITIES

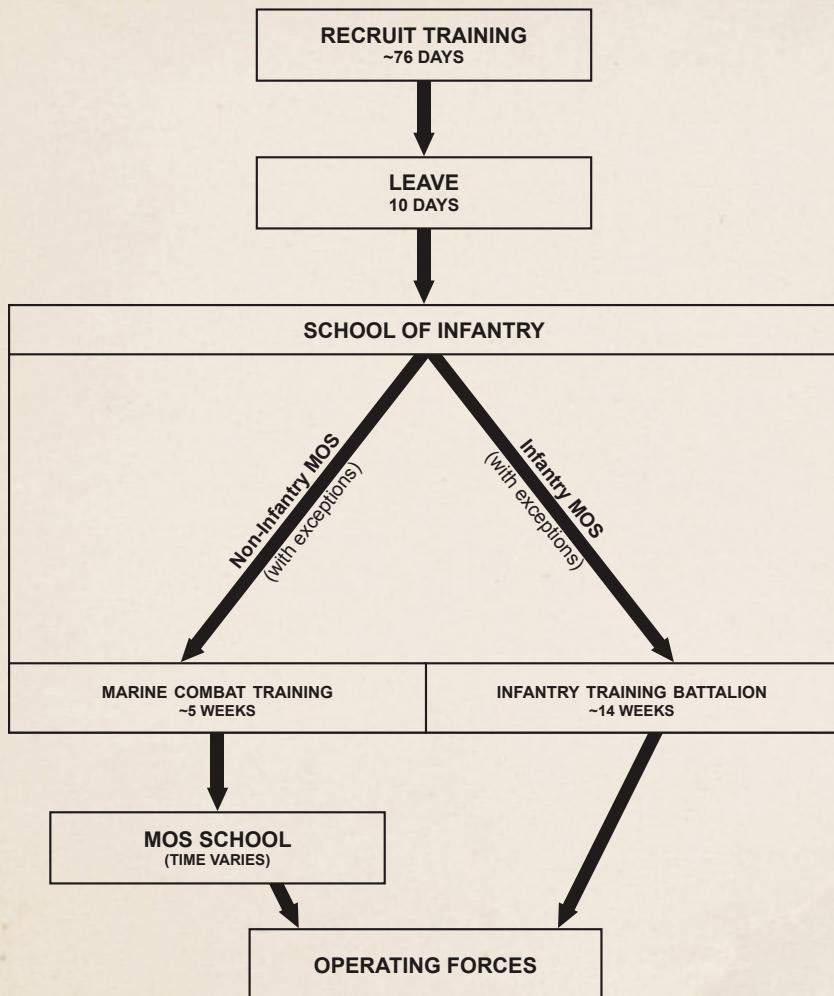
As a basic Marine, imbued with our Core Values, you now represent our Corps. You are expected to exemplify personal character, selflessness, and military virtue. Ensure you stay mentally, morally, and physically prepared to embark on your next challenge of becoming a basic rifleman. Conduct yourself in accordance with the high standards to which you have been held. Demonstrate to everyone your transformation into a proud, disciplined Marine. Many of your friends and acquaintances will not understand your commitment, and you may need to make tough decisions as a result. Have courage. Remember, you now represent the Marine Corps to your family, friends, hometown, and our nation.

MY EXPECTATIONS

Use our Core Values as a moral compass. Be true to yourself, your family, our Corps, and our nation. Our Core Values apply, always and everywhere. You may be tempted to participate in activities incompatible with our ethos; stay committed to the course you chose when you received your Eagle, Globe, and Anchor. Additionally maintain your physical readiness; this is a life-long effort and you have a good start. Watch what you eat, stay hydrated, go for light runs during leave, and maintain your upper body strength. I challenge you to assist our Corps in recruiting. For over 242 years, every Marine has been a recruiter. Contact your recruiter - you may have the opportunity to impact our recruiting effort and improve your opportunities for promotion at the same time. Finally, be safe. Think before you act. You have not driven a motor vehicle in over three months, so be careful. Drive safely, and above all else, don't drink and drive. In the end, I expect you to arrive at your next duty station rested, healthy, and ready to continue your training.

ENTRY-LEVEL TRAINING OVERVIEW

The chart below outlines the basic entry level training progression for new Marines, from recruit training, through the School of Infantry, and on to the Operating Forces. Most Marines assigned non-infantry Military Occupational Specialties (MOS) will complete Marine Combat Training while at the School of Infantry, followed by their MOS school. Some assigned non-infantry MOSs will attend Infantry Training Battalion in lieu of Marine Combat Training, followed by their MOS school. Those assigned infantry MOSs will attend Infantry Training Battalion.



MERITORIOUS PROMOTIONS

Marines are eligible to earn meritorious promotions to the next higher rank by referring qualified applicants for enlistment to their recruiter.

- A private needs only one referral for promotion to private first class. In addition to increased authority and responsibility, this promotion will increase the Marine's pay more than \$150 per month.
- A private first class requires only two referrals for promotion to lance corporal. This promotion will increase the Marine's pay by over \$75 per month and will provide the Marine an even greater opportunity to demonstrate his or her leadership and professionalism.

SCHOOL OF INFANTRY REPORTING INSTRUCTIONS

- Report to the Commanding Officer, School of Infantry-East. The uniform for reporting to the School of Infantry-East is the Service "A" uniform.
- Pack two full sets of utilities (one green digital and one desert digital), boots and hygiene kit in your carry-on bag.
- Carry your ID card, ID tags, orders, SRB and medical/dental records in your carry-on bag.
- Bring all Marine Corps issued clothing and equipment.
- Wear appropriate civilian attire while traveling between your leave address and the School of Infantry-East.
- If you need immediate assistance while you are on leave, contact your recruiter.
- The contact information for the School of Infantry-East at Camp Geiger, North Carolina is Student Administration at (910) 449-0441/0442/0443. During non-working hours (1700-0700 Monday-Friday, weekends, and holidays), call the Officer of the Day at (910) 449-0179.
- The School of Infantry-East website contains additional information. The address is <http://www.tecom.marines.mil/soieast/unithome.aspx>



Review photos from today's graduation at the official Parris Island Facebook page.
<http://www.facebook.com/ParrisIsland>

A blurred, out-of-focus photograph showing the backs of several Marine Corps recruits in dark uniforms with red piping and gold buttons, standing in formation.

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