

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.



SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

Invocation*

Sound Attention

Adjutant's Call

March On of Troops

*National Anthem**

Sound Off

Report – Publish the Order

Officers' Center

Commanding Officer Remarks

Pass in Review

Retirement of Guidons

Introduction of Award Recipients

*Marines' Hymn**

Final Dismissal

*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

12 June 2026

Recruit Training Regiment

Commanding Officer.....Colonel A. P. Baraletti
Sergeant Major.....Sergeant Major E. M. Smack

First Recruit Training Battalion

Commanding Officer.....Lieutenant Colonel G. T. Moyniha
Sergeant Major.....Sergeant Major M. M. Goldschmidt

Commander of Troops

Captain W. T. Barnes

Parade Adjutant

Second Lieutenant D. B. Bivins

Company “D”, First Recruit Training Battalion

Commanding OfficerCaptain W. T. Barnes
Company First Sergeant First Sergeant R. K. Wilkes
Lead Series CommanderCaptain X. Kelly
Follow Series Command.....Captain J. T. Peer
Lead Series Chief Drill InstructorGunnery Sergeant T. S. Thrush
Follow Series Chief Drill InstructorStaff Sergeant K. N. Cole

Drill Master

Staff Sergeant D. M. Brodie

Staff Sergeant R. T. Frye

Chaplain

Commander S. Bootsma

Color Guard

Sergeant S. E. Griffis

Sergeant T. M. Juan

Sergeant A. C. Vacca

Sergeant A. T. Miller

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SENIOR DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....SSgt J. L. Myers
DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....SSgt J. A. Zaccaro
DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....SSgt N. M. Mason
DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....SSgt Restrepo
DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....Sgt J. A. Roop
DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....Sgt F. L. Martinez



PLATOON HONOR GRADUATE.....PFC T. J. Reid
HOMETOWN.....Augusta, GA
RECRUITED BY.....Sgt Gilbreath

PLATOON HIGH SHOOTER.....Pvt M. A. Helm(324)
MARKSMANSHIP INSTRUCTOR.....Cpl Howman

PLATOON HIGH PFT/CFT.....PFC T. H. White (594)

PVT Aguirrecastillo, L.E.	PFC Tiller, K. M.
PFC Bailey, L. H.	PVT Todd, J. J.
PFC Balde, A.	PFC Veronsilva, A.
PVT Beaulieu, M. A.	PVT Ward, B. P.
PVT Bornioszagal, M. R.	PVT Whiddon, W. B.
PVT Bowen, G. E.	PFC White, T. H.*
PVT Bragg, D. L.	
PVT Bullard, J. T.	
PFC Chretien, J. M.	
PVT Claudio, X. J.	
PVT Davidson, R.	
PVT Helm, M. A.	
PVT Hernandez, J. A.	
PFC Hernandez, Y.	
PFC Leon Jr., A. A.	
PFC Liu, K.	
PVT Maldonado, C. A.	
PFC Marshall, O. L.*	
PVT Meier, C. W.	
PVT Moore, D. J.	
PVT Moore, D. T.	
PFC Nguyen, K. D.	
PVT Parker, E. J.	
PVT Poole, H. D.	
PFC Reid, T. J.*	
PVT Rivera Jr., C. A.	
PVT Robinson, D. L.	
PVT Rodriguez, E. E.	
PVT Rodrigueztaramona, A. J.	
PVT Romero, J. D.	
PVT Ross, D. N.	
PFC Rubioreyes, C. J.*	
PVT Shah, J. S.	
PVT Thomas II., R. D.	

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SENIOR DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....SSgt E. Bautista-Quezada
DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....SSgt O. U. Cavazo
DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....Sgt M. R. Tsosie
DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....Sgt H. A. Corney



PLATOON HONOR GRADUATE.....PFC G. D Munozarias
HOMETOWN.....Reading, PA
RECRUITED BY.....Sgt B. Fuentes

PLATOON HIGH SHOOTER.....PVT Y. Bejarano (322)
MARKSMANSHIP INSTRUCTOR.....Sgt Simmons

COMPANY HIGH PFT/CFT.....PVT A. D. Robinson (597)

PFC Amayacruz, M. E.	PFC Reaves, R. R.
PFC Anderson, J. L.	PFC Robinson, A. D.*
PVT Bejarano, Y.	PVT Robinson, B. N.
PFC Buchholz, J. L.	PFC Rodriguez, J.
PVT Callahan, T. A.	PVT Rueda, I. M.
PVT Carmenate, M.	PVT Santiagoreyes, J.
PFC Carris, E. J.	PVT Scott, N. T.
PVT Daleneyssells, L. J.	PVT Turner, H. L.
PFC Diazpozo, A. L.	PVT Villafuerteluna, A.
PFC Donahue, M. E.	PFC Wallace, J. A.
PFC Earhart, M. M.	PFC Weaver, J. C.
PFC Fouse, A. L.*	PFC Wiggan, K. R.
PFC Garro, Y.	
PFC Gaudin, M.*	
PFC Gonzalezramos, D.	
PVT Hargrove, S. A.	
PFC Jackson, Z. H.	
PVT James, J. L.	
PVT Jimenezpalacios, G. I.	
PFC Karssen, C. J.	
PFC Lafranca, A. M.	
PFC Lazarozarate, J.	
PVT Leos, S. R.	
PFC Lobo, J. I.	
PVT Lujanluis, R.	
PVT Marinzamorano, J.	
PVT Martinez, S. G.	
PFC Mendezduarte, E.	
PFC Munozarias, G. D.	
PVT Ogunyankinnu, E. R.	
PVT Paucar, K. D.	
PVT Pena, O.	
PFC Penner, N. J.*	
PVT Powell, D. T.	
PFC Ramirezrivera, N. J.	

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SENIOR DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....SSgt A. S. Williams
DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....Sgt J. J. Cordova
DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....Sgt C. Aristizabal
DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....Sgt D. O. Dutton



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HOMETOWN.....Poquoson, VA
RECRUITED BY.....Sgt E. Zahn

COMPANY HIGH SHOOTER.....PVT N. D. Leathe (325)
MARKSMANSHIP INSTRUCTOR.....Cpl Robbins

PLATOON HIGH PFT/CFT..... PFC R. M. Fosket (588)

PVT Ali, Z. R.	PVT Saintyl, J. R.
PVT Angelramirez, S. E.	PVT Stephens, S. S.
PVT Berry, J. M.	PVT Sprinkle, G. T.
PVT Bond, C. I.	PVT Surpris, D.
PFC Campbell, B. P.	PVT Tyler, E. J.*
PVT Campbell, J. A.	PVT Vega, M. G.
PVT Campbell, J. T.*	PVT Whittington, B. W.
PVT Childers, D.M.	PVT Williams, E. J.
PFC Clanton, O. T.	
PVT Diazjimenez, O. C.	
PVT Doan, P. J.	
PVT Dolan IV., R. M.	
PVT Evans, C. J.	
PVT Fritsche, H. L.	
PFC Foskett Jr., R. M.	
PVT Garciahernandez, E.	
PVT Gengler, I. H.	
PVT Getchel, B. W.	
PVT Gilliland, B. I.	
PFC Hamblin, C. E.	
PVT Hernandezlorenzo, A. D.	
PVT Holley, P. E.	
PFC Jarrells, B. C.	
PVT Jones, W. C.	
PVT Kargbo, S. S.	
PVT Leathem, N. D.	
PVT Litts, J. B.	
PVT Martin, R. L.	
PVT Martin, T. C.	
PVT Measel, G. C.*	
PFC Miguel, G. C.	
PVT Moreno III., M.	
PFC Pope Jr., C. D.	
PVT Riveranevarez, L. A.	
PVT Rodriguezjimenez, S.	

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SENIOR DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....Sgt K. N. White Jr.
DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....Sgt Z. R. Wendig
DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....Sgt S. Gallego
DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....Sgt D. L. Taylor
DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....Sgt N. B. Imperial



PLATOON HONOR GRADUATE.....PFC M. O. Baker
HOMETOWN.....Clermont, FL
RECRUITED BY.....SSgt Cerventas

PLATOON HIGH SHOOTER.....PFC S.D Snodgrass (319)
MARKSMANSHIP INSTRUCTOR.....Sgt Hooks

PLATOON HIGH PFT/CFT.....PFC T.W. Levasseur (581)

PVT Adedeji, O. J.	PFC Simmons, D.
PFC Baker, M. O.*	PFC Snodgrass, S. D.
PFC Casey, J. R.	PFC Sotogiraldo, J. E.
PVT Caster, A. J.	PVT Stamper, J. Z.
PVT Castleberry, J. B.	PVT Tucker, P. W.
PVT Cho, P. J.	PFC Valladaresoakley, J. A.
PFC Clark, D. J.*	PVT Williams, C. J.
PVT Coelho, K. P.	PVT Williams, E. L.
PVT Cruzreyes, B.	PVT Winter, G. C.
PFC Delgado, C.	
PVT Dodge, L. B.	
PVT Esler, R. J.	
PFC Falcon, K.	
PVT Flynn, J. A.	
PVT Gamboa, A.	
PVT Gooden, D. S.	
PFC Hailu, D. H.	
PVT Harris II., B. J.	
PVT Hendricks, C. A.	
PVT Hope, H. N.	
PVT Karsten, B. M.	
PFC Khudabaksh, A. A.	
PVT Klomparens, J. B.	
PFC Levasseur, T. W.	
PVT Miller, A. A.	
PFC Neal, A. J.*	
PVT Olding, J. F.	
PVT Orozcoorozco, B. K.	
PVT Oxborough, M. W.	
PFC Parker IV., R. D.*	
PVT Remy, K.	
PVT Riveracollazo, R. Y.	
PFC Riznyk, G.	
PVT Rodasperez, J. A.	

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SENIOR DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....SSgt A. S. Adetona
 DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....SSgt J. Zaragoza
 DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....SSgt S. Mendoza
 DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....SSgt G. Arellano
 DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....Sgt K. Montgomery



PLATOON HONOR GRADUATE.....PFC X. Riosquinones
 HOMETOWN.....Anasco, PR
 RECRUITED BY.....Sgt C. Christopher

PLATOON HIGH SHOOTER.....Pvt E. Ortega (323)
 MARKSMANSHIP INSTRUCTOR.....Cpl S. Wooden

PLATOON HIGH PFT/CFT.....PFC A. Tiban (584)

PVT Armao, C. A.	PVT Steiner, A. A.
PVT Awator, J. S.	PVT Tamayo, J. A.
PVT Baker, W. C.	PFC Taylor, G. D.*
PVT Bangura, A. A.	PFC Terrell, J. J.
PFC Bryant, D. A. *	PFC Tiban, A. X.
PVT Butler, M. J.	PVT Toussaint Jr., R. F.
PVT Coffman, D. M.	PVT Villafuerteluna, O.
PVT Durey, B. A.	PVT Wimberly, D. L.
PVT Esteves, I. A.	PFC Yungfans, D. A.
PVT Gardner, S. C.	PVT Zinn, T.A.
PFC Gonzalezortega, F. E.	
PVT Grogan, J. T.	
PVT Hansel III., G. P.	
PFC Larry, J. D.	
PVT Mendezhidalgo, A. J.	
PVT Milligan, L. T.	
PFC Munozmoquete, J. I.	
PVT Neisser, D. M.	
PFC Nelson, J. D.*	
PVT Ortega, C. C.	
PVT Ortega, E. A.	
PVT Parejagarcia, C. J.	
PVT Reeves, J. J.	
PFC Riosquinones, X. Y.*	
PVT Robinsonjones, C. M.	
PVT Rodgers, T.	
PVT Ruffell, A. F.	
PVT Russell, L. J.	
PVT Scott, P. J.	
PVT Shipp, C. E.	
PFC Shipp, W. C.	
PVT Sholin, B. E.	
PVT Slone, T. A.	
PFC Smith, N. D.*	

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SENIOR DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....SSgt A. A. Harewood Jr.
DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....SSgt S. A. De Leon
DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....SSgt C. L. Cline
DRILL INSTRUCTOR.....Sgt J. Toranzoinfante



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MARKSMANSHIP INSTRUCTOR.....Sgt J. Smith

PLATOON HIGH PFT/CFT.....PFC D. W. Gebhard (568)

PVT Altman, B. A.	PVT Simmons, B. R.
PVT Arandagarrido, I.	PVT Smith, S. M.
PFC Arcenales, H. G.	PFC Sopp, I. N.
PVT Avila, D. M.*	PVT Stein, B. J.
PVT Brister, J. A.	PVT Thompson, H. M.
PVT Chichaycohetero, D. S.	PVT Toe, S. S.
PVT Clary, F. E.	PVT Vasquezterron, J. C.
PFC Crouch, W. C.	PFC Vazquez, J. B.
PVT Deane, M. R.	PVT Waller, J. J.
PVT Diaz, A. D.	PFC Wheeler III., R. W.
PVT Dorsey, A. M.*	PVT Young, N. C.
PVT Emanucle, S. D.	
PVT Erasgonzalez, B. Z.*	
PVT Febus, J. A.	
PFC Gaughranluna, S. O.	
PVT Gebhardt, D. W.*	
PVT Hawes, R.	
PVT Hutchinson, I. J.*	
PVT Jaramillo, J. E.	
PVT Jarrett, B. D.	
PVT Jasinski, E. V.	
PVT Johnson Jr., A. L.	
PVT Jovel, E. S.	
PVT Judware, M. J.	
PVT Laguerre, W.	
PFC Martinez, H. A.	
PVT Martinezromero, I.	
PVT Matos, Y.	
PFC Mccombs, E. X.	
PVT Murphy, N. E.	
PVT Page, H. E.	
PVT Provenzano III., B. A.	
PVT Ramirez, A. G.	
PVT Santos, M. D.	

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



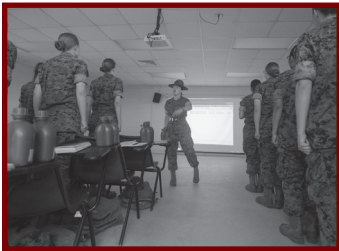
The transformation process begins with recruiting, where we select young men and women of demonstrated potential and commitment and prepare them for recruit training.

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

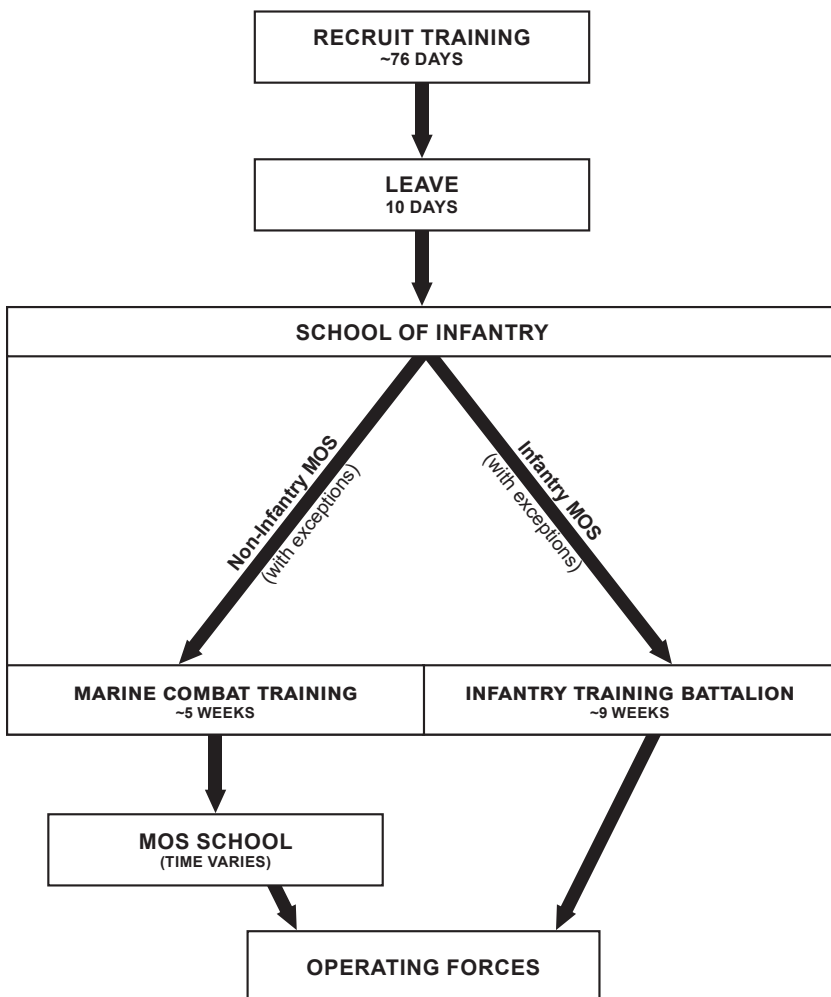
As a basic Marine, imbued with our Core Values, you now represent our Corps. You are expected to exemplify personal character, selflessness, and military virtue. Ensure you stay mentally, morally, and physically prepared to embark on your next challenge of becoming a basic rifleman. Conduct yourself 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.
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