

CADET WINGS COMMITMENT STATEMENT

I, Cadet _____, am enrolling in Cadet Wings. I acknowledge Cadet Wings is designed for cadets who are seriously exploring careers in aviation and have a strong desire to obtain an FAA Private Pilot Certificate. Civil Air Patrol, with funding from the United States Air Force and The Ray Foundation, are making a significant financial investment in my future. Consequently, I have thoughtfully considered my obligations and commit to meet this opportunity with my very best effort. I commit the following (**initial next to each item below**):

- I will make flight training my #1 priority, after family and school obligations, during my enrollment in Cadet Wings.
- I will not take on additional responsibilities that distract me from my flight training schedule. All commitments outside of flying should be seriously considered. i.e., camps, clubs, sports, jobs, special activities. I discussed this obligation with my parents.
- I realize my enrollment period in Cadet Wings is limited to 6 months or 60 flight hours, whichever comes first.
- I will study and fly whenever possible, in accordance with CAPP 60-43, *Cadet Wings Student Guide*.
- I acknowledge that transportation to and from my flight training site is my responsibility, and I have discussed this obligation with my parents. My flight training will take place within 2 hours' drive time (one way) of where I will be residing.
- I will maintain a regular training schedule, mutually agreed upon by my instructor and myself prior to my first lesson and outlined in my flight plan.
- I understand that if I am slotted for a National Cadet Special Activity (NCSA) that takes place during my 6-month training window, I will decline the spot. Cadets who have passed their checkride or have disenrolled may attend the NCSA.
- I will maintain regular communication with my Navigator, if flying with funding from The Ray Foundation.
- I understand that I will be notified of my training budget and will be responsible for tracking my expenses. I may not exceed my training budget without written approval.
- I acknowledge that this program requires a total time of approximately 20 hours a week (this includes study time, pre-flight, flying time, debrief and estimated transportation time to and from the airport).
- Realizing that maintaining a healthy lifestyle is an integral part of any training program, I will abide with the Cadet Program's policy on drugs and supplements.
- I will abide with the [CAP Aviator's Code of Conduct](#).
- To the best of my ability, I will not cancel a planned flight training except due to illness or a family emergency. In such cases, I will notify my instructor, immediately.
- I will attend bi-weekly progress monitoring sessions with my designated YAI panel mentor via Microsoft Teams unless excused with email request detailing the absence.
- I will log my flight time (previous and current) into Zululog, an online logbook. Information for sign-up will be provided upon enrollment.
- I will continue to abide by the CAP Core Values of Integrity, Service, Excellence, and Respect in everything I do, in and out of uniform.
- I understand that even though it is not required to be in uniform while training, that I will adhere to CAPR 39-1, Chapter 3, Grooming and Appearance Standards.
- I am confident that I will successfully complete my training on time and become a licensed Private Pilot.

Cadet Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____

Date: _____

Cadets who have reached the age of majority, write "N.A."