



# U.S. ARMY MANEUVER SUPPORT CENTER OF EXCELLENCE FORT LEONARD WOOD

*"Victory Starts Here – Victory Through Skill"*

## UNIQUE CAPABILITIES

**F**ort Leonard Wood is a thriving and prosperous installation which evolved from a small basic training post more than 70 years ago to a premier Army Center of Excellence, training nearly 80,000 military and civilians each year in active component courses.

Fort Leonard Wood is home to three U.S. Army schools: the U.S. Army Engineer; Chemical, Biological, Radiological, and Nuclear; and Military Police schools.

In addition to training these three specialties for the Army, we are one of three locations that provides gender-integrated in-processing and Basic Combat Training for new Soldiers.

On top of the nearly 80,000 trained in the active component courses, we train an additional 12,000 to 13,000 people from 120 reserve and other non-tenant units, and we are the proud home of the 102nd Training Division (Maneuver Support) and Missouri's 35th Engineer Brigade.

Fort Leonard Wood hosts and trains with the largest Marine Corps and Air Force detachments on any Army installation as well as a large Navy construction detachment.

We are home to the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' Prime Power School and home of several deployable U.S. Army Forces Command units.

We are home to a large international student detachment — approximately 450 international students are trained each year. Over the past five years, Fort Leonard Wood has trained international partners from more than 100 nations.

Fort Leonard Wood solves tough future problems for the Army including solutions development for homeland operations and countering weapons of mass destruction.

MSCoE's and Fort Leonard Wood's goal is to train and develop Soldiers who are strong in character, competent in their tasks, and committed to our nation and our values.

## UNIQUE INSTALLATION AND CAPACITY

Fort Leonard Wood encompasses around 62,000 acres of land and has four access control points, which experience 28,600 incoming and outgoing vehicles daily.

Just under 45 percent of the installation borders federally owned property, and there are no encroachment, environmental, or noise concerns.

There are 2,355 buildings on post, providing 15.4 million square feet of facilities for our unique and highly technical training and support activities.

The installation has 35 ranges and 89 training sites; we manage about 55,500 pieces of equipment that support our training.

Barracks facilities, family housing and lodging have ample capacity for growth.

Forney Airfield also provides commercial and military service with 6,038 feet of available runway; 27.7 miles of railway are also available on post for the movement of equipment and training materials.

The General Leonard Wood Army Community Hospital provides a fully-accredited bedded hospital and currently accepts VA beneficiaries enrolled at the Harry S. Truman Veterans Administration Hospital in Columbia, Missouri.



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## ECONOMIC IMPACT TO MISSOURI

On an average day, Fort Leonard Wood has nearly 11,000 service members in training, employs or hosts more than 12,000 military and civilian employees, and supports over 11,000 Family members and about 60,000 retirees.

Fort Leonard Wood is a top employer in the state of Missouri, supporting 36,400 direct and indirect jobs. Our operating

budget is more than \$400 million (which includes civilian salaries), and we pay out \$990 million in annual military salaries to permanent party and Soldiers in training.

We provide a beautiful installation and great diversity to the region as the communities provide unparalleled and appreciated support to our missions

and people.

We appreciate all that our community members do to support service members and Families, our post and the military.

If you have not been here, lately, please come and see our beautiful post and our unique capabilities, capacity and community support.

## SOME THINGS WE ARE KNOWN FOR

- Developing unique maneuver support capabilities - skills and tools - to ensure maneuver commanders are victorious
- Relevant, challenging training that provides trained and ready Soldiers prepared to meet the unique challenges in rapidly evolving or changing environments
- Supporting the Army's end strength increase with additional training load
- Leading complex warfighting challenges for the Army; solving gaps in counter-WMD and homeland operations
- Developing doctrine, organizations and future systems for maneuver support - engineer, CBRN and MP - forces
- Close relationship with Forces Command and training centers
- Tight integration with the Reserve and National Guard in training and capabilities development
- Inter-service, inter-agency and international training
- Credentialing and certifying institutions and individuals
- Outstanding support services, including healthcare
- Award-winning individuals and organizations
- A safe, low-cost, family-friendly environment with opportunities to enjoy work and life in the area

**“Your job here at the U.S. Army Maneuver Support Center of Excellence is critical to developing our leaders and unique skills supporting formations anywhere around the world.” - Undersecretary of the Army Patrick Murphy**