



The Judge Advocate General's School

FY 2026 Course Schedule

* Courses with an asterisk at the end denote a change from the previous schedule

In-Residence Courses (unless annotated, course is held at The Air Force Judge Advocate General's School, Maxwell AFB, AL)

October

- 7 – 8 Oct 2025: Environmental Law Update Course 26-A (**Virtual**)
- 14 – 17 Oct 2025: Homeland Defense/Homeland Security Crse 26-A ([See Note 2](#))
- 14 Oct – 12 Dec 2025: Judge Advocate Staff Officer Course 26-A ([See Note 1](#))
- 20 – 30 Oct 2025: Gateway Course 26-A ([See Note 1](#))
- 20 Oct – 21 Nov 2025: Paralegal Craftsman Course 26-01 ([See Note 1](#))
- 27 Oct – 7 Nov 2025: Operations Law Course 26-A ([See Notes 1 & 2](#))

November

- 4 – 7 Nov 2025: Victims' Counsel Advocacy Course 26-A ([See Note 1](#))
- 17 – 21 Nov 2025: Federal Employee Labor Law Course 26-A

December

- 4 – 12 Dec 2025: Defense Orientation Course 26-A* ([See Notes 1 & 3](#))
- 10 – 11 Dec 2025: Civilian Legal Orientation Course 26-A ([See Note 1](#))
- 8 – 12 Dec 2025: Military Justice Administration Course 26-A ([See Note 1](#))

January

- 12 Jan – 17 Apr 2026: Paralegal Apprentice Course 26-01 ([See Note 1](#))
- 20 – 30 Jan 2026: Gateway Course 26-B ([See Note 1](#))
- 26 Jan – 13 Feb 2026: Court Reporter Course 26-A ([See Note 1](#))
- 26 – 30 Jan 2026: Paralegal Adv. Development Education 26-01 ([See Note 1](#))
- 26 Jan – 6 Feb 2026: Trial & Defense Advocacy Course 26-A ([See Note 1](#))

February

- 2 – 6 Feb 2026: Advanced Litigation Course 26-A ([See Note 1](#))
- 2 – 6 Feb 2026: Joint Military Judge's Annual Training 26-A ([See Note 1](#))
- 2 – 6 Feb 2026: Space Law Course
- 5 – 6 Feb 2026: Senior Officer/Enlisted Legal Orientation 26-A ([See Note 4](#))
- 17 Feb – 17 Apr 2026: Judge Advocate Staff Officer Course 26-B ([See Note 1](#))
- 17 Feb – 19 May 2026: Paralegal Apprentice Course 26-02 ([See Note 1](#))
- 23 – 27 Feb 2026: Air Operations Center - Legal Advisor Crse 26-A ([See Note 2](#))

March

- 2 Mar – 1 Apr 2026: Paralegal Craftsman Course 26-02 ([See Note 1](#))
- 3 – 4 Mar 2026: Advanced Environmental Law Course 26-A (**Off-Site Wash D.C.**)
- 9 – 13 Mar Accident Investigation Course 26-A
- 9 – 13 Mar 2026: Cyber Law Course 26-A ([See Note 2](#))
- 12 – 13 Mar 2026: Senior Officer/Enlisted Legal Orientation 26-B ([See Note 4](#))
- 16 – 20 Mar 2026: Negotiation & Appropriate Dispute Resolution Crse 26-A

April

- 16 – 17 Apr 2026: Senior Officer/Enlisted Legal Orientation 26-C ([See Note 4](#))
- 20 – 21 Apr 2026: USSF Senior Ofcr/Enlisted Legal Orientation (Off-Site) ([See Note 4](#))
- 20 – 24 Apr 2026: Military Justice Administration Course 26-B ([See Note 1](#))
- 23 Apr – 1 May 2026: Defense Orientation Course 26-B ([See Notes 1 & 3](#))
- 27 Apr – 7 May 2026: Victims' Counsel Course 26-A ([See Note 1](#))
- 27 Apr – 8 May 2026: OSTC Initial Qualification Course 26-A ([See Note 1](#))

May

- 4 – 8 May 2026: District Trial Counsel Orientation Course 26-A ([See Note 1](#))
- 4 – 8 May 2026: Senior Defense Counsel Qualification Course 26-A ([See Note 1](#))
- 4 – 15 May 2026: Operations Law Course 26-B ([See Notes 1 & 2](#))
- 11 – 15 May 2026: Paralegal Superintendent Course 26-01 ([See Note 1](#))
- 14 – 15 May 2026: Senior Officer/Enlisted Legal Orientation 26-D ([See Note 4](#))
- 19 – 21 May 2026: Adv. Labor & Employment Law Crse 26-A (**Off-Site Wash D.C.**)

June

- 1 – 12 Jun 2026: Law Office Management Course 26-A ([See Note 1](#))
- 1 – 12 Jun 2026: Staff Judge Advocate Course 26-A ([See Note 1](#))
- 8 Jun – 11 Sept 2026: Paralegal Apprentice Course 26-03 ([See Note 1](#))
- 10 – 11 Jun 2026: Career Services Officer Orientation 26-A
- 22 – 26 Jun 2026: Paralegal Advanced Developmental Edu 26-02 ([See Note 1](#))
- 23 – 25 Jun 2026: ARC Senior Leadership Course 26-A



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July

- 6 – 24 Jul 2026: Court Reporter Course 26-B ([See Note 1](#))
- 13 Jul – 16 Oct 2026: Paralegal Apprentice Course 26-04 ([See Note 1](#))
- 20 Jul – 18 Sept 2026: Judge Advocate Staff Officer Course 26-C ([See Note 1](#))
- 23 – 24 Jul 2026: Senior Officer/Enlisted Legal Orientation 26-E ([See Note 4](#))
- 27 – 31 Jul 2026: Basic Environmental Law Course 26-A

August

- 3 Aug – 2 Sept 2026: Paralegal Craftsmen Course 26-03 ([See Note 1](#))
- 10 – 14 Aug 2026: Accident Investigation Course 26-B (**Virtual**)
- 25 Aug – 4 Dec 2026: Paralegal Apprentice Course 26-05 ([See Note 1](#))

September

- 14 – 25 Sept 2026: Trial & Defense Advocacy Course 26-B ([See Note 1](#))

Notes & Information

NOTE 1: Course is funded by AFJAGS for JAG Corps Air Force RegAF students. Fund cite will be provided once student roster is finalized (typically 30 days prior to course start).

NOTE 2: Course Nominated members must hold a current secret or above security clearance.

NOTE 3: The first 2 days of the Defense Orientation Course are virtual. Travel not authorized except for students OCONUS.

NOTE 4: Attendance at USAF & USSF Senior Officer/Enlisted Legal Orientations is managed by the respective service's Colonel's Group & Chief's Group (A1/S1).

Course offerings and dates are subject to change. For the most current schedule, please visit <https://www.afjag.af.mil/JAG-School>.

Additional course information such as course description, course ID, and reporting instructions is located at the Education & Training Course Announcement (ETCA) website (site requires CAC login).

<https://usaf.dps.mil/teams/app10-etca/SitePages/home.aspx>

Summary of Changes

- **Date Change:**
 - Defense Orientation Course 26-A – Start date changed from 8 Dec to 4 Dec
- **TBD:**
 - Reserve Forces Paralegal Course 26-01
 - Annual Survey of the Law 26-A

TRIALS – Training by Reservists in Advocacy & Litigation Skills

- TRIALS 26-A: TBD
- TRIALS 26-B: TBD
- TRIALS 26-C: TBD
- TRIALS 26-D: TBD
- TRIALS 26-E: TBD