

204TH REGIMENT

IDAHO REGIONAL TRAINING INSTITUTE (ID-RTI)

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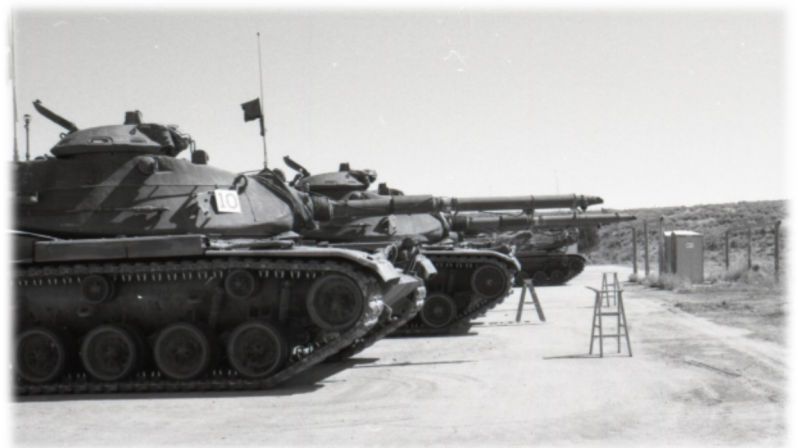


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MISSION

The 204TH Regional Training Institute (RTI) trains Soldiers and leaders in a variety of competencies and capabilities. Soldiers in the Armor and Ordnance branches are trained at all levels, from Military Occupational Specialty Reclassification (MOS-R) up to Senior Leader Course (SLC). Furthermore, the RTI offers initial training both Commissioned and Warrant Officer Candidates as well as facilitating Combat Medic sustainment training and instructor certification. The goal of the RTI is to train Soldiers with the latest technology, the most technically and tactically proficient cadre, and provide an exceptional learning environment. The RTI's vision is ever evolving, looking towards a campus concept with capabilities to increase training missions, courses, and training areas to better serve Soldiers. The TY18 was a big year for the RTI; receiving an accreditation score of 99.7 as well as the Governors Outstanding Unit Award.

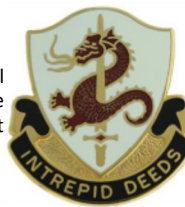


M60A1 tanks ready on the Range 6 firing line at the Orchard Combat Training Center adjacent to Gowen Field in Idaho's hot and dry desert climate during the summer of 1980.



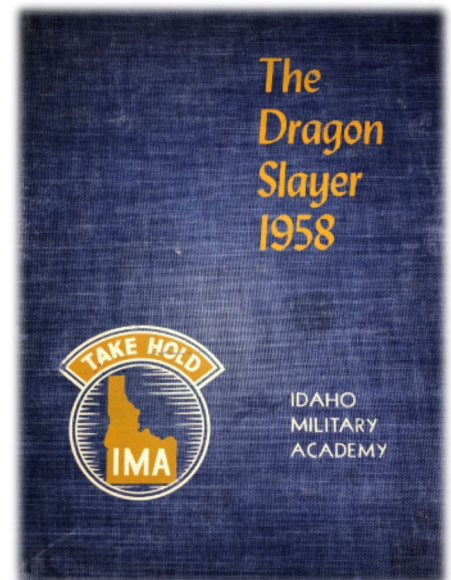
Gowen Field flagpole, chapel, enlisted barracks and morale offices during World War II.

204th Regional
Training Institute
Regimental Crest



HISTORY

The Idaho Army National Guard's 204th Regional Training Institute has a rich history of complex training since 1958, when the first Officer Candidate School in Idaho was conducted. It has received national and international recognition for blazing trails, accomplishing training firsts, and creating world-class Warriors.



Front cover of the pictorial record of Idaho's first OCS class and the inception of the Idaho Military Academy.

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GOWEN FIELD, IDAHO



Newly completed billeting remodel featuring 160 single occupant rooms with WiFi and expansive dayrooms with kitchenettes.

The 204th RTI's ACFT Field, furnished with training aids, is ready to assist Soldiers in their ACFT readiness while attending training.



FACILITY

Soldiers receive classroom instruction at the 204th RTI's state of the art facility on Gowen Field in Boise, Idaho before moving their training out to the Orchard Combat Training Center (OCTC). The OCTC is a 143,000 acre facility dedicated to field training; encompassing the real world challenges of the modern combat environment. Field training curriculums at the OCTC can vary from M1A2 Abrams tank operations to urban combat operations at the Combined Arms Collective Training Facility (CACTF) to small arms weaponry at any of the many firing ranges.

In addition to the many capabilities at the OCTC, the garrison area of the 204th RTI on Gowen Field offers a Leadership Reaction Course, simulators, and a top of the line collegiate level running track adjacent to the fully equipped fitness center.



The Gowen Field Fitness Center is fully equipped to meet the needs of every Soldier athlete with extensive cardio machines, power and olympic lifting stations, free-weights, TRX stations, spinning/yoga/group fitness room, sparring/wrestling mat, full locker room and shower facilities.

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ARMOR TRAINING BATTALION



1/204TH ARMOR TRAINING BATTALLION (ATB)

The 1/204th ATB provides individual armor training to support all three components of the Army. It is employed as the Armor subject matter expert for the ARNG and executes coordinating authority and quality assurance oversight for functionally aligned training companies.

The ATB utilizes the most experienced National Guard instructors in the nation. The battalion has a history of facilitating relevant and accurate training since 1984. It executes The Adjutant General's (TAG) directed training to sustain essential warfighting skills among cadre and students.

The battalion operates at a high tempo with year round training. The utilization of training during all 4 seasons in the high mountain desert environment of Idaho creates the best well rounded warfighters of this generation. The instructors and staff at the 1/204th ATB are experienced Soldiers dedicated to training over 375 Soldiers per year.



M1A2 Abrams tanks and operators during a live-fire exercise at the Orchard Combat Training Center.



19D training bay at the 204th RTI Armored Training Battalion.

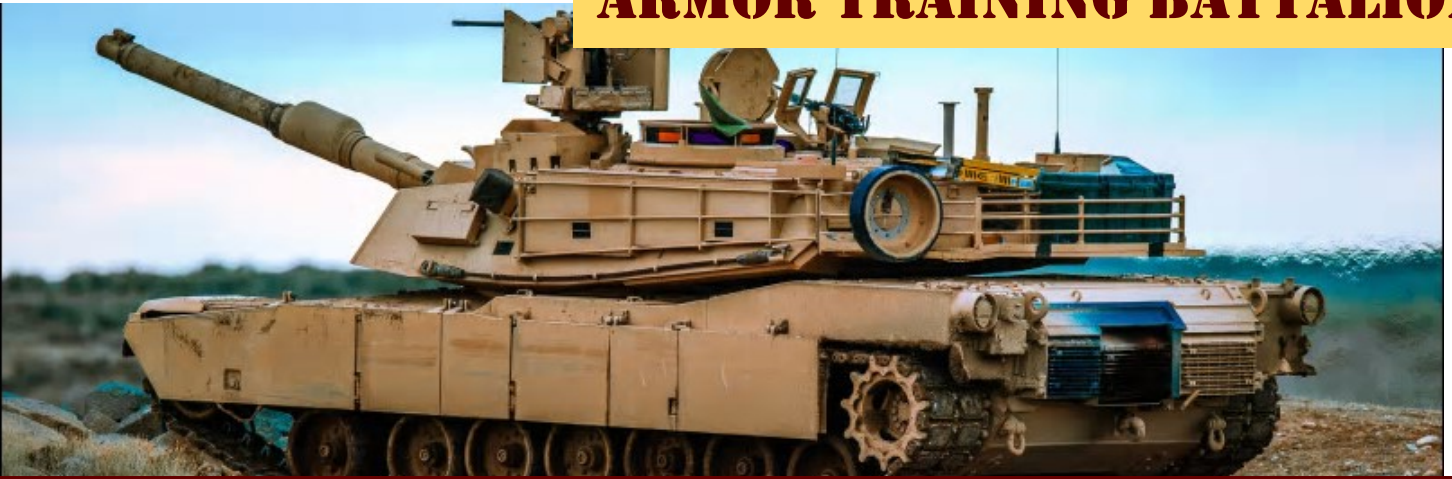
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ARMOR TRAINING BATTALION



COURSE OFFERINGS

- 19K M1A1 Military Occupational Specialty - Reclassification (MOS-R)
- 19K M1A2 SEP V2 MOS-R
- 19K Advanced Leader Course (ALC)
- 19K M1A1 Tank Commander's Course
- 19K M1A2 SEP V2 Tank Commander's Course
- 19K Transition Course

19D MOS-R students reviewing their mission in the classroom prior to moving to the field.



19D MOS-R students participating in training at the Gowen Field MOUT site facilitated by 1/204th ATB Chief Instructor, MSG Askew.

COURSE OFFERINGS

- 19D Military Occupational Specialty - Reclassification (MOS-R)
- 19D Advanced Leader Course (ALC)
- 19D Bradley Commander's Course
- 19D Transition Course
- SUAS (RAVEN) Operator Course

19D and 19K training aids in the 1/204th training bay include multiple Abrams M1A1/M1A2 vehicles, Bradley Fighting Vehicles, sand tables, and an extensive weapons lab to include cutaway training aids of the many weapon systems and ammunitions used by 19D and 19K students.



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MODULAR TRAINING BATTALION



2/204TH MODULAR TRAINING BATTALION (MTB)

The 2/204th MTB facilitates a broad spectrum of training. The student demographics can range from new Soldiers recently returning from initial entrance training to senior enlisted Soldiers desiring to advance their careers.

The Idaho Army National Guard has some of the best senior enlisted leaders, commissioned officers, and support staff to lead and facilitate the Officer Candidate School (OCS) and Warrant Officer Candidate school (WOCS) courses. They follow TRADOC directives to produce the best commissioned and warrant officers in the nation. The IDARNG's OCS Phase 0 is designed to prepare new candidates for the vigorous requirements of Phases I-III; setting Soldiers up for success to be great leaders.

Medical careers require countless hours of continued education. The IDARNG is dedicated to assisting existing medical personnel in maintaining their skill set by completing the continuing education required for the profession. The 68W recertification course offered by the 2/204th MTB is critical for maintaining combat readiness and certification requirements.



OCS Phase 0 Candidates ▲
participate in an aircraft-assisted field
operation exercise near Idaho City,
in preparation for Phase 1 in South Dakota.

Warrant Officer Candidates
conducting field operations
during a training exercise
near Boise, Idaho.

A Combat Medic practices a
Needle Chest Decompression
on the CAE CAESAR Manikin;
an automated, reactive, and
lifelike simulation asset.



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MODULAR TRAINING BATTALION



COURSE OFFERINGS

- Pre-Officer Candidate School (OCS PH 0) - 6 IDT weekends
- Officer Candidate School (OCS PH II) - 11 IDT weekends
- Warrant Officer Candidate School (WOCS I) - 5 IDT weekends
- Common Faculty Development Instructor Course (CFD-IC)
- Commander/First Sergeant Pre-Command Course (CCFSPCC)
- Combat Medic (68W) Sustainment
- Health Care Provider CPR
- Combat Lifesaver Course
- Leadership Reaction Course

Cadets from the Idaho Youth Challenge Academy maneuvering over an obstacle at the 204th RTI's Leadership Reaction Course



WOCS Candidates conducting their foot march on the Gowen Field tank trail.

OCS Candidates conduct land navigation classroom training during Phase I.



TEAMWORK

Since the 204th RTI's inception in 1958 via General Order Number 5, the RTI has maintained educational partnerships with local and international agencies and allied military forces to assist in quality training to improve lives, sustain the fighting force, and continue to defeat the war on terror.

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REGIONAL TRAINING SITE-MAINTENANCE IDAHO



REGIONAL TRAINING SITE-MAINTENANCE (RTS-M)

Regional Training Site-Maintenance team support all components of the Army with multiphase MOS reclassification training, NCOES, Transition/ASI and Sustainment training. It is the sole source of 91A10/30 and 91F30 training for reserve components.



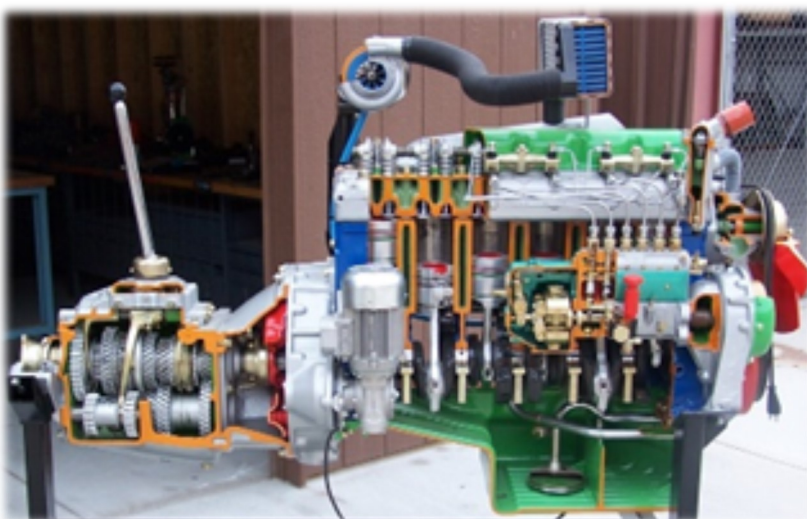
Multiple vehicle frames that 91 Series students train on while at the RTS-M.

The RTS-M has maintained a strong standard of excellence, ensuring that all instructors and staff are highly skilled and certified on the cutting edge of training and technology. This has lead them to assist in quality assurance oversight for all ordnance training conducted in Idaho, California, and Hawaii RTS-Ms.

Throughout its inception, the RTS-M has trained Soldiers from all 54 states and territories, U.S. Army Europe (USAREUR), and U.S. Army Pacific (USARPAC). The facility and faculty are equipped to train up to 1,200 students a year.



The RTS-M boasts multiple wheeled vehicle frames.



A cutaway view of an engine is used as a training tool for 91 Series Soldiers.

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REGIONAL TRAINING SITE-MAINTENANCE IDAHO



REGIONAL TRAINING SITE-MAINTENANCE



RTS-M Soldiers training on the maintenance of the M1A2 Abrams tank are expected to strip the tank down, to include removing the barrel, before rebuilding and driving it out of the maintenance bay.



Soldiers training with the RTS-M receive extensive field training; allowing them to master their skills in an austere environment.



RTS-M
Training
Facility

COURSE OFFERINGS

- H8 Wheeled Recovery Operations ASI
- H9 Tracked Recovery Operations ASI
- Ordnance SLC
- 91A10 M1 System Maintainer
- 91A30 M1 System Maintainer ALC
- 91B10 Wheeled Vehicle Mechanic MOS-R
- 91B30 Wheeled Vehicle Mechanic ALC
- 91F10 Small Arms Repair MOS-R
- 91F30 Small Arms Repair ALC
- 91H10 Track Vehicle MOS-R

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FACILITIES & RESOURCES



The austere Idaho terrain and weather requires Soldiers to train in tough conditions; increasing their combat effectiveness.

The OCTC's CACTF is equipped with specialty training aids to include obtrusive smells, strobe lights, hidden tunnels, and extra distractions for a realistic urban combat training experience.



An M1A2 Abrams tank maneuvering along the OCTC tank trail.

Orchard Combat Training Center (OCTC)

- Combined Arms Collective Training Facility (CACTF)
- OCTC Billeting
- Military Operations in Urban Terrain (MOUT)
- Land Navigation Ranges
- Small-Arms Ranges
- Crew-Served Weapon Ranges
- Large-Caliber Direct-Fire Ranges
- Artillery and Mortar Firing Ranges
- Demolition Ranges
- Impact Area

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IDAHO ARMY NATIONAL GUARD (IDARNG) ADDITIONAL FACILITIES AND RESOURCES AVAILABLE

The Idaho Army National Guard and Gowen Field is home to the 116th Cavalry Brigade Combat Team and the 1-183rd Aviation Regiment. This allows for numerous additional training resources that may be utilized by all components of the US and Allied Forces.

- Simulators
 - High-Mobility Multi-Wheeled Vehicle (HMMWV) Egress-Assistance Trainer (HEAT)
 - Engagement Skills Trainer (EST)
 - Aviation Pilot and Crew Operations
 - Reconfigurable Vehicle Tactical Convoy Trainer (RVTT)
 - Bradley Simulator
 - M1A2 Abrams Simulator
- Aviation Assets
 - UH-60 Blackhawk Helicopter
 - LUH Lakota Helicopter
 - Regional Emergency Fire, Flood, Rescue Response
- Family Programs
- Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve

UH-60 Black Hawk Crew Chief door gunner simulator; complete with virtual reality headset.



UH-72A Lakota helicopter navigating Idaho's mountainous terrain during a search and rescue mission.



A 91 series instructor, posing next to a training aid at the RTS-M during an Employer Support of the Guard and Reserve Boss Lift tour.

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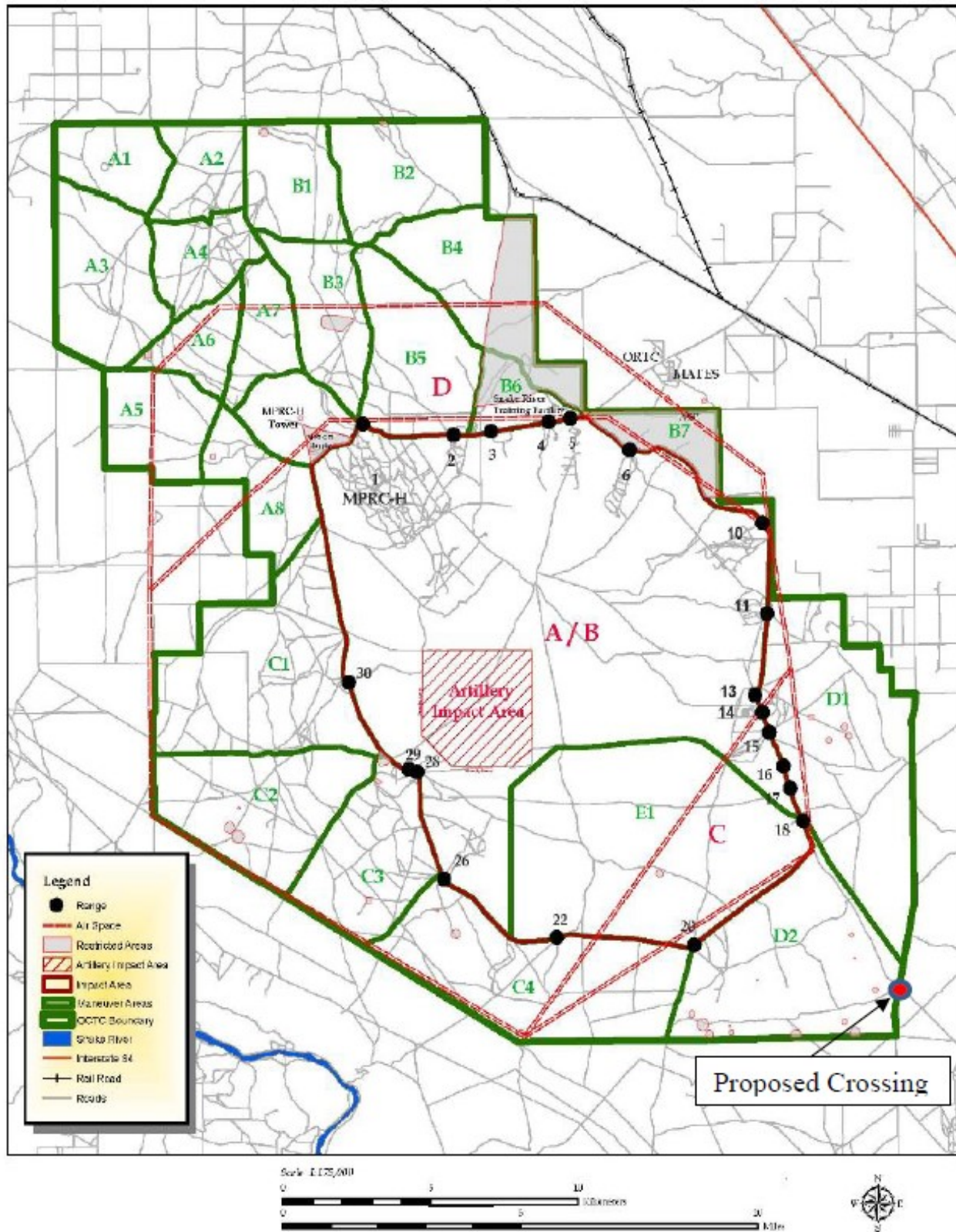
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ORCHARD COMBAT TRAINING CENTER

Orchard Combat Training Center Ranges, Facilities, and Airspace



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POC & ATRRS COURSE INFO



ARMOR TRAINING BATTALION 19D / 19K / RCTCC / SUAS

For access to the 19D, 19K, RCTCC, SUAS (RAVEN), and courses though ATRRS please search for School Code: 958

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MODULAR TRAINING BATTALION OCS / WOCS / CFD-IC / 68W / CCFSPCC

For access to the OCS, WOCS, CFD-IC, 68W Sustainment, and Pre-Command courses though ATRRS please search for School Code: 958

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REGIONAL TRAINING SITE-MAINT. IDAHO ORDNANCE TRAINING BN

For access to the 8H, H9, 91A, 91B, 91F, 91H, ALC and SLC courses though ATRRS please search for School Code: 973

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Gowen Field and Orchard Combat Training Center

For assistance reserving facilities on Gowen Field or at the OCTC please contact

Gowen Field Training Support Center
Com: 208-272-4446

Orchard Combat Training Center
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