ROYAL CANADIAN AIR CADETS

PROFICIENCY LEVEL TWO

INSTRUCTIONAL GUIDE

SECTION 6

EO C207.03 – DESCRIBE THE AFFILIATED UNIT

Total Time: 30 min

PREPARATION

PRE-LESSON INSTRUCTIONS

Resources needed for the delivery of this lesson are listed in the lesson specification located in A-CR-CCP-802/PG-001, Chapter 4. Specific uses for said resources are identified throughout the Instructional Guide within the TP for which they are required.

Review the lesson content and become familiar with the material prior to delivering the lesson.

Invite a member of the affiliated unit to participate in this lesson.

PRE-LESSON ASSIGNMENT

N/A.

APPROACH

An interactive lecture was chosen for TP1 to orient the cadets to the history of the affiliated unit and to generate interest.

An in-class activity was chosen for TP2 as it is an interactive way to provoke thought and stimulate interest in the history of the affiliated unit among cadets.

INTRODUCTION

REVIEW

N/A.

OBJECTIVES

By the end of this lesson the cadet shall be expected to describe the affiliated unit.

IMPORTANCE

It is important for cadets to describe the affiliated unit, as it will help to develop a good rapport, working relationship, and understanding between the squadron and its affiliated unit.

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Teaching point 1 **Describe the Affiliated Unit**

Time: 15 min Method: Interactive Lecture



This TP may be conducted by a member of the affiliated unit.

Describe the affiliated unit, to include:

- size;
- location;
- role within the CF;
- formation date;
- the building(s) it occupies;
- traditions;
- previous and future deployments;
- special awards/medals awarded to members;
- role in relation to the squadron; and
- other interesting facts.

CONFIRMATION OF TEACHING POINT 1

QUESTIONS

Q1. How many members are in the affiliated unit?

Q2. What was the formation date of the affiliated unit?

Q3. What awards/medals have been awarded to members of the affiliated unit?

ANTICIPATED ANSWERS

A1. Answer will vary by unit.

A2. Answer will vary by unit.

A3. Answer will vary by unit.

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Teaching point 2 **Conduct an Activity on the Affiliated Unit**

Time: 10 min Method: In-Class Activity

ACTIVITY

OBJECTIVE

The objective of this activity is to describe the affiliated unit.

RESOURCES

- Paper/construction paper/bristol board.
- Pencils/pens.
- Coloured pencils/markers.

ACTIVITY LAYOUT

N/A.

ACTIVITY INSTRUCTIONS

Have the cadets create a poster (individually or in groups) that portrays a minimum of five of the characteristics of the affiliated unit covered in TP1.

SAFETY

N/A.

CONFIRMATION OF TEACHING POINT 2

The cadets' participation in the activity will serve as the confirmation of this TP.

END OF LESSON CONFIRMATION

The cadets' participation in the activity in TP2 will serve as the confirmation of this lesson.

CONCLUSION

HOMEWORK/READING/PRACTICE

N/A.

METHOD OF EVALUATION

N/A.

CLOSING STATEMENT

The affiliated unit is a frontline connection to the CF, and may provide supplementary support to the squadron (e.g. equipment, personnel, and facilities). Having knowledge of the affiliated unit will help to develop a good rapport, working relationship, and understanding between the squadron and the affiliated unit.

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INSTRUCTOR NOTES/REMARKS

The instructor for this lesson may be a member of the squadron or the affiliated unit.

If the affiliated unit has access to promotional materials, these may be used as references and/or training/ learning aids.

Topics found in TP1 may differ for each affiliated unit. The instructor should determine interesting facts of the affiliated unit prior to the lesson.

The posters created during this lesson may be used in a display at the annual ceremonial review.

REFERENCES

N/A.

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