EO M340.02 – DISCUSS THE HISTORY OF MANNED SPACE EXPLORATION

1. **Performance.** Discuss the History of Manned Space Exploration.

2. **Conditions**

   a. Given:

      (1) Supervision, and

      (2) Assistance as required.

   b. Denied: N/A.

   c. Environmental: Classroom or training area large enough to accommodate the entire group.

3. **Standard.** The cadet shall discuss the history of manned space exploration, to include:

   a. the Mercury program,

   b. the Gemini program,

   c. the Apollo program, and

   d. the Russian manned space program.

4. **Teaching Points**

TP	Description	Method	Time	Ref
TP1	Discuss the Mercury program, to include: a. objectives of the program, and b. history of the program.	Interactive Lecture	5 min	C3-183 (pp. 22–25)
TP2	Discuss the Gemini program, to include: a. objectives of the program, and b. history of the program.	Interactive Lecture	5 min	C3-183 (p. 26, p. 27)
TP3	Discuss the Apollo program, to include: a. objectives of the program, and b. history of the program.	Interactive Lecture	5 min	C3-183 (pp. 28–31)
TP4	Discuss the Russian manned space program, to include: a. the Vostok missions, b. the Soyuz missions, and c. the Salyut and Mir space stations.	Interactive Lecture	10 min	C3-183 (p. 22, p. 23, p. 32, p. 33, p. 40, p. 41)

5. **Time**

   a. Introduction/Conclusion: 5 min

   b. Interactive Lecture: 25 min

   c. Total: 30 min

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6. **Substantiation.** An interactive lecture was chosen for this lesson to orient the cadets, generate interest, present background material, and clarify the history of manned space exploration.

7. **References.** (ISBN 978-0-75662-227-5) Graham, I. (2006). *Space Travel*. New York, NY: DK Publishing, Inc.

8. **Training Aids.** Presentation aids (eg, whiteboard/flip chart/OHP/multimedia projector) appropriate for the classroom/training area.

9. **Learning Aids.** Space race timeline handout.

10. **Test Details.** N/A.

11. **Remarks.** N/A.

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