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General Syllabus

MILS 3013 Applied Team Leadership

Credit Hours: 3

Lecture Hours: 3

Laboratory Hours: 2

Prerequisite: MILS 3003 Adaptive Team Leadership.

Effective Catalog: 2019-2020

I. Course Information

A. Catalog Description

Uses increasingly intense situational team leadership challenges to build cadet awareness and skills in leading tactical operations at the small unit level. Review aspects of full spectrum operations. Conduct military briefings and develop proficiency in the operation orders process. The focus is on exploring, evaluating, and developing skills in decision-making, persuading, and motivating team members in the contemporary operating environment.

II. Student Learning Outcomes

A. Subject Matter

Upon successful completion of this course, the student will be able to:

1. Apply situational leadership actions in leading a small unit.
2. Understand the factors that motivate soldiers.
3. Explain the rules of engagement and the Law of Land Warfare.
4. Apply the principles of time management, effective writing, and communication.
5. Apply the Operations Orders process.

B. University Learning Outcomes

This course enhances student abilities in the following areas:

Analytical Skills

Critical Thinking

Students will analyze factors that motivate soldiers.

Communication Skills (written and oral)

Students will use communication skills to inform, direct, and motivate team members to accomplish a task.

Ethical Decision Making

Students will study and apply rules of engagement and the Law of Team Leadership using ethical decision making processes.

III. Major Course Topics

- A. Law of Land Warfare & Rules of Engagement
- B. Unified Land Operations
- C. Principles of War
- D. Operations Order Process
- E. Squad Tactical Operations
- F. Platoon Tactical Operations
- G. Team Dynamics
- H. Motivating Soldiers