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Prep School Access:

- <https://twitter.com/USAFAPrepSchool>
- [www.facebook.com/AFPrepSchool](http://www.facebook.com/AFPrepSchool)
- <https://www.instagram.com/usafapreppofficial/>

We also want your Academy photos. Upload them to Instagram using #YourAcademy and #YourUSAFAPrep for the Prep School. You might see it on Facebook and Twitter. If you have any questions, please call the Public Affairs office at (719) 333-7731.

**Cadet Class Statistics (as of 31 Aug 18)**

Class Year	Men	Women	Total
2018	9	1	10
2019	754	261	1015
2020	725	292	1017
2021	817	311	1128
2022	865	292	1157
<b>WING</b>	<b>3170</b>	<b>1157</b>	<b>4327</b>

53 International Cadets are counted in the Cadet Wing Strength, but do not count in the Fiscal year Strength.

**Prep School Class Statistics (as of 31 Aug 18)**

Class year	Men	Women	Total
2018-2019	158	68	226

**ACADEMY APP AVAILABLE –**

Do you have an iTunes or Android enabled device? Get the latest Academy news, photos, videos, and more with the Academy App. Android app available on Google Play at:



<https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.u360mobile.airforceacademy>

Apple app available at the I-Tunes Store at:

<https://itunes.apple.com/us/app/united-states-air-force-academy/id427133480?mt=8>

Or use the following QR codes with your cellphone to get access to the Academy app.



iTunes



Android



(From left to right) Billy Christopoulos, Matt Koch, Evan Giesler, Matt Serratore, Dan Bailey, Evan Feno and Kyle Haak, pose for a group photo after an Air Force Hockey game. (Courtesy photo)

*By Staff Reports, Aug. 29, 2018*

**U.S. AIR FORCE ACADEMY, Colo.** — U.S. Air Force Academy Cadet 1<sup>st</sup> Class Kyle Haak was recently selected as both the Air Force Association Cadet of the Year and U.S. Air Force Cadet of the Year for 2018.

“Thank you to the family, friends, advisors, and teammates who helped me pursue my education and development,” said Haak. “I am also humbled and inspired by all of the USAFA cadets who do unique and amazing things every day that deserve the same kind of recognition.”

The USAF Cadet OTY award is open to USAFA, Reserve Officer Training Corps and Officer Training School cadets while the AFA award is specific to USAFA cadets.

Haak is currently pursuing a major in Physics with a minor in Nuclear Weapons and Strategy and is presently the number one ranked cadet out of 1,018 in overall academic performance. He has made the Dean’s Ace list every semester and has been selected to the Class of 2019 cohort of cadets being considered for the Rhodes, Marshall, Gates-Cambridge and Schwartzman scholarship process.

Aside from excelling in the classroom, Haak is also a star on the ice rink.

As an Air Force Hockey player, he is a two-time Academic All-American, having earned third-team

honors last season. This past season, he served as a team captain and helped lead the team to one of its best seasons in school history, something he hopes he and his fellow seniors can improve upon this year.

“I’m looking forward to the 2018-2019 Air Force Academy Hockey season that will be led by the seven seniors who can take this team to the greatest heights in program history,” he said.

After graduating next summer, Haak plans to continue on to pilot training where he hopes to become an Air Force fighter pilot.

### [PREP SCHOOL INFORMATION](#)

Below is the Point of Contact for questions for our Preparatory School Candidate parents.

Central Email for Prep School Questions:  
[PrepInfo@usafa.edu](mailto:PrepInfo@usafa.edu), or phone (719) 333-2583

Website: <https://www.usafa.edu/prep-school/>

FACEBOOK:  
<https://www.facebook.com/USAFAPrepSchool/>

Mail: HQ USAFA/PL  
5229 Cedar Drive, Suite 117  
USAF Academy, CO 80840-3100

**Prep School 2017-2018 Academic Calendar:**  
[https://www.usafa.edu/app/uploads/PL\\_Calendar\\_12Jul2017.pdf](https://www.usafa.edu/app/uploads/PL_Calendar_12Jul2017.pdf)

### [HELPFUL WEBSITES and POCs -](#)

**Parent Information Link:**  
<https://www.usafa.edu/parents/>

**Graduation Information Link:**  
<https://www.usafa.edu/about/traditions/graduation/>

**USAFA's Public Calendar Link:**

(Managed by the Association of Graduates)

[www.usafa.org/Calendar/Events](http://www.usafa.org/Calendar/Events)

**2016 - 2017 Cadet Academic Calendar Link:**

<https://www.usafa.edu/app/uploads/AY-2016-2017-Calendar-Approved-12-Jul-16-1.pdf>

**2017 - 2018 Cadet Academic Calendar Link:**

The Academic Calendar for 2017-2018 has been approved and you can find it at the following link:

<https://www.usafa.edu/app/uploads/AY2017-2018Calendar.pdf>

**Curriculum Handbook:**

(also outlines summer programs available for cadets in what year):

<https://www.usafa.edu/app/uploads/CHB.pdf>

**Cadet Major listing:**

<https://www.usafa.edu/academics/majors-minors/>

**Cadet Clubs:**

(just a listing of clubs and POCs, not a schedule of where they may be):

<https://www.usafa.edu/cadet-life/clubs/>

**Cadet Survival Guide:** Go to

[www.usafasupport.com](http://www.usafasupport.com) and click Arnold Hall or go to the below link:

<http://nebula.wsimg.com/0c9d0bf12f8b6a1ca725ae69871b531b?AccessKeyId=C7760A2EE485D3702028&disposition=0&alloworigin=1>

**Cadet Media:**

[www.usafasupport.com/cadet-activities/cadet-media](http://www.usafasupport.com/cadet-activities/cadet-media)

**Admissions:**

(parents can help us recruit future cadets):

[www.academyadmissions.com/](http://www.academyadmissions.com/)

**Sports Schedules:**

[www.goairforcefalcons.com/calendar/events/](http://www.goairforcefalcons.com/calendar/events/)

**Base Cadet Treats (Flower Shop):**

(719) 472-8589

[petalsnblooms.com](http://petalsnblooms.com)

**Gift Cards order phone numbers:**

Cadet Store (Base Exchange) (719) 472-1953

10 FSS: (719) 472-7930

**Hometown News Release (must have CAC card):**

<https://jhns.release.dma.mil/public>

**Life Touch photos:**

POC: Sherri Peloso <http://lifetouch.com/>

1 (800) 426-9533 extension 128 or 241

## UPCOMING DATES:

22 Sep 18	SAMI/PAI – Prep School (Service Dress)
28 Sep 18	Homecoming
29 Sep 18	SAMI #1 (Cadets)
4 – 7 Oct 18	USAFA Class Reunions '63/'68/'73
8 Oct 18	Columbus Day Holiday – No Classes
10 Oct 18	Majors Night
10 Oct 18	2021 Exemplar Dinner – Mitchell Hall – Time (6:30pm)
12 Oct 18	Commandants Challenge
25 – 28 Oct 18	USAFA Class Reunions '93/'98/'08
13 Oct 18	Commandants Cadet Training Day – No Classes
10 Nov 18	SAMI #2 (Cadets)
12 Nov 18	Veterans Day Holiday (observed) – No Classes
20 – 25 Nov 18	Cadet Thanksgiving Break Release - Last Military Duty (LMD) Return by 7pm
20 – 25 Nov 18	Prep School Thanksgiving Break Release - Release at LMD. Return by 7pm
30 Nov – 2 Dec 18	Bluebards Theater Production of Richard III (Arnold Hall Theater) Check times with Arnold Hall
8 – 9 Dec 18	Dean's Weekend
12 – 15 Dec 18	Cadet Winter Finals
13 – 14 Dec 18	Prep School Winter Finals
16 Dec 17 – 3 Jan 19	Cadet Winter Break - Return by 7pm on 3 Jan 19
15 Dec 18 – 2 Jan 19	Prep School Winter Break - Released at 11:00 am. Return by 7pm on 2 Jan 19
8 Jan 19	Ring Order, Library 3rd floor
21 Jan 19	Martin Luther King Holiday – No Classes
25 Jan 19	Prep School Exemplar Dinner (location and time TBD)
2 Feb 18	SAMI #1 (Cadets)
15 Feb 19	100s Night (Class of 2019) Mitchell Hall
18 Feb 19	Presidents Day Holiday – No Classes
20 – 22 Feb 19	National Character & Leadership Symposium (NCLS) – No Classes
7 – 9 Mar 19	2022 Recognition (Begins LMD on 7 Mar until after formal Dinner 9 Mar)
8 Mar 19	Prep School Finals
12 Mar 19	Prep School Training Day – No Classes
22 – 31 Mar 18	Cadet Spring Break - Return by 7pm on 31 Mar 19
22 – 31 Mar 19	Prep School Spring Break – Release LMD. Return by 7pm on 31 Mar 19
6 Apr 19	SAMI #2 (Cadets)
6 Apr 19	USAFA Founder's Day Parade
1 – 3 May 19	Prep School Finals
11 – 12 May 19	Cadet Dean's Weekend
13 – 17 May 19	Cadet Spring Finals
19 May 19	Prep School Baccalaureate
20 May 19	Prep School Graduation Parade/Award Ceremony
21 May 19	Prep School Graduation
27 May 19	Memorial Day Holiday – No Classes
24 May 19	Ring Dance, 5-8 pm (Class of 2020)
24 -30 May 19	2019 Graduation Week
30 May 19	2019 Graduation

1 Jun 19	1 <sup>st</sup> Summer Session Begins
22 Jun 19	1 <sup>st</sup> Session Ends/2 <sup>nd</sup> Session Begins
27 Jun 19	2023 Class In-Processes
14 Jul 19	2 <sup>nd</sup> Session Ends/3 <sup>rd</sup> Session Begins
14 Jul 19	Prep School Prior Enlisted In-Process
17 Jul 19	Prep School In- Processing (non-priors)
3 Aug 19	3 <sup>rd</sup> Session Ends/ BCT ends/Cadet Wing Returns by 7pm
6 Aug 19	Prep School Classes Begin
9 Aug 19	Cadet Classes Begin

**Parent Liaison Contact Info:**

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