BLC PACKING LIST

This section of the website contains the packing/TA-50 list for the course. When preparing your equipment and uniforms for BLC, ensure that you read and comply with notes starting on page 24 of this Student Guide. NOTE: The summer packing list is from 1 May through 30 September. The winter packing list is from 1 October through the 30th of Apr. The appropriate seasonal packing list will be determined by the start date of the class.

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TA-50/ and Combat Equipment

Description	Required Winter **(1 OCT – 30 APR)**	Required Summer **(1 MAY – 30 SEP)**	On Hand
INDIVIDUAL ASSIGNED WEAPON WITH SLING (Rifle,M16A2 or M4 only-STRIPPED (no optics, etc)) *(SEE NOTE 7)*	1	1	
MAGAZINES	7	7	
NIGHT VISION GOGGLES WITH ALL APPROPRIATE BII *(SEE NOTE 7)*	1	1	
APPROPRIATE BLANK FIRING ADAPTER (BFA) FOR M16A2/M4 (Red for M16 and Yellow for M4)	1	1	
WEAPONS CLEANING KIT COMPLETE	1	1	
ASSAULT PACK	1	1	
LENSATIC COMPASS (Army issue, no GPS styles) NSN: 6605-01-196-6971	1	1	
HELMET (ACH) COMPLETE: The ACH will be complete with ACU cover, 7 pad suspension system, retention system (chinstrap), camouflage band, and NVG mount. Soldier's last name in block letters centered on the front of the camouflage band (may be offset with the NVG mount). Soldiers will not be required to have rank attached to camouflage cover beneath the NVG mount. [NO CAMO net or other unit specific extra items will be attached to ACH.]	1	1	
IOTV / IBA w/o SAPI: The following components must be included: IOTV (yoke/collar front and back assembly) IBA (neck protector, yoke and collar outer shell, groin protector)	1	1	
MOLLE COMPLETE (rucksack, external frame, shoulder strap assembly, kidney pad, 2x sustainment pouches)	1	1	
FLC (Must have MOLLE Small Arms Cases, enough to carry 6 magazines)	1	1	
IFAK COMPLETE (IFAK case, Insert with folding panels and cord attached, Two pair of latex gloves, Adhesive Tape Surgical 2" 6's Roll, Bandage Gauze 4-1/2", Bandage Kit, Elastic, Tourniquet)	1	1	
HYDRATION SYSTEM (CAMEL BACK)/ CIF-RFI ISSUE	1	1	
ELBOW PADS (CIF ISSUE)	1 PAIR	1 PAIR	
KNEE PADS (CIF ISSUE)	1 PAIR	1 PAIR	
EAR PLUGS WITH CASE	1	1	
FLASH LIGHT OR HEAD LAMP WITH BATTERIES AND RED LENS	1	1	
PONCHO	1	1	
PONCHO LINER	1	1	
WET WEATHER PARKA	1	1	
WET WEATHER TROUSERS	1	1	
SLEEP SYSTEM, COMPLETE to include :(Foliage Patrol Bag, Urban Intermediate Bag, Waterproof Bivy Cover, Foliage - Small Stuff Sack, Foliage Large Stuff Sack)	1	1	
WATERPROOF BAG	2	2	

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EYE PROTECTION (**AUTHORIZED PROTECTIVE EYEWEAR LIST APPROVED ONLY) (http://www.peosoldier.army.mil) w/CLEAR and SHADED Lenses (with Inserts if applicable for eyeglass wearers)**	1	1	
MICRO FLEECE CAP (with or without/ 10TH MTN DIV logo)	1	0	
GEN 3 ECWCS SOFT SHELL JACKET or GORTEX PARKA WITH RANK AND NAMETAPE	1	0	
GEN 3 ECWCS SOFT SHELL or GORTEX TROUSERS	1	0	
LIGHT-WEIGHT COLD WEATHER UNDERSHIRT AND DRAWERS (Silk)	1	0	
GEN 3 MID WEIGHT COLD WEATHER OR POLY PRO TOP AND BOTTOM	1	0	
BALACLAVA	1	0	
ECW COLD WEATHER BOOTS w/Inserts	1 PAIR	0	
ECW MITTENS (Bear Paws)	1 PAIR	0	
NECK GAITER (BROWN ISSUE ONLY)	1	0	
GLOVES, BLACK GORTEX OR CIF ISSUED EQUIVALENT (RFI issued Intermediate Cold Flyers Glove may be substituted)	1 PAIR	0	
SNOWSHOES (Unit Issued)	1 PAIR	0	

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Clothing Bag Issue and Required Equipment

FOR MALE AND FEMALE

Item	Required	On Hand
STANDARDS, Fort Drum Pamphlet 600-5, dated 20 April 2015: (Commonly referred to as the Fort Drum Blue Book).	1	
ID CARD	1	
ID TAGS w/ both short and long chain, (and allergy tags if applicable)	1 SET	
BOOTS,TAN or Coyote Brown Summer *(SEE NOTE 4)*	1 PAIR	
BOOTS, TAN or Coyote Brown Intermediate *(SEE NOTE 4)*	1 PAIR	
BELT, TAN or SAND (RIGGER OR RFI ISSUED) *(SEE NOTE 4)*	1	
AUTHORIZED PATROL CAP *(SEE NOTE 4)* WITH NAMETAPE AND RANK	1	
AUTHORIZED JACKET TOP *(SEE NOTE 3 & 4)*	4	
AUTHORIZED TROUSERS *(SEE NOTE 4)*	4	
UNDERSHIRT, TAN or SAND (*SEE NOTE 4*)	5	
SOCKS, CUSHION SOLE (GREEN OR TAN) *(SEE NOTE 4)*	5 PAIR	
GLOVES, BLACK LEATHER 2 PAIRS OF INSERTS *or CIF ISSUED GLOVES OF SIMILAR DESIGN*	1 PAIR w/ 2 PAIR INSERTS	
IPFU/APFU JACKET	1	
IPFU/APFU TROUSERS	1	
IPFU/APFU SHORTS	2	
IPFU/APFU SHORT SLEEVE SHIRT	2	
IPFU/APFU LONG SLEEVE SHIRT	1	
RUNNING SHOES (SERVICEABLE)	1 PAIR	
SOCKS, WHITE (Solid, no markings ,and above the ankle)	6 PAIR	
TOWEL, BROWN BATH	2	
SHOWER SHOES	1 PAIR	
WASHCLOTHS, BROWN	2	
EYEGLASSES WITH CASE (only if worn)	2 PAIR	
POCKET NOTEBOOK	2	

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PENS	2 EACH	
PENCILS	2 EACH	
FOOT POWDER, ANTIFUNGAL	1	
SUN SCREEN with RATING OF SPF #15 OR ABOVE	1 BOTTLE	
CLOTHES HANGARS, not mismatched	10	
WRIST WATCH	1	
550 CORD	20 FEET	
NOTEBOOK	1	
PADLOCK (KEY OR COMBINATION)	2	
BARRACKS BAG (LAUNDRY BAG)	1	
DUFFLE BAG	2	
BUTCHER BLOCK PAPER (utilized for individual class)	2 SHEETS	
PROTRACTORS; 1:50,000 SCALE (GTA 05-02-012)	2	
PERSONAL HYGIENE ITEMS(Must include the following items: Toothpaste, Toothbrush, Soap, Shaving Cream, Razors (or Electric Razor), and Deodorant	Enough to last 3 weeks	
WHISTLE, BALL	1	
SUPER FINE POINT COLORED MAP MARKERS (permanent only) WITH ERASER MAKER	1 SET	

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Dress Uniform Components for Females Only ***SEE NOTE 1 BELOW***

Item	Required	On Hand
BERET WITH FLASH AND UNIT CREST	1	
NECKTAB, UNIVERSAL	1	
SOCKS, BLACK OR STOCKINGS, SHEER	1 PAIR	
SHOES, BLACK	1 PAIR	
ASU SLACKS, LIGHT BLUE	1	
ASU COAT, DARK BLUE, (properly fitted, clean, and presentable) WITH AWARDS AND DECORATIONS COMPLETE (awards and decorations worn must match ERB.)	1	
COAT, BLACK ALL WEATHER (With solid gold rank affixed)	1	
SHIRT, WHITE, SHORT-SLEEVED	1	
SHIRT, WHITE, LONG-SLEEVED	1	
SHOULDER BOARDS (CPL, SGT, SSG)	1 SET	
BRASS RANK (Junior Enlisted) for Dress Shirt	1 SET	
BELT, BLACK WEB WITH BRASS TIP AND SOLID BRASS BUCKLE	1	

Dress Uniform Components for Males Only ***SEE NOTE 1 BELOW***

Item	Required	On Hand
BERET WITH FLASH AND UNIT CREST	1	
NECKTIE, BLACK	1	
UNDERSHIRT, WHITE	1	
SOCKS, DRESS BLACK, NYLON	1 PAIR	
SHOES, OXFORD, BLACK	1 PAIR	
ASU TROUSERS, LIGHT BLUE	1	
ASU COAT, DARK BLUE (properly fitted, clean, and presentable) WITH AWARDS AND DECORATIONS COMPLETE (awards and decorations worn must match ERB.)	1	

COAT, BLACK ALL WEATHER (With solid gold rank affixed)	1	
SHIRT, WHITE, SHORT-SLEEVED	1	
SHIRT, WHITE, LONG-SLEEVED	1	
SHOULDER BOARDS (CPL, SGT, SSG) for Dress Shirt	1 SET	
BRASS RANK (Junior Enlisted) for Dress Shirt	1 SET	
BELT BLACK WEB WITH BRASS TIP AND SOLID BRASS BUCKLE	1	

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NOTES:

1. ASU's Uniform must include 2 x name plates, Branch Insignia, all authorized ribbons and decorations, 2 x Unit Crests, Special Skill Badges (if authorized), and Combat Leader Tabs (if authorized). All items for Infantry personnel are authorized as well as Foreign Badges and Unit Awards. Marksmanship and Driver Badges are also authorized. Soldiers will arrive to BLC with their Dress Uniform properly fitted, clean, presentable, with all awards, decorations, badges, and name plates affixed.

2. All ASU's items that are normally worn are authorized while attending the BLC with the exception of Jump Boots and Cavalry items. This is for uniformity purposes at the BLC graduation. No Stetsons or spurs will be worn while attending the Basic Leader Course.

3. ACU/OCP Velcro unit patches, rank, nametapes and U.S. ARMY tapes are required for two set of uniforms; pin-on special or sew-on skill subdued badges are authorized IAW AR 670-1. The Velcro, colored US Flag is the only authorized US Flag. No IR Flags are authorized for wear at this course. Name tape, US ARMY, rank, and special skills badges MAY be sewn on uniforms.

4. Beginning 01 July 2015, Soldiers will be authorized to wear the Army Combat Uniform (ACU) based on the Operational Camouflage Pattern. The various combinations of uniform items and ACU patterns Soldiers will be authorized to wear after 1 July 2015 until the full transition is complete on 1 October 2019. During the transition period, Soldiers will be authorized to wear uniforms based on three camouflage patterns. In that period, Soldiers will be authorized to wear uniforms based on three camouflage patterns: (1) Operational Camouflage Pattern (2) Operation Enduring Freedom Camouflage Pattern and (3) Universal Camouflage. After 30 September 2019, only ACUs (with new accessories) in the Operational Camouflage Pattern will be worn.

5. All uniforms and uniform components brought for wear and layout purposes must be ***clean and serviceable.*** At no time will Soldiers bring uniforms or uniform components that are faded, have holes, rips, tears, stains, and are dirty or missing pieces of the component. Soldiers bringing unserviceable items to the packing list layout will not receive credit for the unserviceable item and will fall into the missing item category.

6. The following is a list of items that are recommended while attending the Basic Leader Course; they are NOT mandatory:

- Surefire Flashlights

- Aviator Gloves or RFI issued equivalent
- Extra MOLLE small arms attachments (for pens, flashlights, etc)
- Baby Wipes and additional personal hygiene items for the field
- Insect Repellant (summer months)
- Chap Stick
- Undergarments
- One additional ACU Velcro Nametape (for computer workstation)
- Laundry detergent

NOTE: Personal GPS technology of any kind is unauthorized at the Basic Leader Course.

7. Soldiers will bring their M-16 or M-4 Rifle and NVGs on Zero Day, transported by the unit in a government vehicle. **Weapons will be stripped of any optics, etc, and those items will be left in the unit Arms Room**. Students will Fall In to formation with weapon slung at the low-ready. Units will pick up their Soldier's weapon and NVGs at a time TBD and briefed.