

ABOUT THE JOINT LOGISTICS COURSE

The Joint Logistics Course (JLC) is a Joint Staff J-4 sponsored, operational-level course designed to prepare military and civilian logisticians to excel in a Joint, Inter-agency, Intergovernmental, and Multinational (JIIM) environment. The curriculum focuses on the comprehensive planning, execution, and control of joint logistics across the full spectrum of competition. Students delve into the intricacies of the Joint Logistics Enterprise (JLEnt) and the Joint Planning Process (JPP). The course integrates component-level functional skills with the broader study of joint strategy, doctrine, and theory. Key learning include diving into the joint logistics functions, understanding joint command relationships, logistics authorities, and the effective use of cross-functional organizations and events to synchronize operations and analyzing the operational environment using frameworks like Political, Military, Economic, Social, Information, and Infrastructure (PMESII) and developing critical logistics documents such as the Theater Logistics Overview (TLO) and Concept of Logistics Support (COLS). The course culminates in a CAPSTONE mission analysis exercise to a General Officer, Flag Officer, or Senior Executive Service member, reinforcing the skills acquired. The course is further enriched by engagement with 13 guest lecturers from various combatant commands, joint staff, and agencies, delivered through both in-person sessions and Microsoft Teams webinars. **Students spend an average of three hours of self study outside of class, daily, and team collaboration for group projects.**

The course is offered in two formats:
RESIDENT: two (2) week class hosted at Army Sustainment University, Fort Lee, Virginia
VIRTUAL: two (2) week hosted on Microsoft Teams, 0800-1600 EST/EDT Monday-Friday

For applicable members, this course awards:
 - 1.5 Joint Qualified Officer credits
 - Three American Council of Education (ACE) credits
 - Elective credits for Purdue University - Master of Science in Strategy in Security & Defense Technologies

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FY 26 Schedule

Class	Start Date	End Date	Location
26-001	14 Oct	23 Oct	Virtual
26-002	1 Dec	12 Dec	Virtual
26-003	26 Jan	6 Feb	Virtual
26-004	23 Feb	6 Mar	Virtual
26-005	6 Apr	17 Apr	Ft Lee, VA
26-006	4 May	15 May	Ft Lee, VA
26-007	1 Jun	12 Jun	Virtual
26-008	20 Jul	31 Jul	Ft Lee, VA
26-009	17 Aug	28 Aug	Ft Lee, VA
26-010	14 Sep	25 Sep	Ft Lee, VA

FY 27 Schedule

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27-001	5 Oct	16 Oct	Virtual
27-002	30 Nov	11 Dec	Virtual
27-003	4 Jan	15 Jan	Virtual
27-004	1 Feb	12 Feb	Ft Lee, VA
27-005	1 Mar	12 Mar	Ft Lee, VA
27-006	12 Apr	23 Apr	Ft Lee, VA
27-007	7 Jun	18 Jun	Ft Lee, VA
27-008	12 Jul	23 Jul	Ft Lee, VA
27-009	23 Aug	3 Sep	Virtual



JOINT LOGISTICS COURSE

Army Sustainment University

2401 Quarters Rd

Fort Lee, Virginia 23801



JLC Organization Email:

usarmy.lee.tradoc.mbx.joint-logistics-course@army.mil

CURRICULUM

- ◇ Foundational: Introduction to the Joint Logistics Enterprise, Joint Staff J4 Roles and Functions, Joint Command Relationships, Joint Logistics Planning, Multinational Logistics, Boards, Cells, Centers, Working Groups (BC2WG), and Service Capabilities
- ◇ Joint Logistics Functional Entities: Operational Contract Support, Engineering, Joint Health Services, and Defense Logistics Agency
- ◇ Command briefs: U.S. Special Operations Command, U.S. Transportation Command, U.S. Cyber Command, U.S. Strategic Command, U.S. Space Command, U.S. Northern Command, and U.S. Army Transformation & Training Command
- ◇ Other briefs: Global Force Management and Digital Tools learning and application in Advanced Analytics (ADVANA), Maven Smart System (MSS), and Generative Artificial Intelligence (GenAI)
- ◇ Article readings and current events
- ◇ One-page individual Theater Logistics Overview paper
- ◇ Three group presentations includes CAPSTONE brief to a GO/FO/SES

HOW DO I REGISTER?

ALL students must register in JEMIS and ATRRS

JEMIS Link: https://secure.jten.mil/jemis_new/

ATRRS POCs:

USA: Through unit ATRRS representative

School code: **SC 907**

Army Course code: **8A-F54/552-F6 (VLC)**

USN: damon.deloach.civ@us.navy.mil

USMC: mcloglepsectionusers@usmc.mil

USCG: matthew.r.colmer@uscg.mil

USSF: keith.doering@spaceforce.mil

DLA: donna.s.johnson@dla.mil; brenda.evans-greer@dla.mil

USAF: Ask your unit training manager for your command TRQI contact to register using USAF course code: **L5OZA25L3 01AA**

International students: Through the Security Cooperation Office at the U.S. Embassy in your country.

WHO CAN ATTEND?

Logisticians as defined by joint doctrine (JP-4.0) include disciplines of:

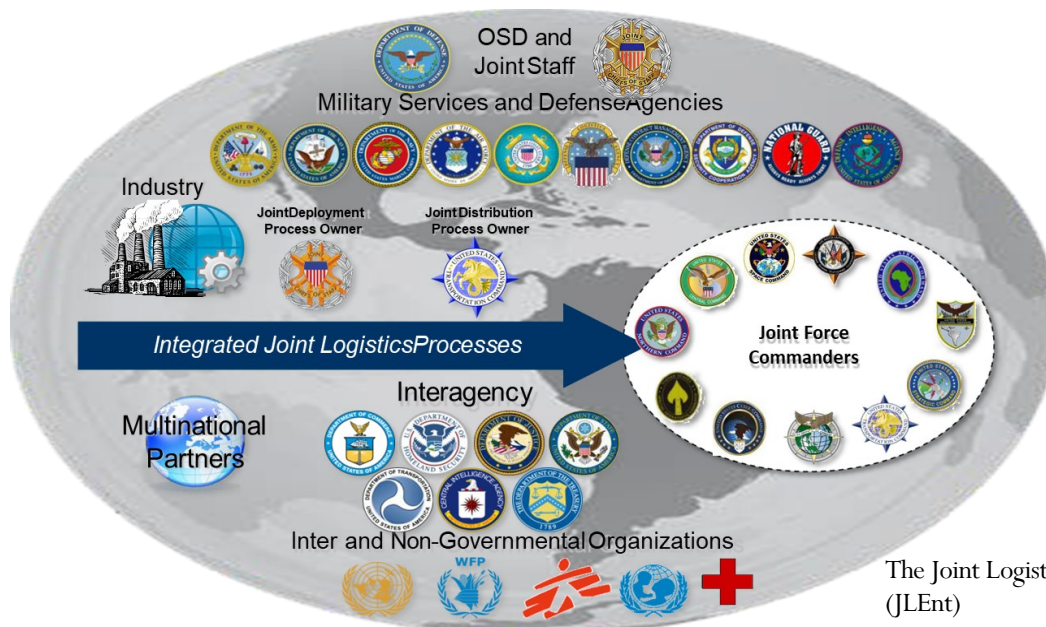
- ◇ **Logistics Services**
- ◇ **Deployment & Distribution**
- ◇ **Maintenance**
- ◇ **Engineering**
- ◇ **Medical/Health Services**
- ◇ **Operational Contract Support**
- ◇ **Supply**

Target audience: **currently assigned to or en-route to a joint staff assignment** (e.g., Joint, Combatant Command, JTF, DLA, etc.)

- ◇ **O-3 to O-7**
- ◇ **W-2 to W-5**
- ◇ **E-7 to E-9**
- ◇ **GS-11 and above**
- ◇ Lower grades assigned to a joint position may request a rank waiver via memorandum from the first O-6 in their chain of command

Waiver template and brochure available on JEMIS Link: https://secure.jten.mil/jemis_new/

Select: [Click Here for Joint Logistics & Joint Logistics Planners Courses](#)



The Joint Logistics Enterprise (JLEnt)

TDY COSTS ARE UNIT FUNDED

ABOUT THE JOINT LOGISTICS PLANNERS COURSE

The Joint Logistics Planners Course (JLPC) is a Joint Staff J4 sponsored course, held at the Army Sustainment University, focused on preparing military and civilians to plan, execute, and control operational-level joint logistics in assignments involving operational and strategic-level joint logistics planning, interservice, multinational logistics support, and joint logistics in a theater of operations. To accomplish this, the JLPC focuses on planning and operates in a contingency and crisis environment. Students will leverage Whole-of-Government (WOG) and the Joint Strategic Planning System (JSPS). Notable additional areas of coverage include risk (to mission and to force), the defense industrial base, joint planning, operations, and development of logistics related documents such as annexes and appendices.

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Mobile Training Team (by special request only): two (2) week class hosted at requestor's location.

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27-005	26-Jul	07-Aug	Fort Lee, VA
27-006	07-Sep	17-Sep	Fort Lee, VA



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- ◇ Command briefs: U.S. Special Operations Command, U.S. Transportation Command, U.S. Cyber Command, U.S. Strategic Command, U.S. Space Command, U.S. Space Systems Command, and Army Futures Command
- ◇ Case Studies: Risk analysis and OIF/OEF retro-grade
- ◇ Digital logistics planning tools: ADVANA suite of applications, Maven Smart System, BIZINT, IBEX
- ◇ Chairman's Special Areas of Emphasis (SAE)



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Target audience: **en-route to an assignment to a joint logistics staff or participating in joint planning** (e.g., Joint, Combatant Command, JTF, DLA, etc.)

- ◇ **O-4 and above**
- ◇ **W-3 and above**
- ◇ **E-8 and above**
- ◇ **GS-12 and above**
- ◇ **Contractors:** Based on unit requirements

All students must be a Joint Logistics Course graduate (waiverable with approval from the JLPC faculty). Officers must be JPME I complete. Students should have a strong working knowledge of the Joint Logistics Enterprise with particular focus on planning and operations. Students should be assigned to, or have orders to be assigned to, a joint assignment or possess significant exposure to joint operations.

Waiver Template and brochure available on JEMIS

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Combined FY26 & FY27 JLC & JLPC dates



JLC Resident



JLC Virtual



JLPC Resident

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May 2027						
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BUILDING THE FOUNDATION OF JOINT LOGISTICS EXPERTISE

THE JPME CONTINUUM



WHO ATTENDS

Students from Each
Military Service



U.S. ARMY



U.S. NAVY



U.S.
AIR FORCE



U.S.
MARINE
CORPS



U.S.
SPACE FORCE



U.S.
COAST GUARD



The JLC provides joint logisticians with the foundational knowledge, skills, and tools to operate in a joint environment and support joint operations across the range of military operations.

COURSE FOCUS AREAS



JOINT LOGISTICS ENTERPRISE

Understand the joint logistics enterprise and the role of logistics in joint operations.



GLOBAL VISIBILITY & PROJECTION

Understand global logistics networks, visibility, and the movement of sustainment.



LOGISTICS SOLUTIONS

Explore DLA capabilities and other solutions that support the force.



RISK AWARENESS

Identify, assess, and mitigate logistics risks across the operational environment.



AUTHORITIES

Understand logistics authorities and how they enable commanders.



LOGISTICS SYSTEMS

Understand the Joint Logistics System and key enablers.



STRATEGIC FOUNDATIONS

Examine strategic documents, policy, guidance, and doctrine that shape logistics.



PLANNING FUNDAMENTALS

Introduce the joint planning process and logistics planning considerations.



LEARNING APPROACH



JOINT ENVIRONMENT AWARENESS



COLLABORATIVE LEARNING



PROBLEM-BASED EXERCISES



GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE



MISSION FOCUSED

STUDENTS LEAVE JLC ABLE TO:

- ✓ Understand the joint logistics enterprise and key enablers.
- ✓ Identify logistics risks and authorities that impact operations.
- ✓ Contribute to joint planning and logistics synchronization.
- ✓ Communicate effectively within a joint environment.



BUILDING THE FOUNDATION FOR SUCCESS IN THE JLPC AND BEYOND

ENTER
THE PIPELINE



JOINT LOGISTICS COURSE
(JLC)



NEXT STEP:
JOINT LOGISTICS PLANNERS
COURSE (JLPC)



EXIT THE PIPELINE AS A
JOINT LOGISTICIAN



JOINT LOGISTICS PLANNERS COURSE (JLPC)

DEVELOP • SYNCHRONIZE • ADAPT • EXECUTE
EXECUTED AT THE CLASSIFIED LEVEL

COURSE SNAPSHOT



DURATION
2 WEEKS



CLASSIFICATION
EXECUTED AT THE
CLASSIFIED LEVEL



AUDIENCE
JOINT LOGISTICIANS
(O, W, AND ENLISTED)



COURSE DESIGN
90% HANDS-ON WITH
THE JOINT PLANNING
PROCESS



CLASS SIZE
SMALL, COLLABORATIVE,
MISSION-FOCUSED



THE JLPC DEVELOPS JOINT LOGISTICS PLANNERS WHO CAN
DEVELOP AND SYNCHRONIZE ADAPTABLE AND SURVIVABLE
LOGISTICS PLANS THAT **ENABLE MANEUVER AND ACHIEVE
JOINT OPERATIONAL OBJECTIVES.**

WHAT YOU WILL DO



INTEGRATE

Integrate logistics
across the joint
operational
environment.



DEVELOP

Develop and
synchronize
comprehensive
logistics plans.



ANALYZE

Analyze logistics
risk, constraints,
and assumptions
to inform decisions.



COORDINATE

Coordinate with
joint, interagency,
and multinational
partners.



ADAPT

Adapt plans in
response to a
dynamic and
contested environment.

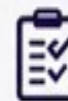


YOU WILL LEAVE JLPC READY DAY ONE

Graduates are prepared to immediately contribute
as a logistics planner on any joint staff.



**MAKE AN IMMEDIATE IMPACT
ON A CCMD/JTF STAFF**



**DEVELOP AND SYNCHRONIZE
ADAPTABLE AND SURVIVABLE
LOGISTICS PLANS**



**COMMUNICATE LOGISTICS RISK AND
AUTHORITIES THAT ENABLE THE
MANEUVER PLAN**

90% HANDS-ON WITH THE JOINT PLANNING PROCESS



PLANNING INITIATION

Understand the
operational
environment and
commander's intent.



MISSION ANALYSIS

Identify requirements,
assess capabilities,
and determine
logistics gaps.



COURSE OF ACTION DEVELOPMENT

Develop feasible
courses of action and
the logistics concept
of support.



COA ANALYSIS AND WARGAMING

Analyze each COA
through wargaming
to assess risk and
feasibility.



COA COMPARISON

Compare COAs to
recommend the
best-supported
approach.



COA APPROVAL

Gain decision
on the preferred
course of action.



ORDER DEVELOPMENT

Develop the logistics
annex and supporting
estimates and
synchronization.

FOUNDATION OF A JOINT LOGISTICS PLANNER



**JOINT LOGISTICS
ENTERPRISE
AWARENESS**



**AUTHORITIES &
DECISION-MAKING
UNDERSTANDING**



**LOGISTICS RISK
MANAGEMENT**



**STRATEGIC
DOCUMENTS**



**COMMUNICATION &
STAKEHOLDER
ENGAGEMENT**



**BUILDING STRATEGIC
PLANS THAT ENABLE
MANEUVER**

JOINT LOGISTICS EDUCATION MODEL

Developing Today's Students into Tomorrow's Joint Logisticians

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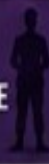
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ONE TEAM. ONE FIGHT.
SUSTAINING VICTORY.

ARMY SUSTAINMENT UNIVERSITY

JPME LEARNING CONTINUUM

JPME 1
FOUNDATIONAL
JOINT WARFIGHTING

JPME 2
INTERMEDIATE
JOINT STAFF

CAPSTONE
ADVANCED
JOINT & COMBINED
WARFIGHTING

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JOINT LOGISTICS PLANNERS
COURSE (JLPC)



EXPOSED TO – BUILDING JOINT LOGISTICS EXPERTISE



JLEnt
Joint Logistics
Enterprise



USTRANSCOM
Global Visibility
& Projection



DLA
Logistics
Solutions



RISK
Identify, Assess,
& Mitigate



AUTHORITIES
Know & Apply
Authorities



UCP
Understand the
Logistics System



STRATEGIC
DOCUMENTS
Policy, Guidance,
& Doctrine



BUILD
STRATEGIC
PLANS
Plan, Integrate,
& Synchronize

← COLLABORATE • INTEGRATE • SYNCHRONIZE • ANTICIPATE • ADAPT →

FOUNDATION OF JOINT COMPETENCE



JOINT
MINDSET



TRUST &
TEAMWORK



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