# 香港航空青年團

#### HONG KONG AIR CADET CORPS

#### AVIATION EDUCATION WING

#### **MEMO**

From : OC AE Wg To : All OC Units

Ref : (1) in AE/CCR Cc : All Major OC Units

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#### **Amended Cadet Classification Requirements on Aviation Education**

The current cadet classification system requires cadets to, among other requirements, successfully complete certain aviation education (AE) training. The Aviation Education Wing has been tasked to review the cadet classification requirements on AE. Subsequent to the review, this memo serves to announce the amended cadet classification requirements on AE ("the amended requirements").

- 2. Major amendments will be made to the Senior and Staff Cadet Classifications. At current, AAEP subjects are the only path to fulfill the requirements on AE for these two Classifications. An AE credit system will be established to introduce alternative means to fulfill such requirements. A summary of changes is available in Appendix I. Meanwhile, the AE credit system is available in Appendix II.
- 3. The amended requirements will come into effect on <u>1 February 2017</u>. Qualifications obtained before this date will be recognized under the amended requirements.
- 4. No change to the format of the Cadet Training Records Book will be required.
- 5. For enquiries, please feel free to contact the undersigned by email (hkacc.aewing@gmail.com).

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# Appendix I – Summary of Changes to the Cadet Classification Requirements on Aviation Education (AE)

Remarks: This summary only lists those requirements on AE. Members should refer to relevant HQ documents and/or Cadet Training Records Book for the requirements on other areas.

Classification	<b>Current Requirements on AE</b>	Amended Requirements on AE*
First Class Cadet Badge	Received training on Airmanship and	Remains unchanged
	Aviation History	
Leading Cadet Badge	Received training on Aircraft	Remains unchanged
	Recognition, Principle of Flight and	
	Civil Aviation in Hong Kong	
Senior Cadet Badge	4 Advanced Aviation Education	Obtained 4 credits from the AE
	Programme (AAEP) subjects	credit system
Staff Cadet Lanyard	4 Advanced Aviation Education	Obtained 4 credits from the AE
	Programme (AAEP) subjects	credit system, in addition to the 4
		credits already obtained for the
		award of Senior Cadet Badge

<sup>\*</sup>effective on 1 February 2017

Details of the AE credit system are available in Appendix II of this memo.

#### Appendix II – Aviation Education Credit System

#### Introduction

The Aviation Education (AE) Credit System serves to determine the requirements on AE that are applicable to the Senior and Staff Cadet Classifications.

#### Credit System

- (1) Qualification Category A
- Maximum credit to be received under Category A: 8

Qualification	<b>Number of Credit(s)</b>
AAEP and AAEP(H) (Note 1)	1 credit for each subject passed
Pilot Badge	8 credits
Passing all theory examinations required for Private Pilot Licence	8 credits
or a higher qualification in Hong Kong or an ICAO member state	
(Note 2)	
Qualified Aviation Instructor	4 credits
Successful completion of Cathay Dragon Aviation Certificate	2 credits
Programme (CDACP), or its predecessor	

#### (2) Qualification Category B

- Maximum credit to be received under Category B: 4

Qualification	<b>Number of Credit(s)</b>
Aircrew Badge obtained for solo flight on a powered aircraft	4 credits
(Note 2)	
Glider Pilot Badge	4 credits
Advanced Glider Aviator Badge (Note 3)	3 credits
Glider Aviator Badge (Note 3)	2 credits

#### Notes

- 1. Subjects of AAEP and AAEP(H) are (1) Aerodynamics, (2) Aircraft General Knowledge, (3) Operation, Performance & Planning, (4) Flight Rules & Air Laws, (5) Navigation, (6) Meteorology, (7) Radio Communications, and (8) Human Performance & Limitation. One credit could only be obtained from each of the above subjects, regardless of whether the pass result was obtained from AAEP, AAEP(H) or both.
- 2. Evidence of the qualification shall be submitted to OC AE Wg for vetting.
- 3. If the cadet applied for the glider aviator / advanced glider aviator badge via non-HKACC

glider operations, the equivalence is subject to the recommendation from OC G Flt and approval from OC AE Wg. To ascertain the knowledge level of the cadet, assessment / interview may be required. Once the badge application is approved, the cadet will be eligible for the corresponding number of credits.

# **Examples**

## Cadet A has the following AE exposure:

Passes in AAEP subjects:	4 credits
ADY, AGK, PERF and LAW	
Successful completion of CDACP	2 credits
Glider Aviator Badge	2 credits
Total	8 credits

# Cadet B has the following AE exposure:

Passes in AAEP subjects:	2 credits
PERF and LAW	
Passes in AAEP(H) subjects:	3 credits
LAW, NAV, MET and RDO	(LAW has been taken into account above.)
Advanced Glider Aviator Badge	3 credits
Total	8 credits

## Cadet C has the following AE exposure:

Successful completion of CDACP	2 credits
Aircrew Badge obtained for solo flight on	4 credits
a powered aircraft	
Glider Aviator Badge	2 credits
Total	6 credits
	(Only 4 credits can be accumulated from
	Qualification Category B)