

Parachutist **SQIP**

The purpose of the Basic Airborne Course (BAC) is to qualify the volunteers in the use of the parachute as a means of combat deployment and to develop leadership, self-confidence, and an aggressive spirit through mental and physical conditioning. The BAC is conducted IAW the authority contained in AR 600-8-22, Military Awards. Volunteers selected for training must meet the requirements specified in DA PAM 351-4, The Defense Institute of Security Assistance Management. Airborne Soldiers have a long and distinguished tradition of being an elite body of fighting men and women—people who have always set the example for determination and courage. When you volunteer for this training, you accept the challenge of continuing this tradition. The Airborne Soldiers of the past set high standards—it is now up to you to maintain them!

The Parachutist identifier (P) identifies positions that require an assignment of qualified parachutists. Must meet physical requirements for Airborne in AR 40-501; must be capable of completing a five mile run within 44-45 minutes prior to start of Airborne training; must successfully complete the Basic Airborne training and assignment as outlined in AR 614-200, chapter 6.

<https://www.benning.army.mil/infantry/199th/airborne/>

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