



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
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MEMORANDUM FOR 108th Air Defense Artillery Brigade Incoming Soldiers

SUBJECT: 108th Air Defense Artillery Brigade Welcome Letter

1. On behalf of the 108th Air Defense Artillery Brigade, we welcome you to our formations. We are a geographically disbursed Brigade with units at Fort Campbell, Kentucky, Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Maryland and Fort Bragg, North Carolina. The unit is the premier Air Defense Artillery Brigade in the United States Army. Our mission is to rapidly deploy anywhere in the world and conduct Air and Missile Defense Operations in support of the 32d Army Air Missile Defense Command. This critical task puts us on the cutting edge of both training and technological advances including the Patriot PAC-III Weapon System. **We are confident that you'll find your tour of duty here both challenging and rewarding for personal and professional fulfillment.**
2. Fort Bragg, Campbell, Aberdeen Proving Grounds, and the surrounding communities are committed to providing excellent services and the best quality of life for Soldiers and their Families. We are fortunate to offer virtually every service and recreational opportunity you or your Family may require. It is important for you and your Family to become familiar with the surrounding communities early in your tour. We encourage you to visit the installation web pages for information at <http://www.bragg.army.mil> /<http://www.campbell.army.mil> / <https://www.apg.army.mil/>
3. A letter from your sponsor will arrive shortly. Keep in touch and let your sponsor know what we can do to make your transition easier to the Brigade. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact our Brigade S1 at DSN 337-5708, commercial 910-908-5708, or email CPT Hamm, S1 OIC at [bennetta.l.hamm.mil@mail.mil](mailto:bennetta.l.hamm.mil@mail.mil) or SFC Bost, S1 NCOIC, at 910-908-5706 or [lori.j.bost.mil@mail.mil](mailto:lori.j.bost.mil@mail.mil).
4. You will find that our standards are high and our training is tough. The unit has a proud and rich history of excellence in combat and peacetime, and we expect you to help us maintain the Brigade's reputation throughout your assignment. We are proud of our post and what we do; welcome to the Spartan Team...we look forward to serving with you and your Family.

*"Deeds Above Words!"*

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Brigade Command Sergeant Major

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