Fort Leonard Wood is a thriving and prosperous installation which evolved from a small WWII training site more than 70 years ago to a premier Army Center of Excellence, training more than 80,000 military and civilians each year in active component courses.

Fort Leonard Wood is home to three U.S. Army schools: the U.S. Army Engineer; Chemical, Biological, Radiological, and Nuclear (CBRN); and Military Police schools.

In addition to training these three specialties for the Army, we are one of four Army Training Centers with reception operations and Basic Combat Training.

On top of the more than 80,000 trained in the active component courses, we train an additional 14,000 to 15,000 service members from 130 Reserve and other non-tenant units, and we are the proud home of the 102nd Training Division (Maneuver Support) and Missouri Army National Guard’s 35th Engineer Brigade.

Fort Leonard Wood hosts and trains with the largest Marine Corps Detachment and Air Force Squadron on any Army installation as well as a Navy construction detachment.

We are home to the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers’ Prime Power School and home of several deployable U.S. Army Forces Command units.

We are also home to a large international student detachment — approximately 475 international students are trained each year. Last year, Fort Leonard Wood trained international partners from 73 nations.

UNIQUE INSTALLATION

• 63,000 acres of land with four access control points, which experience more than 33,000 vehicles in/out daily.

• 45 percent of the installation borders federally owned property, and there are no encroachment, environmental, or noise concerns.

• 2,690 buildings, providing 16.8 million square feet of facilities for our unique and highly technical training and support activities.

• 35 ranges, 89 training sites, and 51 maneuver areas; we manage more than 42,000 pieces of equipment that support our training.

• 6,040 feet of available runway for commercial jet and military air service.

• General Leonard Wood Army Community Hospital provides a fully-accredited bedded hospital that accepts VA beneficiaries from Missouri and Arkansas hospitals.
On an average day, Fort Leonard Wood has over 11,000 service members in training; employs or hosts more than 13,000 military and civilian employees, including contractors, on post; and supports over 10,800 Family members and about 60,200 retirees.

Fort Leonard Wood is a top employer in the state of Missouri with an estimated economic impact of $3 Billion. We provide a beautiful installation and great diversity to the region as the communities provide unparalleled and appreciated support to our missions and people.

We appreciate all that our community members do to support service members and families, our post, and the military.

“Winning Matters. And, the nation’s deployed forces absolutely can't win without the important work done at Fort Leonard Wood to build volunteers into competent Soldiers and to develop critical Engineer, CBRN, and Military Police skills and capabilities. Victory Starts Here in the heart of our nation at Fort Leonard Wood.”

- Gen. Paul Funk, Commander, U.S. Army Training and Doctrine Command