

Mandatory Financial Readiness Training First Termer Budget Requirement

Training is mandatory for all E1-E4 reporting to Fort Gordon, GA as a <u>first</u> permanent change of station (PCS).

1. Complete Individual budget at:

https://gordon.armymwr.com/financial-readiness/first-term-training (scroll down the page and click "ACS Budget Calculator PDF")

NOTE: You must save the budget before emailing.

- 2. Email a copy of your completed budget and EOM LES to usarmy.gordon.imcom-fmwrc.mbx.acs-financial-readiness@mail.mil
- 3. Call the Army Community Service Financial Readiness Program at (706) 791-3579/0795 to schedule a Wednesday appointment (0800-1100) or to request an exception.

Computers are available in Darling Hall, B. 33720, 307 Chamberlain Avenue, Room 172, the computer lab in the Command Support Center, B. 35200, 271 Heritage Park Lane (behind Huddle House), and the Fort Gordon Library, B. 33500, 549 Rice Road.

The budget link is accessible from any smartphone or tablet.

USEFUL LINKS

Credit Reports – **annualcreditreport.com** This site allows one free annual report from the credit reporting bureaus.

Thrift Savings Program – https://www.tsp.gov/index.html - A federal government-sponsored long-term retirement savings and investment plan for federal civilian employees and members of the uniformed services.

Military Saves – **https://militarysaves.org/** - A mobile-optimized resource with calculators for savings, debt reduction, and other material.

Student Loans – https://myfedloan.org/ - This site provides information to make informed decisions on student loans.

Scholarship opportunities:

https://www.aerhq.org/Apply-for-Scholarship/Dependent-Children https://www.aerhq.org/Apply-for-Scholarship/Spouse-Education-Assistance-Program

Free Budget App:

https://www.mint.com