

## LTA Related National Training:

### **(NTC) National Training Camp** (3.5 day camp)

This camp will focus upon the patrol system and camping skills. May be taken as credit instead of the LTA Campout module, since the NTC exceeds requirements.

### **(RKTC) Ranger Kids Training Conference** (3 day conference)

This conference will provide the necessary skills to take boys on outings and provide additional skills for commanders working with Ranger Kids. It may be taken as credit instead of the Ranger Kids Skills module, since the RKTC exceeds requirements.

## New Module Available March 2005

### **Royal Rangers Data Manager (RRDM)** (4 hours)

This module will provide the outpost commander with the skills, tips, and knowledge to effectively use the new RRDM in their local outpost.

## Proposed Modules for Future Development

**Basic Outreach Ministries  
Ranger Kids Day Camps  
Parent/Commander Committee  
Teaching Techniques  
Your Legacy**

## **Requirements to earn the LMA through the Leadership Training Academy**

The required elements to earn the Leaders Medal of Achievement are:

- Ranger Basics – 8 hour module
- Discipleship 1 and 2 – (3 hours each module; 6 hours total)
- Safety and the Church – 3 hour module
- Successful Outpost – 4 hour module
- One Age Specific Activities Module – 4 hour module:
  - Ranger Kids Activities
  - Discovery/Adventure Rangers Activities
  - Expedition Rangers Activities
- First Aid-CPR – from a certified provider, e.g., Red Cross
- One Elective Module – 2 hour module (minimum)
- LTA Camp-out for Discovery-Adventure-Expedition Rangers leaders – (overnight camping module), or Ranger Kids Skills for RK Leaders – (6 hour module). An NTC, or RKTC, may be attended instead since they exceed the minimum requirements for the LMA.

Completing all the necessary modules to earn your LMA will provide you with the skills and knowledge that will improve your effectiveness as a Royal Rangers leader!

# Leadership Training Academy (LTA)

**Developing Leaders ... Changing Lives**



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for information on local class schedules.**

## The LTA Training Philosophy

The Leadership Training Academy (LTA) has adopted a continuous training philosophy. It places training content into “modules” that commanders can complete in eight hours or less. This approach gives the commanders many training options to customize a training plan that meets their unique needs! The new LTA approach allows additional modules to be added as new training ideas or program changes are incorporated into Royal Rangers. This makes the LTA a life-long commitment to training!

A major change in the LTA approach is the new training format students will experience when they take the modules. LTA modules will not require homework, exams, or major time commitments outside the module. The major highlights of this approach are:

- Quizzes, no Exams required to pass!
- “On Your Own” experience suggestions, no required homework!
- Everyone who attends passes with a Council of Achievement held at the conclusion of every module!

The training listed here is just the beginning of the type of world-class training that will soon be available to every commander through the LTA!

### Modules Available Now:

#### **Ranger Basics (8 hours)**

This module is the foundational module that all new commanders will be encouraged to attend. Ranger Basics will provide a new commander with all the necessary information he/she needs to effectively lead boys in the weekly meetings.

#### **LMA Transitional Module (6 – 7 hours)**

This module is for those commanders who earned their LMA under the previous LTC program. It consists of a shorter version of Ranger Basics, plus the changes to the new program.

#### **LTA Camp-Out**

This training module is an overnight campout that is required for those commanders working with the Discovery, Adventure and Expedition Rangers. This module will prepare commanders to take boys camping.

#### **Ranger Kids Skills (7 hours)**

This module is for Ranger Kids commanders and will focus on the skills needed to safely take Ranger Kids on outings and field trips.

#### **RK, DR/AR, or ER Age-Specific Activities (4 hours)**

This module will provide group commanders ideas, skills, and safe practices to follow when working with boys outside the Outpost meeting.

#### **Discipleship 1 and 2 (3 hours each)**

This module is intended to provide commanders with in-depth training in soul winning, counseling, and discipleship issues related to ministering to boys.

#### **Frontiersmen Camping Fellowship (2 hours)**

This module will introduce commanders to FCF, its mission, goals, and requirements for membership and advancement. It is designed to encourage men to become members and for them to encourage membership among their boys.

#### **How to Start an Outpost (2 hours)**

This module is for those commanders who need to know how to start Royal Rangers in their church.

#### **Outpost Chaplain (2.5 hours)**

This module will equip Outpost Chaplains with the skills necessary to fulfill the spiritual needs of the outpost.

#### **Outpost Council (2 hours)**

This module will equip the Outpost Council member with the skills necessary to support the Royal Rangers program in their church.

#### **Working with Boys with Disabilities (2.5 hours)**

This module will help commanders effectively lead boys that are mentally and physically challenged.

#### **Safety and the Church (3 hours)**

This module will help commanders understand the most important safety issues when dealing with boys during outpost meetings, activities, and while transporting boys.

#### **Successful Outposts (4 hours)**

This module incorporates many ideas and best practices a commander can follow to create a successful outpost.

#### **Child and Substance Abuse Prevention (3 hours)**

This module introduces commanders to the life threatening aspects of substance and child abuse and how to spot boys currently living in an abusive environment.

#### **District Leadership Training Course (DLTC) (5 hours)**

This module is designed to prepare commanders for the challenging role as district or sectional Royal Rangers leaders.

#### **The Patrol Method (2 hours)**

This module helps commanders better understand the Patrol Method and how they can take advantage of this outstanding boy oriented leadership method.

#### **Classroom Management (3 hours)**

The best way to deal with classroom management problems is to prevent them in the first place. Therefore, most of the training you will receive during this module will focus upon the skills necessary to prevent problems in the classroom.

#### **Presentation Skills (3 hours)**

Whether you are just beginning your presentation career or are a seasoned veteran, this module will provide you with useful tips and tools you'll be able to apply immediately.