

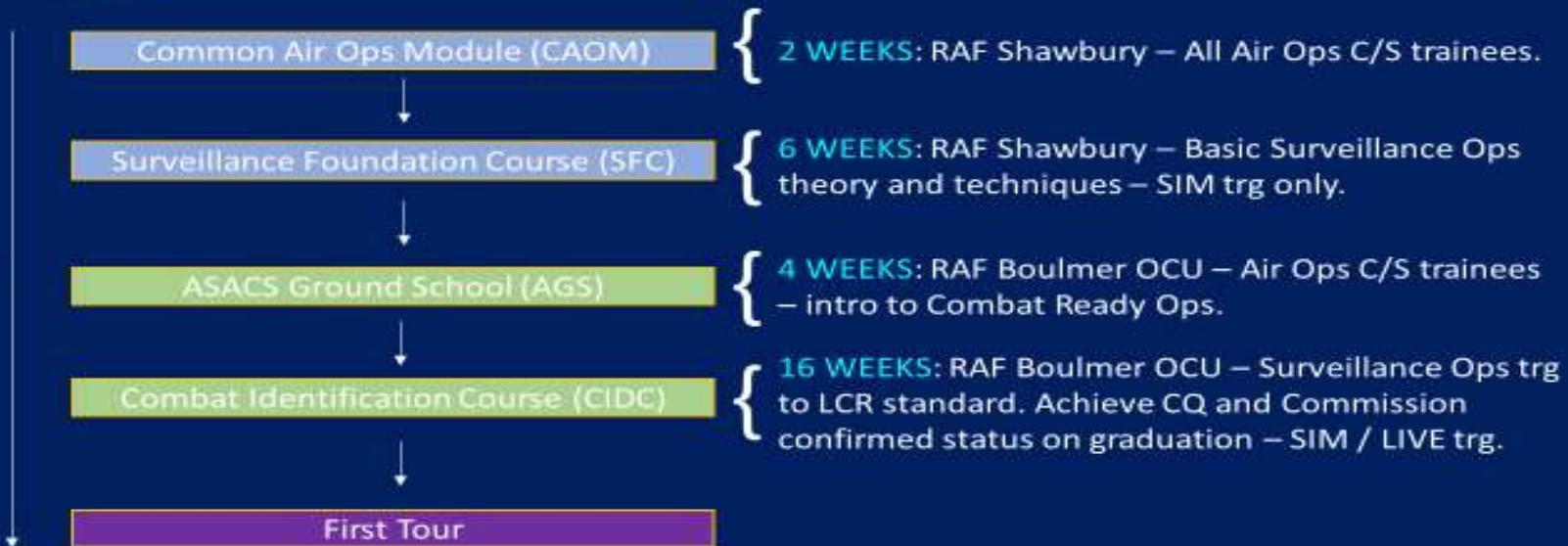


Air Ops (S): Surveillance

Ph2 Trg flow:



28 Weeks*



Surveillance Foundation Course: Introduction to surveillance theory, the application of identification categories and console-based routine. The practical element is completely simulator based.

ASACS Ground School: Prepares students for the live element of training and for employment on their first tour as QRA Identification Officers, when working towards Combat Ready Status. This 4 week module includes an introduction to battlespace management, mission planning and electronic warfare.

Combat Identification Course: Further UK Operations theory is followed by 4 practical modules – South West UK, South East, South (SW and SE combined) and North. You will learn to complete the Recognised Air Picture in live UK airspace, which is shared across Air HQ units and NATO partners across Europe. Training can be delivered in both simulated and live environments.

First Tour: Your first tour will last for approximately 2 years and will be at the Control and Reporting Centre at RAF Boulmer as a QRA Identification Officer. During this time you will also be expected to gain Combat Ready Status. You will achieve this by taking part in a number of major air exercises involving large aircraft packages in combat-based scenarios. You will be identifying friend from foe, providing situational awareness to the Weapons Controllers, your Chain of Command and higher-level HQ.