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ARMY GOLF SKILLS COURSES 2026/27

Introduction

1. The Army Golf Skills Training Weeks used to be managed through the Army School of Physical Training but under a review of courses, these are now managed directly with ProJAm, which is responsible for the delivery.

Golf Skills Training Weeks

2. There are three levels of Golf Skills Courses in 2026/27 for all levels of golfer; Basic, Intermediate and Advanced Courses during the period 30 Mar 26 to 26 Mar 27. Course dates are at Annex A and a synopsis of each course detailed at Appendices 1 to 3. The courses are all held at the Brampton Heath Golf Centre just outside Northampton, which is a 40-minute drive from the nearest Service accommodation.

3. These courses are open to all serving members of all three Services. Additionally, if space permits, they are open to ex-serving members as well as friends and family. Booking is done on-line through the ProJAm website (www.projam.biz). If anyone has difficulty viewing the application form through DII, ProJAm is contacted either by telephone 01865 522360 or Email fiona@projam.biz.

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4. Please note that there is no public funding for these courses. Whilst of benefit to the individual and attendance is to be encouraged, the courses must be pursued at the officer's/soldier's own expense, in their own time and off duty.
5. **Availability.** Before applying for any of the courses listed within this DIN, individuals are to ensure that the details of the course are brought to the attention of their Line Manager for approval. Line Managers are to satisfy themselves they are content for the SP to be released.
6. All students are to complete a registration card prior to attendance, and a Post Course Evaluation Form on the last day; links will be sent to you by ProJAm.
7. **Booking and Cancellations.** The process to follow for booking courses and any subsequent cancellations can be found as a wire diagram on the Army Golf Association website, on the Home page, scroll down to Golf Skills Courses, www.armygolf.co.uk.

Annex:

- A. Army Golf Skills Training Weeks.

ARMY GOLF SKILLS TRAINING WEEKS

Ser	Courses	Dates
Basic		
1B		30 Mar - 3 Apr 26
2B		27 Apr - 1 May 26
3B		18 – 22 May 26
4B		8 - 12 Jun 26
5B		6 – 10 Jul 26
6B		27 - 31 Jul 26
7B		17 - 21 Aug 26
8B		7 - 11 Sep 26
9B		21 - 25 Sep 26
10B		5 - 9 Oct 26
11B		1 - 5 Mar 27
Intermediate		
1IM		13 – 17 Apr 26
2IM		4 – 8 May 26
3IM		1 - 5 Jun 26
4IM		22 – 26 Jun 26
5IM		13 - 17 Jul 26
6IM		3 – 7 Aug 26
7IM		31 August - 4 Sep 26
8IM		28 Sep - 2 Oct 26
9IM		8 – 12 Mar 27
Advanced		
1AD		22 - 26 Mar 27

Appendices:

1. Basic Golf Skills Course.
2. Intermediate Golf Skills Course.
3. Advanced Golf Skills Course.

ARMY GOLF SKILLS TRAINING – BASIC COURSE

1. The Basic Golf Skills Course is aimed at golfers from complete beginners to those holding a handicap of over 22, as well as the golfer whose game has become a bit rusty and their clubs a little dusty!! The handicap requirement is to ensure parity of experience level on the course.
2. The Basic Course will be held at Brampton Heath Golf Centre and consists of 16 hours' group tuition delivered over Monday-Thursday mornings. The cost of the course also includes unlimited golf on the Par 3 County standard course Monday- Wednesday and 18 holes on the Championship course on Thursday after tuition. However, if you would rather spend time on the range and practice short game area, working on what you have been taught in the morning instead of playing golf, this is also an option for you and practice balls are included(*). If you wish to play golf on the 18-hole Championship course in the afternoons (and the instructor agrees you are of the standard to play) ProJAm have negotiated a rate of £11/18 holes and this can be booked directly with the Pro Shop and payment made.
3. This package has been set up to allow the individual to choose how much golf to play and when to relax. We believe this will enable your development to be the optimum for you during your time with ProJAm. The courses are run on a 1 tutor per 12 students' ratio, which means although instruction is given in a group setting, tuition will be tailored to the group's needs as far as possible. Please note, 1:1 tuition is not included in the cost.
4. There is no limit to the number of times you come on any of the courses; please do not feel you must progress to the Intermediate or Advanced course if you are not ready.
5. The total cost for the Basic Course is £175, which includes:
 - 16 hours' group tuition
 - Practice balls for tuition
 - Par 3 Course Monday-Wednesday or extra practice as above
 - Championship Course round on Thursday.
6. We understand that many of you will travel home on Friday. However, if you would like to play another round on Friday, you can arrange this directly with the Pro Shop/Instructor at a specially discounted rate. If you would like to book a course, please complete the Online Bid Form at www.projam.biz . If you have any questions, please use the Contact Form, or call Fiona on **01865 522360**.
7. If you opt to practice in the afternoon rather than play golf, you are entitled to 2 buckets of balls per day for use on the range. Additional balls can be purchased separately if you so wish. However, this limit has been set to encourage a good practice ethos. It is proven that simply hitting balls one after the other is not beneficial and we want you to remember the short game is important too. Perfect practice makes perfect.

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ARMY GOLF SKILLS TRAINING – INTERMEDIATE COURSE

1. The Intermediate Golf Skills Course is aimed at golfers who have a handicap of 22 or better, or the golfer who is happy they have played a lot and is ready to develop themselves and their game further. If you do not have an official handicap, you will be required to produce evidence of your playing ability to ensure we have parity across the group. If you have attended a Basic Course but do not have the required handicap as stated above, you may be allowed to attend an Intermediate course, but the instructor must be content you are of the required standard and will not detract from the tuition for the wider group.
2. The Intermediate Course will take place at Brampton Heath Golf Centre. Just like the Basic Course, the Intermediate Course consists of 16 hours' group golf tuition (delivered Monday-Thursday mornings) where we take the group tuition to the next level, tailoring the course to the intermediate player who strives to improve their game to single figures. More heavy emphasis will be put on the short game and course management rather than just the basics. Our PGA qualified instructors lead the intermediate instruction to ensure you achieve your golfing goals. The Tutor: Student ratio remains the same as for the Basic Course – never worse than 1:12.
3. The cost of the Intermediate Course is **£209**, which includes:
 - 16 hours' group tuition
 - Practice balls for tuition
 - Unlimited use of the short course (County Squad standard course)
 - 5 rounds of golf (Monday-Friday)
4. If you would like to book a course, please complete the Online Bid Form at www.projam.biz If you have any questions, please use the Contact Form or call Fiona on **01865 522360**.

ARMY GOLF SKILLS TRAINING – ADVANCED COURSE

1. The Advanced Golf Skills Course is aimed at golfers who have achieved a reasonable standard within the game (handicap of 12 or better) and are looking to take their game to the next level. Its function is to give experienced players an insight into the routines of the elite player both on and off the course.
2. The Advanced Course will be held at Brampton Heath Golf Centre and will consist of 16 hours' group tuition, delivered Monday-Thursday.
3. This tuition will include video swing analysis, a 9-hole group playing lesson with on course assessment and extensive short game development. The abilities of the individuals within the group will determine the exact content of the course although during the Q&A session you can expect to talk in greater details about tournament preparation, effective emotional preparation, and coping strategies, as well as the best way to structure practice sessions to ensure consistency of your game.
4. Our Tutor: Student ratio for this course and will never be more than 1:10.
5. The total cost for the Advanced Course is **£209**, this includes
 - 16 hours' group tuition
 - Practice balls during tuition
 - Video swing analysis
 - Unlimited use of the short course facilities
 - 4 rounds of golf (Monday-Thursday)
6. We understand that many of you will travel home on Friday. However, if you would like to play another round on Friday, you can arrange this directly with the Pro Shop/Instructor at a specially discounted rate.
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