

During the 1961-62 academic year, 1,082 cadets were in attendance at the Services Colleges, 454 of them at the Royal Military College of Canada, 214 at Royal Roads and 414 at Collège Militaire Royal de Saint-Jean. Of the total, 241 were enrolled in the Navy, 403 in the Army and 438 in the Air Force.

**Staff Training Colleges.**—The Canadian Army Staff College at Kingston, Ont., trains officers for staff appointments in peace and war. The course is 21 months in duration with a student intake every second year. Although most of the student body is composed of Canadian Army officers, officers from the other two Services and from the armies of other Commonwealth and NATO countries also attend. The system of instruction is based upon the study of précis and other references, demonstrations and lectures, and indoor and outdoor exercises. Most of the work is carried on in syndicates, each under a member of the directing staff. Attention is paid to both individual and team work. Aside from purely military subjects such as the study of tactics, the curriculum includes national survival, research and development, world affairs and lectures by prominent guest speakers.

The Royal Canadian Air Force College at Armour Heights in Toronto, Ont., is a permanent establishment consisting of a Staff School for junior officers and a Staff College for senior officers. The Staff School course is for RCAF officers only; the Staff College course is for officers of other Services as well as Air Force officers. The course affords professional education for officers normally of Squadron Leader and Wing Commander ranks, preparing them to assume higher appointments. The directing staff selected from the Royal Canadian Air Force is augmented by an exchange officer from each of the Royal Canadian Navy, the Canadian Army and the Royal Air Force. The student body, in addition to Royal Canadian Air Force officers, has eight representatives from the Royal Canadian Navy and one or two from each of the Canadian Army, Royal Air Force and United States Air Force. The course is designed to assist the student to think logically and express his ideas with precision, both orally and in writing; to know his Service and understand the employment of air forces; to keep abreast of scientific and technical developments that may affect the employment of air forces; and to gain a perspective of national and international problems. Lecturers are drawn, when desirable, from industry, the Armed Forces, the diplomatic corps and universities. Instructional visits are made to commercial and military establishments in Canada and abroad.

The National Defence College at Kingston, Ont., which opened on Jan. 5, 1948, is a senior defence college providing an 11-month course of study covering the economic, political and military aspects of the defence of Canada. Senior officers and civil servants from the Armed Forces and government departments attend, as well as a few representatives from industry. An extensive lecture course is provided, with lecturers chosen from among the leaders in various fields in Canada, the United States, Britain and other countries. In addition, educational tours and visits to certain parts of Canada, the United States, Europe and the Middle East give students more knowledge of conditions and influences in their own and other countries. The 15th course from August 1961 to July 1962 was attended by students from the following organizations: three from the Royal Canadian Navy, four each from the Canadian Army and the Royal Canadian Air Force; and one each from the Defence Research Board, the Department of External Affairs, the Department of National Defence, the Department of Finance, the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, the Air Transport Board, the Department of Northern Affairs and National Resources, Atomic Energy of Canada Limited and the Quebec Hydro Commission. Representation from outside Canada included one member each from the Royal Navy, the British Army, the Royal Air Force, the British Admiralty, the United States Army, the United States Navy, the United States Air Force and the State Department of the United States.