

# CULVER MILITARY ACADEMY

## A DAY IN THE LIFE OF A CMA CADET

**7:30 am:** Reveille – Everyone wakes up and the New Cadets begin to clean their building.

**7:40 – 8:20 am:** PI (Personal Inspection) – Each cadet’s room and personal appearance are checked by their leaders; BRC (Breakfast Roll Call) also takes place, which consists of a formation during which all cadets are physically accounted for by leaders and adults; at the completion of this roll call, the unit marches to the dining hall for breakfast.

**8:30 – 9:55 am:** CP1 – First class period of the day.

**10:05 – 11:30 am:** CP2.

**11:40 am – 1:40 pm:** CP3 – This period is broken up into three separate lunch periods of 40 minutes each.

**1:50 – 3:15 pm:** CP4.

**3:15 – 4:00 pm:** Mid Afternoon Break – This is an opportunity for students to see their teachers for additional one-on-one instruction.

**4:00 – 4:15 pm:** Transition to athletics.

**4:15 – 6:00 pm:** Athletics and Activity Period – All cadets must participate in some type of athletic activity during this time, whether it be varsity sports, intramurals, unit competitions, or certain club activities.

**6:30 pm:** Retreat (formation on Thursdays).

**6:00 – 8:00 pm:** Student time/evening activity period – Free time for personal hygiene, honor group rehearsals/ club meetings, or relaxation.

**8:00 – 9:50 pm:** CQ (Call to Closed Quarters, Study Time) – Students have the option of staying in their rooms to study or they may sign out to the library before 8:00 pm.

**9:50 pm:** Closing – All students must be back in their own barracks.

**10:00 – 10:25 pm:** Free time inside barracks (time for evening hygiene, visiting friends, additional study, etc.).

**10:30 pm:** TAPS – All cadets must be in their own rooms; the BI (faculty barracks inspector) checks each room to ensure all cadets are accounted for; cadets may choose to continue studying or go to bed.

**10:30 – 11:00 pm:** Additional study time, as required.

**11:00 pm:** Lights out – All underclassmen (non-seniors) must turn out their lights and go to bed; seniors may study until midnight.