



OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT  
**UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY**  
WEST POINT, NEW YORK 10996-5000

Dear Parents of Cadets in the Class of 2010:

I am very pleased to invite you, your family, and friends to West Point for Plebe-Parent Weekend, Friday, October 13 thru Monday, October 16, 2006. Plebe-Parent Weekend is dedicated to you and your cadet and provides a great opportunity to spend quality time with your son or daughter. You will also have the opportunity to meet your cadet's tactical officer, tactical noncommissioned officer, academic instructors, and mentors.

Numerous interesting and enjoyable activities are planned for your visit. Plan to arrive no earlier than Friday, October 13th. Although classes on that day conclude at 3:50 p.m., the Reception Center at Eisenhower Hall opens for your convenience at 8:00 a.m.

The weekend's events continue on Saturday. At 8:30 a.m., the Commandant will provide you with an update on the Academy. My staff will be present to answer any questions you may have. The day will also afford you an opportunity to visit the Dean's academic departments, meet your cadet's instructors, and learn more about our academic program. Saturday concludes with a Formal Hop in the Ballroom of Eisenhower Hall.

Sunday and Monday afford you maximum time with your cadet, who must return to our regular schedule no later than 6:30 p.m. on Monday, when the weekend formally concludes.

For your safety, as well as that of our cadets and community, we conduct routine vehicle security checks at our entry gates. We also limit parking near the cadet area. In view of this, I encourage you to enter West Point through the Stony Lonesome Gate and to park in the designated letter lots (B, C, and E). Please take full advantage of the post shuttle-bus service we have established for your convenience during this weekend. Additionally, allow yourselves ample time to get through the gates and remember that all guests aged sixteen and over must possess photo identification at all times.

The United States Military Academy team looks forward to seeing you soon. Go Army!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "F.L. Hagenbeck", written in a cursive style.

F.L. Hagenbeck  
Lieutenant General, US Army  
Superintendent

