



United States Air Force **Lineage and Honors History**

487 Training Squadron (AFRC)

Lineage. Constituted as 487 Bombardment Squadron, Medium on 10 Aug 1942. Activated on 20 Aug 1942. Redesignated as 487 Bombardment Squadron, Medium on 1 Jul 1943. Inactivated on 7 Nov 1945. Redesignated as 487 Bombardment Squadron, Light on 8 Oct 1947. Activated in the reserve on 31 Oct 1947. Discontinued on 19 Aug 1949. Redesignated as 487 Bombardment Squadron, Medium on 3 Oct 1952. Activated on 20 Oct 1952. Inactivated on 1 Sep 1963. Redesignated as 487 Training Squadron on 25 Nov 2024. Activated on 25 Dec 2024.

Assignments. 340 Bombardment Group, 20 Aug 1942-7 Nov 1945. 340 Bombardment Group, 31 Oct 1947-19 Aug 1949. 340 Bombardment Wing, 20 Oct 1952-1 Sep 1963. 340 Flying Training Group, 25 Dec 2024-.

Stations. Columbia AAB, SC, 20 Aug 1942; Walterboro, SC, 30 Nov 1942-29 Jan 1943; El Kabrit, Egypt, 29 Mar 1943; Medenine, Tunisia, c. 11 Apr 1943; Sfa, Tunisia, 17 Apr 1943; Hergla, Tunisia, 3 Jun 1943; Comiso, Sicily, 3 Aug 1943; Catania, Sicily, 27 Aug 1943; San Pancrazio, Italy, 29 Oct 1943; Foggia, Italy, 26 Nov 1943; Pompeii, Italy, 28 Dec 1943; Paestum, Italy, 24 Mar 1944; Alesan, Corsica, 19 Apr 1944; Rimini, Italy, 7 Apr-c.16 Jul 1945; Seymour Johnson Field, NC, 9 Aug 1945; Columbia AAB, SC, 2 Oct-7 Nov 1945. Tulsa Mun Aprt, OK, 31 Oct 1947-19 Aug 1949. Sedalia AFB, MO, 20 Oct 1952-1 Sep 1963. Joint Base San Antonio-Randolph, TX, 25 Dec 2024-.

Service Streamers. None.

Campaign Streamers. *World War II:* Tunisia; Sicily; Naples-Foggia; Anzio; Rome-Arno; Southern France; North Apennines; Central Europe; Po Valley; Air Combat, EAME Theater.

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers. None.

Decorations. Distinguished Unit Citation: North Africa and Sicily, [May]-17 Aug 1943.

Lineage, Assignments, Stations, and Honors through 25 Mar 2025.

Emblem. Approved on 15 May 1959. Emblem requires modification for design. Organization should submit proposal IAW DAFI 84-15, chap 3. Contact local supporting historian or MAJCOM history office for assistance.

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