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Congratulations to Modular Initial Officer Training Course No 38 and Specialist Officer Initial Training Course No 14 who have graduated from the RAF College at RAF Cranwell today!

The ceremony was reviewed by Air Marshal Marshall OBE MA RAF, Air and Space Commander who said: 'The Graduation Parade at the Royal Air Force College Cranwell is an important occasion, where we recognise the successful achievements of our graduating Officers and welcome them into our modern, agile and capable Royal Air Force, where they will play their part in ensuring that we are always ready to fly, fight and win.'

The Band of the Royal Air Force College provided festive musical accompaniment, filling the air with traditional military marches and seasonal tunes. A flypast by the Red Arrows marked the occasion.

The parade concluded with the presentation of awards to outstanding graduates.

Here's wishing you all the very best!



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Congratulations to Flying Officer Cairns who graduated yesterday, from RAF College Cranwell as an AeroSystems Engineering Officer, proudly following in the footsteps of both his parents who served in the Royal Air Force in the early 1990s. Both of his parents, served in the RAF, his father graduated from C Squadron in 1988 and went on to complete flying training before joining 47 Squadron as a pilot before retiring a few years ago. His mother joined the RAF in 1990, graduating from RAF Halton as a Personnel Administrator and represented both the RAF and Great Britain in Bobsleigh before leaving the Service in 1995. Reflecting on his graduation, Fg Off Cairns said: "What made the day even more memorable was knowing my father also graduated from C Squadron. Every day during training, I walked past his graduation photo – a constant reminder of the legacy I was continuing by joining the Royal Air Force."



Flying Officer Tyne was recently awarded the prestigious Sword of Honour by the Air and Space Commander, Air Marshal Marshall OBE RAF, at the graduation ceremony for Modular Initial Officer Training Course 38. This esteemed accolade is presented to the Officer Cadet who demonstrates exceptional ability, leadership and officer qualities, as well as outstanding potential for future development.

First awarded in 1921, the Sword of Honour is a long-standing tradition at the RAF College. It is presented to the most distinguished Officer Cadet of each intake, symbolising the highest standards of excellence and leadership expected of RAF officers.

Congratulations to Fg Off Tyne on this well-deserved recognition of her dedication to the course and fellow graduates.

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