

# A C A D E M I C S

## Effective Teaching

The overall goal of Camden Military Academy is to produce students who can succeed in college level studies, in other post-secondary career pursuits, and in meeting the usual challenges of life. To achieve that goal, the Academy uses approaches that have proven effective in the past and introduces new elements when they have a perceived high level of reliability. For example, the teaching of Latin has for centuries bolstered the study of the English language and, indeed, the study of all the Romance Languages, as well as world and western history. Each year sees more computers and computer applications in the curriculum-methodology mix. Properly used, technology is a valuable learning asset; however, traditional methods still serve well. Small classes, highly qualified teachers, and monitored study halls, all proven ingredients, will remain at the core of the academic system; but we will continuously evaluate our curriculum and methods to determine the most effective ways to help our young men learn.



Having served as academic dean for 17 years, LTC Kelly R. Schrader brings to that position the insight of an overall twenty-three years of experience at Camden Military Academy. He holds bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of South Carolina.