Applications Process: Apply on CadetOne (www.cadetone.aafc.org.au) and have your application endorsed by your Commanding Officer. Carefully read this 4-page application pack, complete all required sections and forward to 301 Flight via email (3wg.flying.applications@gmail.com) or fax (02 5701 5136). Upon receipt of a correctly completed application pack, your nomination will be accepted. Incorrect applications will be returned for amendment. When you have been accepted via CadetOne please make payment in full. HARD COPIES OF THE APPLICATION FORMS MUST BE CAREFULLY STORED TO BE BROUGHT TO COURSE, ALONG WITH A FULLY COMPLETED TR66 DOWNLOADED FROM CADETONE. COPIES OF REQUIRED MEDICAL DOCUMENTS ARE ALSO REQUIRED. FAILURE TO BRING HARD COPIES TO COURSE WILL RESULT IN DELAYS TO COMMENCEMENT OF FLIGHT TRAINING.

Course Fee: The course cost for first-timers is $479.00 and for those attending their second course or more that do not have 12 Month GFA Membership (GFA Number and Card) the course cost will be $591.00 which includes 12 Month GFA Membership. For those attending further courses with full GFA Membership (GFA Number and Card) the course cost reverts to $479.00. The preferred method of payment is EFT, and payment is due within 7 days of receiving your “NOMINATION ACCEPTED” email from CadetOne. This course fee includes a non-refundable Administration Fee of $45.00 which covers course consumables and incidents not provided by the Royal Australian Air Force (such as postage, stationary, and ground support equipment purchase/maintenance). The remainder covers the cost of the flying training, approximately 10 launches and 180 minutes of flying time. If the course is not completed (due to weather, for example), cadets may expect a partial refund upon contacting the 301FLT Finance Officer. 

Weight/height restrictions of Gliders: The training aircraft have a maximum seat loading of 110kg. Students over 95kg may have difficulty in complying with weight and balance requirements, depending on the instructor’s weight. Depending on body/leg proportion, students over 180 cm in height may have difficulty fitting in the aircraft. Contact 301 Flight Chief Flying Instructor on billy.gleeson-barker@aafc.org.au if you have any questions or concerns with this.

Solo Flight: Typically a cadet will need to attend several courses before reaching the required standard for solo flying. Solo flight is not permitted below 15 years of age. Legally, a Cadet flying solo must hold a 12 month membership of the Gliding Federation of Australia and a Recreational Aviation Medical Practitioners Certificate (see below and attached).

The Gliding Federation of Australia (GFA) is a self-regulated body operating under delegation from the Civil Aviation Safety Authority (CASA) and is responsible for gliding operations within Australia. AAFC cadets are granted a special one-week GFA introductory membership, the cost of which is paid by 301 Flight. On the second course on which they attend, their membership must be upgraded to the AAFC 12 month membership, hence second course cost at $591.00. Questions on GFA membership should be directed to 3wg.flying.applications@gmail.com.

Medical Standards: On the GFA membership application form (see attached), there is a medical declaration of fitness which must be signed. Also attached is the ‘Australian Air Force Cadets Aviation Declaration Form’ this must also be completed in full and submitted with your application. IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO TRUTHFULLY SIGN EITHER DECLARATION, you may complete the ‘Recreational Aviation Medical Practitioners Form’ with your local doctor to still be allowed to fly. This form is located for download at http://www.aviation.3wg.aafc.org.au/gliding. If you have truthfully signed the declaration you do not have to obtain a certificate from your doctor, but still attach the GFA and AAFC Medical Declarations to your application. If you are taking any prescribed or other medication, even temporarily, which may affect (1) your ability to fly in a glider or (2) your wellbeing when flying in a glider, you must let us know. If you are unsure of the effects of any medication you are taking, it is your responsibility to make your own enquiries in that regard.

Medical Standards for SOLO FLIGHT or flying as Pilot in Command: AAFC personnel (Cadets and Staff) shall not fly as pilot in command of a sailplane unless they have:

a. have completed the Recreational Aviation Medical Practitioners Form located at http://www.aviation.3wg.aafc.org.au/gliding
b. holds an appropriate valid CASA Medical Certificate Class 2 or 1

Check List

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Part 1: Squadron CO’s Endorsement

By signing this, I can confirm that I have reviewed this application in full and it is complete. I endorse that this cadet has attended overnight activities before (Squadron or Wing level) and conducted themself appropriately at these activities. The cadet has completed Behavioural Policy training and if required Adult Training Package compliant (if over 18).

CO’s Signature: X Date: 
Part 2: Applicant’s Details and 301FLT Gliding Club Membership Application – Complete all spaces

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Weight Height Home Address

Enrolment Date Email Address Home Phone Number Mobile Number

Dietary Requirements

Medical Conditions (Must be listed in CadetOne).

Part 3 Course Applied for. Complete full details for the course you wish to attend

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I am available to attend the alternative course should my preference not be available: Y / N

Places on course will be allocated as COMPLETED applications are received. Incomplete applications will be rejected & returned for completion. Applications received after the closing date will not be considered.

Part 4: Aviation Experience. Please complete where applicable. (If not applicable, mark NA)

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Starter Pack Required? Y / N

Starter pack cost is $90. This includes: Logbook, Flying suit patches (AAFC crest, embroidered name tag, RAAF ensign and 301FLT patch) and Basic Gliding Knowledge book. Starter packs are optional, however Cadets will not be able to wear (loaned) flying suits on course without patches.

If no, Logbook Required? Y / N

Logbooks are compulsory, and can be purchased individually for $10 if Starter Pack is not requested.

Gliding Federation of Australia member? Y / N

If yes, GFA Membership number: Expiry date:

Part 5. Course Fee Structure:

First Course: $479.00 (This includes Temporary GFA Membership)
Second Course: $591.00 (This includes 12 Month GFA Membership)
Further Courses or those with Full GFA Membership: $479.00

Starter Packs: Costs apply on top of the above fees

Preferred method of payment is Electronic Funds Transfer or direct bank deposit, account details as follows.

Account name: 3 Wing Aviation AAFC
BSB: 062-602
Account number: 10601382
Reference: CADET NUMBER & COURSE NUMBER
E.G. “CM30453 08/13”

I will pay via EFT/ bank deposit within 7 days of acceptance via CADETONE Email.

I am a scholarship recipient: AFS Scholarship SQN Scholarship

I wish to discuss alternative methods of payment and will enquire with 3wg.flying.applications@gmail.com

Part 6: Consent to be signed by parent / guardian

- I have read and understood the warning on the attached Gliding Federation of Australia membership application form. I certify that the above applicant is medically fit and is not suffering from any condition which may be aggravated by attending a gliding course, including any condition for which he/she is taking antibiotics, antihistamines, or any other medication. He/she is not suffering from any infectious disease (including flu or similar) and will not attend if any such condition exists at the time of the course. I understand that anyone attending with any such condition will be required to return home forthwith at their own expense.
- I further declare that I am over 18 years of age OR I am the Parent/Guardian of the applicant.
- I give permission for the applicant to attend the gliding course applied for (above), fly in gliders and service aircraft and travel in service or private vehicles during the course. I am also aware that the glider training may include aerobatic manoeuvres.

Name of Parent / Guardian (The applicant may sign if 18 years of age or over) Signature Date

X

Name of Witness (not a close relative of the above, must be over 18 years old) Signature Date

X

Note: Parent/Guardian and Witness date must be the same.
Request for Introductory Membership (AAFC)

Applicant details - please PRINT clearly

AAFC member No: ……………..  
Surname:………………………….……. First…………………………Date of Birth ……………

Residential Address:……………………………………………………….Post Code:……..

Postal Address: ……………………………………..…………………… Post Code:…..……..

Home Phone:…………….……. Mobile: ….…………………Email: ……………… …………

WARNING

Gliding as with any flying activity can be DANGEROUS. Any person participating in the sport of gliding or learning to glide or participating in the activities of The Gliding Federation of Australia (GFA) does so entirely at their own risk. It is a condition of admission to Membership of the GFA that the GFA, its office bearers, committee persons, members, servants or agents are absolved from all liability however arising from injury or damage however caused (and whether fatal or otherwise) arising out of membership of the GFA or participating in gliding, learning to glide, flying in any aircraft being used for or in connection with gliding or in any way caused by or arising out of any activity carried on by the GFA whether or not such death, injury or damage is in any manner due to any negligent act or omission, breach of duty or default on the part of the GFA, its office bearers, committee persons, members, servants or agents. Any person participating in the sport of gliding, learning to glide, flying in any aircraft being used for or in connection with gliding or in any activity carried on by the GFA is only permitted to do so on the clear understanding that this occurs entirely at their own risk.

I have read (or had read to me) and understood the warning above. I hereby apply for Introductory Membership of The Gliding Federation of Australia (the Federation). In so doing, I agree to be bound by the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Federation as amended from time to time and I also agree to observe and be bound by any Rules, Regulations and By-laws which may be passed or made pursuant to the aforesaid Articles of Association. This Introductory membership is valid for 9 days from activation of this signed form which should be retained by the member. It entitles the member to receive flying instruction for up to 10 flights and 5 hours, but solo flying is not permitted.

I declare that I have no disability or illness and I am not taking any medication which may make me unfit to fly. I further declare that, in the event of contracting or suspecting any of the above conditions, I will cease flying until I have obtained a medical opinion that it is safe to continue flying.

I further declare that I am over 18 years of age OR I am the Parent/Guardian of the applicant who has my permission to undertake gliding flights.

Signature ………………………………………………………………………………..…………………….. Date: ….. /……/…..

Print Full Name if Parent/Guardian: ………………………………………… ……………………………………………..

MEDICAL INFORMATION: Some medical conditions may affect the safety of gliding flight and could cause participants serious injury or death. Medical clearance from a qualified medical practitioner should be obtained before undertaking a glider flight if there is any doubt about the fitness of a participant. Medical conditions that require a clearance include:- epilepsy, fits severe head injury recurrent fainting, giddiness, blackouts, abnormally high blood pressure, previous heart disease or the taking of insulin for the control of diabetes. Minor illnesses, the donation of blood, some medications and certain prescribed drugs may make one temporarily unfit to fly. Alcohol and flying don’t mix. Please do not ask to fly if you have consumed alcohol that day.

If applicant is under 18 years of age Parent/Guardian must sign on behalf of the applicant.

Witness: I have witnessed the signature above and I am satisfied that the applicant understands the warning above.

Print full name: ……………………………………………………… Signature: …………………………………………….. Date: …../……/…….

Note – witness date must be the same as Parent/Guardian signature date

TO BE COMPLETED BY GLIDING CLUB

Name of Gliding Club: 301 Aviation Training Flight  Date membership activated: …./…../…..

Name/Signature of club representative ………………………………………………………………………………………………..

This membership assumes that payment of the membership fee will be sent to the GFA office by AAFC. A Gliding Club representative must ensure the name of this AAFC member is listed on the GFA user created invoice and given back to the AAFC personnel to enable payment.
The Gliding Federation of Australia Inc.

ABN: 82 433 264 489

Application: 12 Month Student Membership (AAFC)

Applicant details - please PRINT clearly

Surname:………………………….… First………………………….. Date of Birth:……………………

Residential Address:……………………………………………. Post Code:……………………

Postal Address: ………………………………………………… Post Code:……………………

Home Phone:………. ……. Mobile: …………… Email: ……………

Please tick if this is a renewal of membership:               GFA membership number: ……………

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I have read (or had read to me) and understood the warning above. I hereby apply for Flying Membership of The Gliding Federation of Australia (the Federation). In so doing, I agree to be bound by the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Federation as amended from time to time and I also agree to observe and be bound by any Rules, Regulations and By-laws which may be passed or made pursuant to the aforesaid Articles of Association.

I declare that

a) I am the holder of a Student Pilot or higher category licence with current medical certificate. The licence number is …………. OR

b) I have never suffered from the following: Epilepsy, fits, severe head injury, recurrent fainting, giddiness, blackouts, abnormally high blood pressure, previous heart disease or the taking of insulin for the control of diabetes.

I further declare that, in the event of contracting or suspecting any of the above conditions, I will cease flying until I have obtained a medical opinion that it is safe to continue flying.

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Signature……………………………………………………………………………..……………………… Date: …../……/………

Print Full Name if Parent/Guardian: ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………………

Witness:

I have witnessed the signature above and I am satisfied that the applicant understands the warning above.

Print full name: ……………………………………………………… Signature: ……………………………………………………… Date: …../……/………

Note – witness date must be the same as Parent/Guardian signature date

AAFC Support:
The applicant is a current member of the AAFC and I (rank/ name) ………………………………………………………………… being an authorised AAFC staff member, support this request for membership of the GFA and will ensure payment of the membership fee to the GFA Membership Secretary or affiliated gliding club. Signature: …………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….

GFA members must be a member of an active affiliated Gliding Club

Name of Gliding Club: 301 Aviation Training Flight Date membership activated: …../……/…….

Name/Signature of club representative ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….

This membership assumes that payment of the membership fee will be paid to the GFA office or affiliated gliding club by AAFC or the new member. Membership is effective from payment of the fee to the GFA or to the club. The new member will receive notification from the GFA of receipt of payment and their GFA membership card.
AUSTRALIAN AIR FORCE CADETS
AVIATION MEDICAL DECLARATION FORM

This form is to be completed by the AAFC member (or Guardian) prior to undergoing a flight in which they will have interactions with the controls of the aircraft. (Pilot Experience Flights and Flying Training)

I, ...................................................................................... Service No. ...........................  of
(Rank)  (Full Name)

....................................................................................................................... Post Code ...........
(Address)

hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge I am not suffering from any physical condition that would preclude me from operating an aircraft (powered or glider) as pilot-in-command.

I further declare that I do not suffer or have not suffered from:

☐ Cancer in the last 5 years
☐ ECG changes
☐ Heart failure within the last 3 years
☐ Inability to hear conversational voice at a distance of 2 metres (a hearing aid may be used)
☐ Physical limitations or disabilities
☐ Transient ischaemic attacks (sometimes referred to as a mini stroke)
☐ Multiple sclerosis, cerebral palsy, Parkinson’s disease
☐ Significant head injury, (loss of consciousness, Amnesia, abnormal head CT or MRI)
☐ Renal calculus disease (kidney stones)
☐ Vestibular disorders (vertigo)
☐ Insulin dependent diabetes

In the event of my contracting any physical condition precluding me from operating an aircraft (powered or glider) as pilot in command, I undertake advise the AAFC and the training organisation and that I will cease flying in that capacity while the condition makes it unsafe for me to do so.

Members Signature:.......................................................... Date: .................

Parent/Guardians Signature: .................................................. Date: .................

Required if member under 18
Parent/Guardian Name: .............................................................

Members unable to make the above declaration must obtain a Recreational Medical Practitioners Certificate available at http://www.aviation.3wg.aafc.org.au/gliding