

# JROTC Cadet Individual Archery Safety Pledge

This JROTC Cadet Individual Archery Safety Pledge is to be reviewed and affirmed by all cadets who handle and use Archery Equipment in Army JROTC Archery Programs each year prior to beginning practice sessions or competitions.

Cadet Name:	School/JROTC Unit:
Key Words	Personal Actions
<b>1. Obeying Commands &amp; Instructions</b>	An Army Instructor or Range Officer will be in charge of all Archery Range activities. I will listen to and immediately obey all commands and instructions given by this person.
<b>2. Arrows in Quivers</b>	Whenever I am on an Archery Range I will always keep my arrows in my assigned quiver and will not remove any arrows -
<b>3. Use of Assigned Arrows and Arrow Direction</b>	When shooting on an Archery Range I will use only the arrows assigned to me and I will ensure that when handling arrows, they are always pointed down range at a target or at the floor.
<b>4. Whistle Commands</b>	I understand that there are 4 Archery Whistle Commands (1blast=Begin Shooting / 2 blasts=Get Bows / 3 blasts=Get Arrows / 5 blasts=Emergency Stop Shooting) and I will always obey each command when heard.
<b>5. Shoot Only at Assigned Targets</b>	I understand that I when on an Archery Range, I will have one specific target assigned to me and I understand that my assigned target is the only target at which I may fire.
<b>6. Dropped Arrows Remain on the Floor or Ground</b>	If I drop an arrow on the floor or ground while I am on an Archery Range at the Shooting Line, I understand that I will not attempt to move or recover the arrow until I am directed to do so. I understand that range personnel will provide me with a replacement arrow.

<b>11. Removing Arrows from the Targets</b>	<p>When removing arrows from my target I will ensure that no one is behind or in the path of my arrows as I remove them from my target.</p> <p>As I remove each arrow from my target I will drop it to the floor near me.</p>
<b>12. Picking Up and Carrying Arrows</b>	<p>Once I remove my arrows from my target, I will pick them up and tap them on the top of the target to even the tips and then I will return to the Firing line. While carrying the arrows I will have one hand over the points and one hand further down the shaft of the arrow at all times.</p>
<b>13. 11 Archery Steps to Success</b>	<p>With every shot I will use the 11 Steps to Archery Success.</p>
<b>14. Self-Discipline and Focus</b>	<p>I recognize that archery safety is possible only if I and my fellow cadets apply the self</p>