



## ALIEN FLIGHT STUDENT PROGRAM (AFSP)

The U.S. Department of Homeland Security and Transportation Security Administration (TSA) requires that as a prerequisite to flight training, non-US citizens must provide fingerprints, biographical information, including full name, passport and visa information and training specifics prior to beginning flight training. Training can only commence following approval of your application, completion of fingerprinting and payment of a \$130 application fee. Students enrolling in flight training programs with Century Air will be applying for [Category 3](#) (rating or certification) or [Category 4](#) (recurrent) flight training and can expect a minimum of 7 days to complete the TSA approval process.

### **Below, we have provided some helpful instructions to complete the application process:**

1. Visit the TSA website at [www.flightschoolcandidates.gov](http://www.flightschoolcandidates.gov).
2. In the top right of the screen click on [Create New Student Account](#).
3. Fill out and submit the brief application to create a new account. The TSA will then provide you with a user ID and a password (sent to your personal e-mail address).
4. Return to the website and enter your user ID and Password. Complete the AFSP Foreign Student Application. (9-10 pages).
  - A. [Course ID#](#): Private Pilot (PVT101), Instrument Rating (IFR201), Multi-Engine Rating Add-On (MEA401), Commercial Multi-Engine (COM302).
  - B. [Class Name](#): Choose your course from the pull-down list. Private Pilot is listed as Initial. Applications are not required for Commercial Single-Engine or ATP.
  - C. [Aircraft Type](#): Private Pilot and Instrument Rating: [Cessna 172](#). Multi-Engine: [Twin Comanche](#). Note: Private and Instrument students may also use the Cirrus aircraft for training, please specify SR-20 and/or SR-22 if you will be training in this technically advanced aircraft.
  - D. [Estimated Start Date](#): Enter a start and end date that approximates when you want to commence training and complete training. This can be an estimate, however; you will not be able to start before the commencement date. The TSA will automatically allow you to attend training for one full year in any course (not longer).
5. Once you have completed and submitted this application, the TSA will request that Century Air validates you as a potential student. We will do so for those individuals who have previously attended a flight training consultation (in person or by telephone).
6. The TSA will then send you instructions for the fingerprinting process. You will need to complete the fingerprinting process and submit a \$130 security threat assessment fee. For fingerprint locations go to [www.tsc-csc.com](http://www.tsc-csc.com).
7. Once the TSA has acknowledged receipt of the required documentation and fees, Century Air will be sent (via e-mail) a final document approving the student to begin training.

Following completion of the above steps, Century Air will contact you to set up the enrollment appointment and you will be eligible to begin flight training.

Please contact us by phone or e-mail if we may assist you in any way during this process. You may also contact the AFSP help Desk at [\(703\) 542-1222](tel:7035421222) or [afsp.help@dhs.gov](mailto:afsp.help@dhs.gov). They are very helpful and respond quickly to questions.