# 10th SCHOOL GROUP



# **MISSION**

# LINEAGE

10<sup>th</sup> Group Headquarters (School) organized, 22 Jun 1922 Redesignated as Headquarters, 10<sup>th</sup> School Group, 25 Jan 1923 Demobilized, 15 Jul 1931

### **STATIONS**

Kelly Field, TX, 1922-1931

# **ASSIGNMENTS**

1<sup>st</sup> Wing (Provisional), 19 Jul 1922 1<sup>st</sup> Wing, 6 Feb 1923 24<sup>th</sup> School Wing, 8 Jul 1927

# **COMMANDERS**

Maj John N. Reynolds, 22 Jun 1922 Maj Louis H. Brereton, 1 Sep 1922

LTC John H. Howard, Nov 1922

Maj Horace M. Hickam, 16 Jan 1923-1 Aug 1925

Maj Frank M. Andrews, 15 Sep 1925

Cpt Raymond E. O'Neill, 26 Apr 1927

Maj James E. Chaney, 4 Jun 1928

Maj Clarence L. Tinker, 1 Jul 1930

Maj Frederick L. Martin, 6 Aug 1930-15 Jul 1931

# **HONORS**

**Service Streamers** 

### **Campaign Streamers**

# **Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

**Decorations** 

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**MOTTO** 

#### **OPERATIONS**

Organized in the Regular Army on 22 June 1922 at Kelley Field, TX, as 10th Group Headquarters (School). Designated as Zone of the Interior Troops 13 June 1924. Operated the Air Corps Advanced Flying School 1922-31. Demobilized on 15 July 1931 at Kelly Field, TX, and personnel transferred to the Air Corps Advanced Flying School.

10<sup>th</sup> School Group consisted of four school squadrons and on service squadron. The 40<sup>th</sup> School Squadron was designated as the bombardment unit of the school and was equipped with NBS1 planes after the spring of 1925. The 41<sup>st</sup> was the attack unit and the 42<sup>nd</sup> was the observation unit. These two squadrons were equipped with DH4B planes for both types of training. The 43<sup>rd</sup> was the pursuit unit and was equipped with every type of pursuit plane since the end of the war to include Spads, SE5s, Fokker monoplanes, MB3As and even Sperry Messengers.

Subordinate Squadrons: 39th School Squadron 1922, 1927-31; 40th School Squadron 1923-31; 41st School Squadron 1923-31; 42nd School Squadron 1923-31; 43rd School Squadron 1923-31; 48th School Squadron 1923-31; 68th Service Squadron 1923-31; Air Park No. 13 1922-23; 22nd Photo Section 1922-31

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