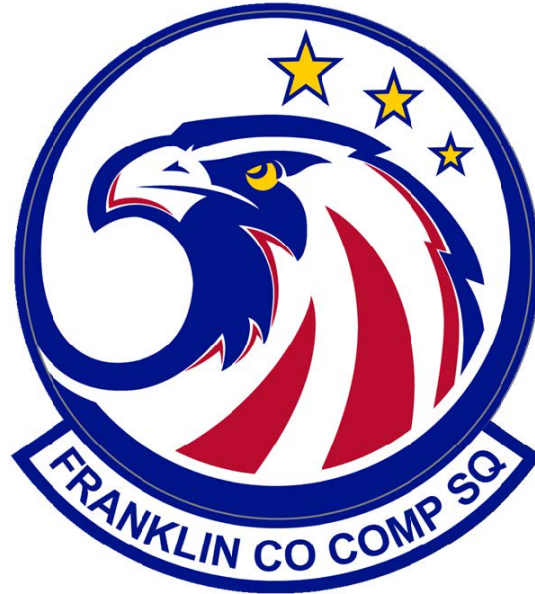


NC-145 Franklin County Composite Squadron

Emblem Meaning



The Franklin County Composite Squadron emblem features a central falcon, symbolizing vigilance, strength, and determination—traits long associated with the unit's "Falcons" identity. Three yellow stars highlight Civil Air Patrol's core missions of Emergency Services, Cadet Programs, and Aerospace Education, and preserve continuity with the squadron's previous emblem.

The falcon's yellow eye reflects the unit's enhanced capability as one of two squadrons in North Carolina operating an aircraft equipped with FLIR technology, enabling exceptional visibility during Search and Rescue operations.

The emblem uses approved CAP colors: red, white, and blue to signify patriotism and the North Carolina flag; blue for the sky where CAP aircraft operate; and yellow to represent the U.S. Air Force and the vision and excellence expected of all members.

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