

Planning, Programming, Budgeting and Execution (PPBE) Army Course

Learn how DoD and Army PPBE systems integrate mission planning, acquisition, budgeting, and execution to manage resources across defense organizations.

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Course Outline

Module 1: Introduction to PPBE

- History and purpose of the PPBE process
- PPBE overview for DoD and Army
- Structure of the Future Years Defense Program (FYDP)

Module 2: Key DoD and Army Officials, Decision Bodies, and Forums Involved in the PPBE Process

- Important officials and decision-making bodies
- Key forums in the PPBE process

Module 3: Planning

- Overview of the planning phase
- Role of planning in resource allocation

Module 4: Programming

- Introduction to programming
- Management decision packages (MDEPs)
- Resource management areas
- Acquisition, fielding, and sustainment
- Special visibility programs (SVPs)

Module 5: Budgeting

- Understanding budgeting in the PPBE process
- Comptroller Information System (CIS)
- Schedule O: object classification and personnel summary
- Estimating budgetary requirements by object class

Module 6: Execution

- Fund management and execution
- Unapportioned appropriations and execution process
- Understanding obligations and outlays

Module 7: Course Summary

- Review of key concepts
- Application of the PPBE process