



DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
71ST FLYING TRAINING WING
VANCE AIR FORCE BASE OKLAHOMA

Dear new Team Vance member

On behalf of the men and women of Team Vance, welcome to Enid, America! Vance Air Force base has a proud history of producing the world's finest aviators, and we're only able to do that with our exemplary team of Airmen, government service civilians, contractors and community supporters alike. Your role is critical to our success, and I am sure you'll find your assignment here rewarding. The people of Enid are among the friendliest you will ever meet and are proud of the 80-year heritage of their base.

As you plan your move to Vance, I encourage you to explore the Vance Air Force Base webpage to learn about our mission and your new home at <https://www.vance.af.mil/>. Upon arrival, our Welcome Information Fair will provide you with a wealth of information about the base and surrounding community. You will also get the opportunity to meet other new members of our Vance family. If you are married, your spouse is invited to attend the orientation with you and to take advantage of the many programs and opportunities available to our families.

Please let your sponsor, squadron commander, the Chief or myself know if there is anything we can do to ease your transition. Having moved many times over the years, the Chief and I are well aware of the challenges you are facing and want to ensure that Team Vance rises to the occasion.

Again, welcome to Enid, America and the 71st Flying Training Wing! We look forward to your arrival.

Sincerely

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