DOCTRINE

FEBRUARY

Module 1
Lesson 1: MCDP 1 – The Nature and Theory of War
Lesson 2: MCDP 1 – Maneuver Warfare

Module 2
Lesson 3: MCDP 1-4 – Competing

Module 3
Lesson 4: Warfighting Functions
Lesson 5: MCDP 6 – Command and Control

Module 4
Lesson 6: MCDP 1-3 – Understanding Tactics and Achieving a Decision
Lesson 7: MCDP 1-3 – Gaining an Advantage, Tempo, and Adapting
Lesson 8: MCDP 1-3 Exploiting Success and Finishing

MARCH

Module 5
Lesson 9: Single Battle / Battlespace Framework
Lesson 10: Tactical Planning Foundations (CV/COG)

Warfighting Exam Assigned

MANEUVER

Module 6
Lesson 1: Offensive Fundamentals
Lesson 2: Reconnaissance and Security

Module 7
Lesson 3: Defensive Fundamentals

FIRES

Module 8
Lesson 1: Fire Support
Lesson 2: Functions of Marine Aviation – Offensive Air Support
APRIL

Module 9
Lesson 3: Fire Support Planning
Lesson 4: Targeting

Warfighting Exam Due
MCPP Exam Assigned

Module 10
Lesson 1: MCDP 5 – Planning
Lesson 2: Information Management
Lesson 3: Introduction to the MCPP

Module 11
Lesson 4: Problem Framing: Design Methodology
Lesson 5: Problem Framing: Staff Actions

Module 12
Lesson 6: Course of Action Development I

MAY

Module 13
Lesson 7: Course of Action Development II

Module 14
Lesson 8: Course of Action Wargaming I

Module 15
Lesson 9: Course of Action Wargaming II

Module 16
Lesson 10: Course of Action Comparison and Decision
Lesson 11: Orders Development and Transition

MCPP Exam Due

Course Close Out Due 16 June 2025