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## Guidance

*“There are no secrets to success. It is the result of Preparation, Hard Work and Learning from Failure.” – Colin Powell*

### **ATTITUDE IS EVERYTHING!**

EVERYONE in VP-5 belongs here, has a bright future, and contributes to the overall success of our squadron.

### MISSION

We will provide Combatant Commanders with qualified people, mission capable aircraft, and the willingness to deter aggression, defend freedom, and win the fight in the maritime domain, anywhere in the world.

### GUIDING PRINCIPLES

- People:
  - Teamwork – We will work together to achieve our common goals.
  - Mentorship – We will cultivate the next generation of leaders.
  - Leadership – We will embody the principles of servant leadership.
  
- Integrity:
  - Character – We will personify the moral qualities consistent with our service.
  - Respect – We will hold each other in the highest regard, personally and professionally.
  - Excellence – We will be the very best we can be, in every aspect of our daily lives.
  
- Mission:
  - Innovation – We will devise new ideas, and implement creative solutions.
  - Agility – We will remain flexible, able to adapt efficiently and effectively.
  - Lethality – We will expand our warfighting ability and effectiveness.

### VISION

As the preeminent Maritime Patrol squadron in the Fleet, VP-5 will be known for its transformative efforts in personal and professional development, excellence on station, and the genuine care for our Sailors and families; we set the standard – this includes YOU!

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