

Trainees from 25 countries
have attended Courses at
SMTS

NATO countries

Bulgaria

Estonia

Germany

Greece

Czech Republic

France

Hungary

Latvia

Lithuania

North
Macedonia

Norway

Poland

Portugal

Sweden

Turkey

UK

USA

PfP countries

Armenia

Azerbaijan

Georgia

Belarus

Moldova

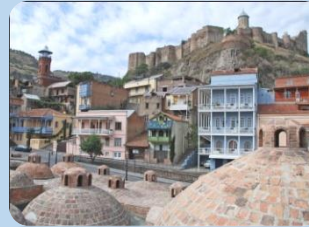
Ukraine

MD countries

Jordan

Egypt

Tbilisi



Prometheus Cave, Kutaisi



Rabati Castle , Akhaltsikhe



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Georgia

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And Education Centre
PTEC



Sachkhere Mountain Training School (SMTS) offers a wide spectrum of international courses. The courses are designed for NATO member and partner countries' military personnel within the frames of Pfp.



SMTS was founded in 2006. The course training programmes are elaborated in full compliance with the French Mountain Training Centre's requirements. International courses are conducted by professional Georgian instructors. In 2010, the North Atlantic Council declared Sachkhere Mountain Training School as a NATO/PfP Training and Education Centre.



Aim

Mountain Training of units of Georgian Defence Forces;
Training and re-training of NATO member and partner countries' military personnel within the framework of Pfp.



Basic Mountain Training Winter Course (BMTWC)- 3 weeks;
Intermediate Mountain Training Winter Course (IMTWC)- 4 weeks;
Basic Mountain Training Summer Course (BMTSC)- 3 weeks;
Intermediate Mountain Training Summer Course (IMTSC)- 4 weeks;
High Mountain Training Team Leader Course (HMTTLC) – 5 weeks.



Student Criteria

At the course, trainees must not have similar or higher course level.
The student attached to the course must be able to move with 12 kg load during 3 hours on a mountainous terrain.
Each course is designed for military personnel (OF1 to OF4 and OR 1 to OR 9) who wish to develop key skills in order to operate in mountainous environment.



Course Fees, Accommodation and Meals

MOD of Georgia fully covers accommodation, meals, course fees and local transportation including from and to Tbilisi International Airport. Travel costs to and from Georgia are to be covered by the sending nation. During the course, participants are lodged at school's hotel facility.