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Sparta native enlists in Tennessee Army National Guard

SPARTA, **Tenn**. – Pfc. Brandon Austin graduated from the Army's Basic Combat Training and the Wheeled Vehicle Mechanic course at Fort Lee, Virginia, on November 21, 2021.

During this 21-week program, Austin qualified as a wheeled vehicle mechanic, learning to supervise and perform maintenance, repair, and recovery operations on wheeled vehicles and select armored vehicles. He is now assigned to the 1175th Transportation Company headquartered in Tullahoma.

"I find it honorable to serve," said Austin. "I look forward to serving my country and my community every day as a citizen Soldier."

Austin is a graduate of White County High School where he participated in the JROTC program for three years.





Pfc. Brandon Austin attending his final Recruit Sustainment Program drill before joining his unit as a fully qualified wheeled vehicle mechanic with the Tennessee Army National Guard. (submitted photo)

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