

Non-Medical Reserve DCO Programs Matrix

PROGRAM	AGE	VISION / MEDICAL	EDUCATION	TEST	OBLIGATION	TRAINING	SPECIAL INFO
AEDO (1525)	19-39; Waiver granted for prior service	Color vision req'd. Depth perception not req'd.	BA/BS in technical/ engineering field. Min 2.0 GPA		8 yrs from commissioning	DCO School (2 wks)	If no engineering degree, app must possess significant experience in aeronautical engineering activities.
AMDO (1525)	19-39; Waiver granted for prior service	Color vision req'd. Depth perception not req'd.	BA/BS in technical/ engineering field. Min 2.0 GPA		8 yrs from commissioning	DCO School (2 wks)	Aviation/Aeronautical background preferred.
SPECIAL WARFARE (SEAL) (1135)	22-35; Waiver granted for prior service	Correctable to 20/20. Must be at least 20/40 in better eyes and 20/70 in worst eye. Color vision required. PRK waiver possible.	BA/BS Min 2.0 GPA.	Physical Screening Test ⁽¹⁾	8 yrs from date of commission.	DCO School (2 wks)	Must be at least Second Class Petty Officer with at least two years active duty experience as SEAL, SDV, or Underwater Demolition Team member.
INTEL (1635)	19 – 39; Wavier up to 2 yrs for prior service. Max age 41.	Correctable to 20/20.	BA/BS. Prefer majors in: Int'l Relations, Political Science, Government, History, Ops Analysis, Eng, Science, and Comp. Science Min 2.0 GPA	AQR/FAR-3/3	8 yrs from commissioning	DCO School (2 wks) BRIT (1 yr during drills)	Competitive profile: leadership experience, strong recommendation letters, "whole person concept," no financial/legal issues, immediate family must be U.S. citizens. - Foreign language not a requirement.
PUBLIC AFFAIRS (1655)	19 – 39; Waiver for applicants who can complete 20 years by the age of 60.	Correctable to 20/20.	BA/BS. Prefer majors in: Public Affairs, Journalism. Min 2.0 GPA		8 yrs from commissioning	DCO School (2 wks)	Competitive Profile: - Prior military experience in P/A related fields - Significant media experience a plus.
INFORMATION WARFARE (16450)	19 - 39; Waiver granted for prior service.	Correctable to 20/20.	BA/BS in Math, Physics, EE, Computer Science, and Info Technology preferred. Need at least 1 semester of Calc and Physics. Min 2.0 GPA		8 yrs from commissioning	DCO School (2 wks)	Competitive Profile: - "whole person" - Prior enlisted experience as IT/ET/CT - Strong recommendation letters - Senior Crypto Officer interview helpful - Immediate family must be U.S. citizens
METOC (1805)	19-39; Waiver granted for prior service		BS in Meteorology, Physical Oceanography, Math, Physics, Geophysics or any Eng field with at least 30 hours of coursework in Meteorology/Oceanography Min 2.0 GPA		8 yrs from commissioning	DCO School (2 wks)	Applicants with Meteorology/Oceanography experience may substitute each year of such experience for 5 hours of course work.
SUPPLY CORPS (3105)	19-39; Waiver granted for prior service-	Correctable to 20/20. Color vision required.	BA/BS Business with Finance emphasis preferred. Min 2.0 GPA		8 yrs from date of commission.	DCO School (2 wks)	

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CIVIL ENGINEERING CORPS (5105)	19-39; Waiver granted for prior service-	Correctable to 20/20. Color vision required.	ABET Accredited BS in Engineering. Min 2.0 GPA		8 yrs from date of commission.	DCO School (2 wks)	EIT and Professional Engineer's License make package competitive but not mandatory.
ENGINEERING DUTY OFFICER (1465)	19-39; Waiver granted for prior service-	Correctable to 20/20. Color vision required.	MS in Naval Architecture, Engineering, Physics, Chemistry, Computer Science or Metallurgy Min 2.0 GPA		8 yrs from date of commission.	DCO School (2 wks)	If no MS, a Calculus based technical BS accompanied by PE license or proof of enrollment in technical Master's degree program.
MERCHANT MARINES (1625, 1665, 1675, 1695)	19-39; Waiver granted for prior service-	Correctable to 20/20. Color vision required.	BA/BS from US Merchant Marine Academy or accredited Industry school, and successful completion prescribed Naval Science courses. Min 2.0 GPA				Must have current USCG officer unlimited (tonnage or horsepower) licenses. All certs req. to serve aboard a merchant vessel/
INFORMATION PROFESSIONAL (1605)	19-35; Waiver granted for prior service	Correctable to 20/20.	BS/BA in Information Tech, Information Management, Computer/Software Programming, Computer Software, Computer Science. MS in Information Tech, Computer Science, or Physical Science supersedes the BS/BA requirement. Min 3.0 GPA		8 yrs from date of commission.	DCO School (2 wks)	

Notes:

⁽¹⁾ Physical Screening Test (PST) consists of: 500yd swim using breast/side stroke in 12.5 min (competitive time of 8-9 min); 10 min rest; minimum of 42 push-ups in 2 min (competitive > 100); 2 min rest; minimum of 50 sit-ups in 2 min (competitive > 100); 2 min rest; minimum of 6 pull-ups with no time limit (competitive > 20); 10 min rest; and 1.5 mile run in boots and long pants in 11.5 min (competitive time < 9 min).