

Army

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An Army of One

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Today's U.S. Army is a high-tech operation, featuring cutting-edge technology in diagnostics, communications and more.

What does that mean for you? It means the chance to work in one of more than 200 career fields, ranging from computers and electronics to avionics and healthcare.

For qualified applicants, the Army offers a two-year enlistment option, plus training time. You can choose training in a designated skill and earn a \$5,000 bonus plus up to \$26,500 for college or vo-tech training after you complete your tour of duty.

With that kind of opportunity, you can build the skills and confidence that will take you anywhere.

Signing bonus: Up to \$20,000

Number of career fields: 200+

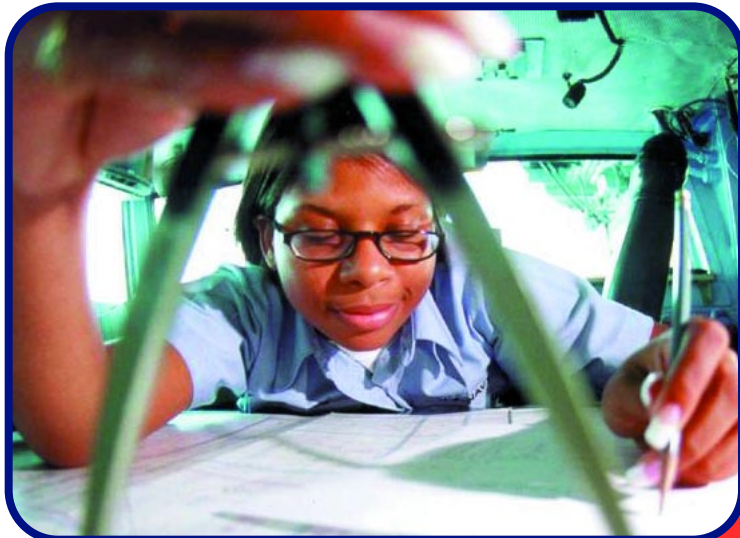
Money for education: Up to \$50,000 through the Army College Fund and the Montgomery GI Bill or up to \$65,000 toward college loan repayment.

Basic Training: Nine weeks

Academy: The United States Military Academy at West Point, New York

The Elite: Delta Force/Army Rangers

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Navy

Accelerate Your Life

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Action. Adventure. Adrenaline. These are just a few words that describe life in the Navy. And accelerating your life is something you can count on in the Navy. They train people in some of the hottest fields around, from computers and mechanics to communications and engineering.

If you're not sure what field you want to pursue, the Navy can help customize a career path for you, with more than 60 career fields from which to choose.

Joining the Navy allows you to travel the world to help broaden your worldview while having fun. The Navy's versatility – it operates on land, on water, in the air and under the sea – gives its sailors the opportunity to explore the world and experience a variety of cultures.

It's a great way to build self-confidence, pride and a sense of purpose.

Signing bonus: Up to \$14,000, depending on job

Number of career fields: 60+

Money for education: Up to \$28,800 available through the Montgomery G.I. Bill plus more than \$15,000 available through the Navy College Fund. Active-duty members stationed ashore qualify for 75% tuition reimbursement.

Basic Training: Eight weeks

Academy: The United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, Maryland

The Elite: Navy SEALs