

RECRUITMENT INTO GHANA ARMED FORCES

ENTRY REQUIREMENT FOR 2025 RECRUITMENT EXERCISE

GENERAL ELIGIBILITY

1. Eligible applicant must:

- Be a Ghanaian citizen by birth.
- Be of good character.
- Be not less than 18 years of age and not more than 25 years for Non – Tradesmen and not more than 27 years for Tradesmen by 30 December 2025.
- Be medically fit by Armed Forces standards.
- Be not married.
- Be not bonded.
- Be of minimum height of 1.68m (5'6") for males and 1.57m (5'2") for females. For **Military Police only**; be of a minimum height of 1.75m (5'9") for males and 1.70m (5'7") for females.
- Have **six (6) Credits** (not less than **Grade 6**) at BECE including **English and Mathematics**.
- Have **six passes** (Up to **Grade D7 for Army Candidates in English and Mathematics and other 4 passes and grade C6 for Navy and Airforce** in all subjects) at WASSCE or the requisite credit/passes in respective trade qualifications from GES at **Intermediate or Advance Level**.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

2. Category A.

a. Army Candidates.

- Infantry/Armour/Artillery/Military Police.** In addition to the General Eligibility applicants must have **6 Passes** at WASSCE including **English and Mathematics**.
- Pay Corps.** In addition to the General Eligibility applicants must have **any of the following**:
 - Six Passes** including **English and Mathematics** at WASSCE with Accounting or Business options.
 - RSA Stage III in Accounting.
 - Diploma in Business Studies (Accounting Option).
 - HND Accounting.
- Engineer Corps.** In addition to the General Eligibility applicants must have Technical, Vocational, Diploma or Certificate in **any of the following**:
 - Electricians.**
 - GES Intermediate Certificate in Electrical Installation.
 - COTVET Certificate II in Electrical Works.
 - City and Guilds Certificate in Electrical Engineering.
 - Electrical Engineering Technology Part I (GES).
 - NVTI. Candidates must have 6 passes in JHS and Proficiency II/ Certificate I/ Certificate II.
 - Plant Mechanics/Fitters.**
 - GES Intermediate Certificate in Plant Mechanic/Fitting.
 - GES Certificate in Plant Mechanic/Fitting.
 - COTVET Certificate II in Plant Mechanic/Fitting.
 - City and Guilds Certificate in Electrical/Mechanical Engineering.
 - NVTI. Candidates must have 6 passes in JHS and Proficiency II/ Certificate I/ Certificate II.
- Survey Assistants.**
 - GES Intermediate Certificate in Surveying.
 - COTVET Certificate II in Surveying.
 - Certificate in Surveying (GSSM)
- Painting/Sign writing.**
 - GES Intermediate Certificate in Painting/Sign Writing.
 - COTVET Certificate II in Painting/Sign Writing.
 - City and Guilds Certificate in Painting/Sign Writing.
 - NVTI. Candidates must have 6 passes in JHS and Proficiency II/ Certificate I/ Certificate II.
- Plumbers & Masons.**
 - GES Intermediate Certificate in Plumbing/Masonry.
 - COTVET Certificate II in Plumbing/Masonry.
 - City and Guilds Certificate in Plumbing/Masonry.
 - NVTI. Candidates must have 6 passes in JHS and Proficiency II/ Certificate I/ Certificate II.
- Wood Construction Technology (Carpentry).**
 - GES Intermediate Certificate in Wood Construction Technology.
 - GES or COTVET Certificate II in Wood Construction Technology.
 - City and Guilds Certificate in Carpentry/Joinery.
 - NVTI. Candidates must have 6 passes in JHS and Proficiency II/ Certificate I/ Certificate II.
- Welder & Steel Bender.**
 - GES Intermediate Certificate in Welding and Fabrication Technology.
 - GES Certificate in Welding and Fabrication Technology.
 - COTVET Certificate II in Welding and Fabrication Technology.
 - NVTI. Candidates must have 6 passes in JHS and Proficiency II/ Certificate I/ Certificate II.
- Topo/Architectural Draughtsman.**

- GES Intermediate Certificate in Architectural Drawing.
 - COVET Certificate II in Architectural Drawing.
- Plant Operators (Grader, Excavator, Dozer, Backhoe, Wheel Loader, Low Bed and Compactor Roller).**
 - GES Intermediate Certificate in any of the plants stated above.
 - COTVET Certificate II in any of the plants stated above.
 - NVTI. Candidates must have 6 passes in JHS and Proficiency II/ Certificate I/ Certificate II.
 - Electrical and Mechanical Engineers Corps (EME).** In addition to the General Eligibility applicants must have Technical, Vocational, Diploma or Certificate in any of the following:
 - Automotive Technicians.**
 - CTVET/GES Diploma in Automobile Engineering.
 - City and Guilds Certificate/Diploma in Automobile Engineering.
 - CTVET/GES Motor Vehicle Technician (Intermediate, Part I, Part II and Part III).
 - CTVET/NABTEX Certificate II in Automobile Engineering and Heavy Duty Diesel Mechanics.
 - Welding and Fabrication Technicians.**
 - CTVET/GES Diploma in Welding and Fabrication Engineering.
 - CTVET/GES Advance Craft (Advanced Welding).
 - CTVET/NABTEX Certificate II in Welding and Fabrication Technology.
 - Office Machine Technician.**
 - CTVET/GES Diploma in Office machine Mechanics.
 - CTVET/NABTEX Certificate II in Computer System.
 - Driver Recovery Technician.** (Must possess at least a valid Driving Licence Class B with any of the under listed certificates).
 - CTVET/GES Diploma in Driver and Recovery Engineering.
 - City and Guilds Certificate and Diploma in Automobile Engineering.
 - CTVET/GES Motor Vehicle Technician (Intermediate, Part I, Part II and Part III).
 - CTVET/NABTEX Certificate II in Automobile Engineering.
 - Machining Technician/Weapon Technician.**
 - CTVET/GES Mechanical Engineering Technician I.
 - CTVET/NABTEX Certificate II in Mechanical Engineering.
 - CTVET/NABTEX Certificate II in Electronics Engineering.
 - Automobile Electricals/Electronics Technician.**
 - CTVET/GES Diploma in Automobile Electricals and Electronics Engineering.
 - City & Guilds Certificate in Auto Electricals/Electronics.
 - CTVET/GES Motor Vehicle Technician (Intermediate, Part I, Part II and Part III).
 - CTVET/NABTEX Certificate II in Automobile Engineering.
 - Biomedical Technician.**
 - CTVET/GES Diploma in Biomedical and Electro Medical Engineering.
 - CTVET/GES Radio, TV and Electronics Part I.
 - CTVET/NABTEX Certificate II in Electronics Engineering.
 - Upholstery Technician.**
 - CTVET/GES Advance Craft (General Tailoring Advanced).
 - CTVET/NABTEX Certificate II in Upholstery Design and Construction.
 - Hot and Cold Technician.**
 - CTVET/GES Diploma in Refrigeration and Air Condition Engineering.
 - City & Guilds Certificate/Diploma in HVAC.
 - CTVET/GES Refrigeration Mechanic Part II.
 - CTVET/NABTEX Certificate II in Refrigeration and Air Condition Technology.
 - Signal Corps.** In addition to the General Eligibility applicants must have any of the following:
 - System Operators General.** SSCE/WASSCE **passes** in Mathematics and Science or have a technical background).
 - Network Technicians.** At least one of the Diploma/Certificates below in addition to SSCE/WASSCE:
 - Cisco Certified Network Associate (CCNA)/Cisco Certified Network Professional (CCNP).
 - Microsoft Certified System Engineer (MCSE).
 - Microsoft Certified Solutions Associate (MCSA).
 - Software Engineering.
 - Network Engineering.
 - Telecom Engineering.
 - Server Management.
 - Ethical Hacking.
 - Cyber Security.
 - Hardware Technicians.** At least one of the Diploma/Certificates below in addition to SSCE/WASSCE:
 - COMPTIA A+.
 - Networking Engineering.
 - COMPTIA N+.
 - Telecom Engineering.
 - Radio Technician.** At least one of the Diploma/Certificates below in addition to SSCE/WASSCE:
 - Telecom Technician (part II or part III).
 - Electronic/Electronic Technicians (Part II or Part III).
 - Radio Servicing Technician.

- RF Engineer/ RF Technician.
 - Power System Technician.
 - Microwave Technician.
- Telephone Technician.** At least one of the Diploma/Certificates below in addition to SSCE/WASSCE:
 - Telecom Technician (Part II or Part III).
 - Repairs/Maintenance of Equipment.
 - Electronic/Electronic Engineering.
 - Fibre Optic Technology.
 - Cisco Certified Network Associate (VOIP).
 - Information Technology (IT).** In addition to the General Eligibility applicants must have **6 passes** at WASSCE including English, Mathematics and Diploma or Certificate in any of the following:
 - Network Administration.** N+ Certificate from a recognised Institution including knowledge in LINUX/Windows Server 2003, 2008 and above.
 - Database Administration.** Certification in My SQL, SQL, and Oracle from a recognised Institution.
 - Computer Programming.** Certification in VB, C++ and Java from a recognised Institution.
 - Web Designing.** Certification in HTML, PHP, CSS, CMS, Adobe and Photoshop from a recognised Institution.
 - Supply and Transport Corps.** In addition to the General Eligibility applicants must have **6 passes** at WASSCE including English and Mathematics and any of the following:
 - Drivers.** Professional Driving Licence Class B. (Minimum Class B).
 - Supply Clerks/Storeman.** Certificate in computer software applications (Word, Excel, Access, Corel Drawing etc) from a recognised Institution.
 - Movement.** Diploma/Certificate in Freight Forwarding/Air Travel and Tour from a recognised Institution.
 - Fireman/Woman.** Certificate in Fire Fighting from National Fire Service plus professional Driving Licence class B.
 - Cooks.** In addition to the General Eligibility applicants must have the following qualification from a recognised Institution:
 - HND in Catering.
 - Diploma in Catering.
 - NVTI Cert I & II/Proficiency II.
 - Public Relations Corps.** In addition to the General Eligibility applicants must have any of the following:
 - Information Assistants.** Diploma/Certificate (not less than **one year continuous study**) from a recognised/accredited institution in Journalism, Public Relations, English Language /Literature, Broadcasting, Communication Studies or Photo journalism.
 - Photographers.** Diploma/Certificate (not less than **one year continuous study**) from a recognised/accredited institution in general photography.
 - Cinematographer.** Diploma/Certificate (not less than **one year continuous study**) from a recognised/ accredited institution in Fine Art, Film Editing, Camera Work, Lighting, Film Directing, Sound, Graphic Design or Animation.
 - Ordnance Corps.**
 - Storeman/Woman.** In addition to General Eligibility applicants must have **6 passes** at WASSCE and Diploma in Business Studies and HND in Purchasing and Supply.
 - Ammunition Technicians.** In addition to General Eligibility applicants must have **6 passes** at WASSCE and must be a science student.
 - Tailors/Textiles & Cobblers/ Leather Works.** In addition to General Eligibility applicants must have any of the following:
 - GES Intermediate Certificate.
 - COVET Certificate II.
 - NVTI Grade I & II.
 - Clerk General Duties.** In addition to General Eligibility applicants must have **6 passes** at WASSCE including Credit in English and Mathematics and any of the following:
 - RSA Stage III in secretarial duties and credit in typing.
 - Typist Grade I and II Certificate from Government Secretarial School.
 - Stenographer Grade II Certificate.
 - DBS (Secretarial Option).
 - Certificate in computer software applications (Word, Excel, Access, Corel Drawing etc) from a recognised Institution.

- Education Corps.** In addition to General Eligibility applicants must have **6 passes** at WASSCE including English and Mathematics and any of the following:
 - Teachers Post-Secondary Certificate A.
 - Teachers Post-Secondary Certificate A (French).
 - Diploma in Education.
 - Diploma in Education (French).