

New Adult Enrollment/Promotion Guidelines: Explained

Candidate for NSCC Adult Leader

Qualifications:

- 21+ Years Old
- Waiver for those older than 65 years.
- U.S. citizen or waiver for non-citizens.
- Successful completion of background check.
- Enrollment paperwork, specified in Admin Manual.

Current NSCC
Midshipman for at least
one year?

No

Candidate's
Choice

Yes

Instructor

Warrant Officer

Additional Qualifications:

- Former Armed Forces, E-6 or above.
- Received Honorable Discharge.
- Officer/MIDN Study Guide
- Copy of DD-214.
- Over age 35.

Ensign

Qualifications:

- Officer 101.
- Officer/MIDN Study Guide
- 1 Year as INST (waived for MIDN).
- 1 year NSCC Time in Service.

Optional "Jump" Into
Normal Promotion
Path

"Jump"
Promotions
the same as INST

Lieutenant, Junior Grade

Qualifications:

- Officer 201
- 1 TWT as an ENS, INST, or WO.
- 2 Years as ENS. (Waived for INST, WO)
- 3 Years Minimum NSCC Time in Service.

Optional "Jump" Into
Normal Promotion
Path

Notes:

- All NSCC adult leaders applying for appointment or promotion must have successfully completed a criminal background check.
- Minimum NSCC Time in Service for MIDN is reset to zero upon appointment to Ensign. MIDN receive the benefit of immediate appointment to ENS, skipping the mandatory one year as an Instructor. Because of the Minimum NSCC Time in Service requirement for LTJG, former MIDN are not eligible for promotion to LTJG for three years after appointment to ENS.
- Officer TWT is now the same as cadet TWT. Ten days, five of which must be consecutive.
- Existing Minimum NSCC Time in Service for INST and WO is recognized. Starting in 2001, INST and WO can apply for "jump" promotions at the appropriate level, assuming that all other qualifications are met.
- Once in the "normal" promotion cycle (ENS, LTJG, LT, LCDR), you may not "bank" TWT sessions for subsequent promotions. For example, if an Ensign performs two TWT sessions, only one counts for promotion to LTJG. The extra TWT session does not apply towards promotion to LT.
- Officer 401 Course still to be developed. If not developed in time for 2001 Promotion Board, this requirement will be waived for that board and instituted for the 2002 board.
- Commanding Officers must have received an Unit Annual Inspection score of 2.5 or greater the year that they wish to promote.
- Regional staff who meet all promotion requirements may be promoted up to LCDR and there are no unit allowance limitations for regional staff promotions.

Lieutenant

Qualifications:

- Officer 301
- 1 TWT as a LTJG or 2 TWTs for INST, WO.
- 3 Years as LTJG. (Waived for INST, WO)
- 6 Years Minimum NSCC Time in Service.

Optional "Jump" Into
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Lieutenant Commander

Qualifications:

- Officer 401 - see Notes.
- 1 TWT as a LT or 3 TWTs for INST, WO.
- One career TWT must be a Recruit Training.
- 4 Years as LT. (Waived for INST, WO)
- 10 Years Minimum NSCC Time in Service.

Optional "Jump" Into
Normal Promotion
Path