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### **Officers in Armed Forces (Entries after X + II)**

(Please refer to the UPSC and Armed Services websites and Employment News for schedules and latest parameters.)

1. National Defence Academy (NDA), Pune
2. Technical Entry for the Army and the Navy
3. Armed Forces Medical College (AFMC)
4. Armed Forces Medical College entry for Nursing Stream

### **Officers in Armed Forces (Entries after graduation)**

(Can be attempted while in the final year of graduation)

1. Through Combined Defence Services entrance examination. (Permanent Commission stream or Short Service Commission stream.)
2. Entry for Engineers in all three Services
3. Legal cadre and Education Cadre

**Note :** All entries (except AFMC and Nursing) have SSB interview procedure.



## Entries in Non-Officer Cadre

These are announced by the Directorate of Recruitment for entry as Jawans, Airmen and Naviks. Minimum qualifications are X + II. Some craftsmen are also recruited after X std. There are also technical entries for diploma holders as direct recruitment at Non-Commissioned Officer levels (Naiks and Havildars or equivalent ranks in the Navy and the Air Force).

## Websites for Recruitment in the Armed Forces

### For Army :

<http://www.joinindianarmy.nic.in/>

### For Navy :

<https://www.joinindiannavy.gov.in/>

### For Air Force :

<http://indianairforce.nic.in/>

## Websites for Recruitment in Indian Paramilitary Forces

### 1. Border Security Force (BSF)

<http://bsf.nic.in/en/career.html>

### 2. Central Industrial Security Force (CISF)

[http://www.cisf.nic.in/RECRUITMENT\\_files/RECRUITMENT.html](http://www.cisf.nic.in/RECRUITMENT_files/RECRUITMENT.html)

### 3. Central Reserve Police Force (CRPF)

<http://crpf.nic.in/recruitment.htm>

### 4. Indo Tibetan Border Police (ITBP)

<http://itbp.nic.in/itbpwebsite/index.html>

### 5. Sashastra Seema Bal (SSB)

<http://www.ssbrectt.gov.in/>



## GALLANTRY AWARDS FOR ARMED FORCES

**Those for gallantry other than in the face of the enemy.**

### Ashoka Chakra (AC)



Awarded for most conspicuous bravery, or some act of daring or pre-eminent act of valour or self-sacrifice otherwise than in the face of the enemy.

### Kirti Chakra (KC)



Awarded for conspicuous gallantry otherwise than in the face of the enemy.

### Shaurya Chakra (SC)



Awarded for gallantry otherwise than in the face of the enemy.

**Besides acts of gallantry, there are also awards for other than gallantry actions and achievements, some of these are.**

#### **Param Vishisht Seva Medal**

For distinguished service of the most exceptional order.

#### **Ati Vishisht Seva Medal**

For distinguished service of an exceptional order.

#### **Vishisht Seva Medal**

For distinguished service of a high order.

#### **Sarvottam Yudh Seva Medal**

For distinguished service of the most exceptional order during War/conflict/hostilities.

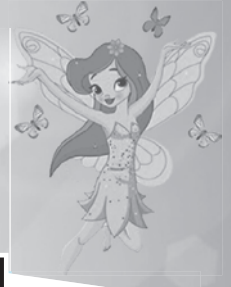
#### **Uttam Yudh Seva Medal**

For distinguished service of an exceptional order during war/conflict/hostilities.

#### **Yuddh Seva Medal**

For distinguished service of a high order during war/conflict/hostilities.

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