

**UNITED STATES ARMY CADET CORPS
OATH OF OFFICE AND ACCEPTANCE OF COMMISSION OR APPOINTMENT**

For use of this form, see ACR 601-210; the proponent directorate is the G1

AUTHORITY: AC Regulation 601-210, Enrollment Standards and Procedures.

PRINCIPAL PURPOSE: To create a record of the date of acceptance of commission or appointment.

ROUTINE USES: Information used to establish and record the date of acceptance. The SSN is used to identify the member. The date of acceptance of commission or appointment in preparing statements of service.

DISCLOSURE: Completion of this form is mandatory. Failure to do so will cause the commission or appointment to be invalid.

INSTRUCTIONS

INDICATE THE COMMISSION OR APPOINTMENT FOR WHICH OATH IS EXECUTED BY PLACING AN "X" IN APPROPRIATE BOX. UNITED STATES ARMY CADET CORPS OFFICERS AND WARRANT OFFICERS WILL ALSO SPECIFY THE BRANCH TO WHICH COMMISSIONED.

This form will be executed upon acceptance of a commission or appointment as an officer, warrant officer, civilian executive or noncommissioned officer in the United States Army Cadet Corps. Immediately upon receipt of notice of commission or appointment, the member will, in case of acceptance of the commission or appointment, return to the Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel the oath of office (on this form) properly filled in, subscribed and attested. In case of non-acceptance, the notice of commission or appointment will be returned to the Deputy Chief of Staff indicating non-acceptance.

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS / WARRANT OFFICERS	NONCOMMISSIONED OFFICERS / CIVILIAN EXECUTIVES
<input type="checkbox"/> Commissioned Officer <input type="checkbox"/> Warrant Officer Rank: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Civilian Executive <input type="checkbox"/> Noncommissioned Officer Rank: _____

**OATH OF OFFICE AND ACCEPTANCE
OF THE TERMS OF COMMISSION OR APPOINTMENT**

"I, _____ (First Name, Middle Name, Last Name) _____ (Social Security Number)

having been commissioned or appointed an (officer / warrant officer/ civilian executive / noncommissioned officer) in the United States Army Cadet Corps, as indicated above, in the grade of _____ do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic, that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office upon which I am about to enter; SO HELP ME GOD."

In addition to the above oath, I also understand and fully accept the training requirements and performance requirements associated with my commission or appointment, as contained in my commissioning or appointment orders.

SIGNATURE OF MEMBER	DATE
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SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME AT _____

THIS _____ (Day) DAY OF _____ (Month), _____ (Year)

GRADE, COMPONENT OR OFFICE	SIGNATURE OF OFFICIAL
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EXECUTION OF THE OATH OF OFFICE

- Whenever a person is appointed to an office of honor or trust within the United States Army Cadet Corps, he/she is required to take and subscribe to the above oath before entering upon the duties of his/her office.
- The Oath of Office may be taken before any commissioned officer or Civilian Executive of the United States Army Cadet Corps; a commissioned officer of any component of any of the Armed Forces (whether or not on active duty), the United States Coast Guard, United States Public Health Service, or National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.
- The Oath of Office may also be taken before any civil officer who is authorized by the laws of the United States or by the local municipal law to administer oaths, and if so administered by a civil official, the oath must bear the official seal of the person administering the oath, or if a seal is not used by the official, the official's capacity to administer oaths must be certified to under seal by a clerk or court or other proper local officer.
- This form must be returned to the G1 within ten calendar days of receipt. Failure to do so will result in the revocation of the commission or appointment.