

THE ADFA EDUCATION AWARD

The Australian Defence Force Academy Education Award is presented annually to Year 12 students in recognition of leadership potential, and academic and sporting achievements exhibited during Year 11. The award comprises of a laptop computer and certificate for you, along with a plaque of recognition for your school. It is presented to you on behalf of the Navy, Army or Air Force if you're one of the 120 most suitable applicants who have applied for entry to the Australian Defence Force Academy (ADFA).

AWARD ELIGIBILITY

To be eligible to apply for the award, you must be studying Year 11 subjects that meet both the educational qualifications for admission to the University of New South Wales (UNSW) and single service requirements. You must submit an application prior to 31 December in the year you complete Year 11. You may apply to all three services, however, you will only be assessed for the Education Award against your first preference. If you are successful, you will only receive the award if you are enrolled in Year 12 at the time of the award presentation and you meet the age requirements for ADFA entry.

ASSESSMENT

The application process comprises of the ADFA entry aptitude test, medical testing and a series of interviews including an Officer Selection Board (OSB). Receipt of the ADFA Education Award does not guarantee you entry into ADFA, as you will still be in national competition against other candidates for entry.

OBLIGATION OF THE RECIPIENT

The ADFA Education Award is unbonded, which means there is no obligation to accept an offer to attend ADFA, nor is there any obligation on the Australian Defence Force to offer appointment to you if you are an award-winner.

PRESENTATION

A representative of the Australian Defence Force will present the award to you at a school assembly in the second school term of Year 12.

ADFA EDUCATION AWARD KEY DATES

Applications open to Year 11 students only	1 May
Applications close	31 December
Officer Selection Board	Held April-May the following year*
Notification of Award Winners	May
Presentation of Awards	Second school term
Entry to ADFA	January the year after you graduate from Year 12 (Subject to Year 12 final results in competition with other applicants)

*Boards are held in Canberra (Travel, accommodation and meals are provided).

APPLICATION

To apply for the ADFA Education Award, contact your local Defence Force Recruiting Centre on 13 19 01 or visit www.defencejobs.gov.au/adfa





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WHAT IT TAKES FOR YOU TO
**APPLY FOR THE ADFA
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**A RECOGNISED DEGREE.
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(Picture representative only)