

THE UNITED STATES NAVAL ACADEMY

OFFICE OF ADMISSIONS





#1 Top Public Schools

#3 National Liberal Arts Colleges

#5 Best Undergraduate Engineering Program

- #10 Civil
- #10 Electrical/ Electronic/ Communications
- #8 Mechanical

Ranking and Lists:
Best Value Colleges
Best Mid-Atlantic
The Best 392 Colleges
Tuition-Free Schools

#2 Best-Run Colleges
#2 College City Gets High Marks
#8 Best Science Lab Facilities
#8 Students Love Their School Teams

#3 Mid Career Highest Paid Graduates (2024 Data)





**Ranked #1
TOP PUBLIC SCHOOL**



THE YARD

Location:

Annapolis, Maryland
25 miles to Baltimore &
Washington D.C.

Brigade Services:

- Barbershop
- Armory
- Midshipmen Store
- Laundry
- Cobbler
- Post Office
- Medical, Dental,
Optometry, PT
- Academic Center
- Midshipmen
Development Center



THE YARD

22 World-Class Athletic Facilities

- Alumni Hall
- Navy Marine Corps Stadium
- Ice Hockey Rink
- 3 Pools
- 5 Fitness and Weight Training Indoor Training Facilities
- Golf Course
- Soccer Stadium
- Sailing Center
- Boat House
- Baseball Stadium
- Rifle Range





THE COLLEGE CLASSROOM

Small Class Size

- Student to Faculty Ratio 8:1
- Individual lecture halls and small labs
 - 10-25 students per section

Strong Faculty Connection

- Faculty teach both lectures and labs
 - Tutoring and Extra Instruction
- Support Extracurricular Activities
- Civilian to Military Faculty Ratio ~1:1



MIDSHIPMEN DAILY SCHEDULE

TIME	ACTIVITY
5:30am	Personal Conditioning
6:55am	Morning Formation
7:00am	Breakfast
8:00am	1st - 4th Academic Periods
12:00pm	Formation and Lunch
1:30pm	5th - 6th Academic Periods
3:30pm	Athletic Period
6:00pm	Dinner
8:00pm - 11:00pm	Academic Study Period





MAJORS - 23 MAJORS AVAILABLE

School of Engineering & Weapons

- Aerospace Engineering
- Electrical Engineering
- Computer Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering
- Nuclear Engineering
- Naval Architecture & Marine Engineering
- Robotics, & Control Engineering*
- General Engineering
- Ocean Engineering*
- Computer Science
- Cyber Operations
- Data Science

School of Humanities & Social Sciences

- English*
- History*
- Political Science*
 - American Politics & Law
 - Comparative Politics
 - International Relations
- Foreign Area Studies
- Quantitative Economics*

School of Mathematics & Science

- Chemistry
- General Science
- Mathematics*
 - Applied Mathematics
- Operations Research
- Oceanography*
- Physics
 - Applied Physics
 - Astrophysics

Available Minors

- Spanish
- Russian
- Japanese
- German
- French
- Chinese
- Arabic

* = honors program available



CORE CURRICULUM



4/C FALL	4/C SPRING	3/C FALL	3/C SPRING	2/C FALL	2/C SPRING	1/C FALL	1/C SPRING
Preparing to Lead			Ethics and Moral Reasoning		Leadership Theory and Applications	Law for the Junior Officer	
Fund of Seamanship	Cyber	Basic Navigation		Advanced Navigation			Junior Officer Practicum
Calculus I	Calculus II	Calculus III	Math IV (Determined by Major)	Electrical Engineering	Applications of Cyber Engineering	Control Systems Laboratory	
Foundations of Chemistry I	Foundations of Chemistry II OR Modern Chemistry	General Physics I	General Physics II	Naval Weapons Systems	Principles of Propulsion	Principles of Ship Performance/ Introduction to Aeronautics	Engineering in the Littoral Zone
Rhetoric and Intro to Literature I	Rhetoric and Intro to Literature II	The West in the Modern World	The Pre-modern World		Humanities Elective	Humanities Elective	
American Naval History	US Gov't & Constitutional Development						Elective

Electives and majors courses are taken in addition to core curriculum

SERVICE ASSIGNMENTS



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SURFACE WARFARE

SUBMARINE WARFARE

SPECIAL WARFARE

MARINE CORPS

AVIATION



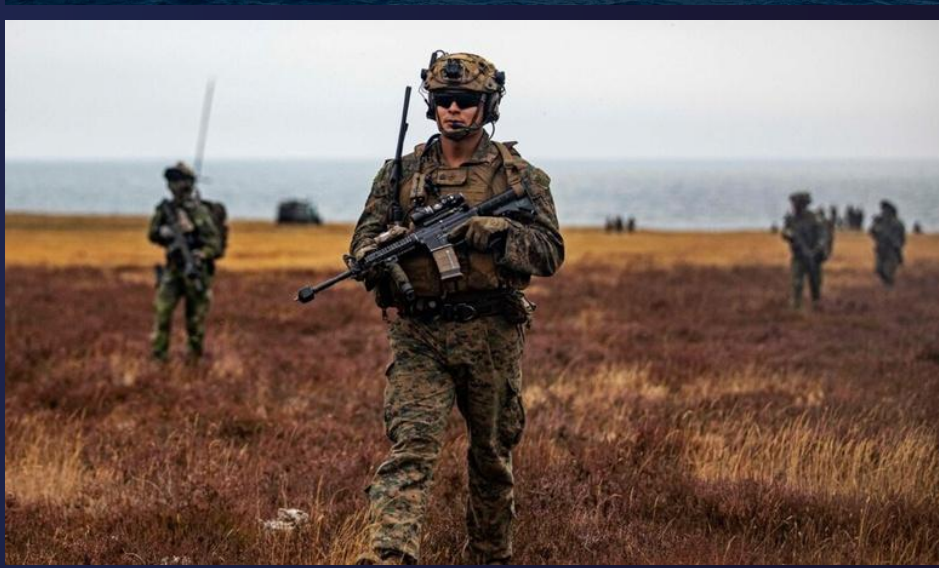
SERVICE ASSIGNMENTS

CLASS OF 2026 SERVICE ASSIGNMENTS

URL Unrestricted Line	Assigned
Explosive Ordnance Disposal	18
Naval Special Warfare	30
Naval Flight Officer	64
Navy Pilot	237
Submarines	132
Surface Warfare	201
SWO (Engineering Duty Officer)	13
SWO (Oceanography)	5
SWO (Nuclear)	41
United States Marine Corps (USMC) Ground	178
USMC Pilot	81
USMC Cyber	8

IWL Information Warfare Line	Assigned
Cryptologic Warfare	8
Cyber Warfare Engineer	6
Maritime Cyber Warfare Officer	8
Information Professional	6
Intelligence	5
Oceanography	3

Special Duty/ Staff Corps	Assigned
Aviation Maintenance Duty Officer	1
Civil Engineering Corps	7
Medical/Dental	4
Supply Corps	7



VARSITY SPORTS:

NCAA DIVISION 1-A LEVEL



MEN

- Baseball
- Basketball
- Cross Country
- Football
- Golf
- Gymnastics
- Lightweight Crew
- Heavyweight Crew
- Lacrosse
- Soccer
- Sprint Football
- Squash
- Swimming / Diving
- Tennis
- Track (Indoor & outdoor)
- Water Polo
- Wrestling
- Rugby

WOMEN

- Basketball
- Crew
- Cross Country
- Lacrosse
- Soccer
- Swimming / Diving
- Tennis
- Track (Indoor & Outdoor)
- Volleyball
- Golf
- Rugby
- Triathlon

CO-ED

- Intercollegiate Sailing
- Offshore Sailing
- Rifle



CLUB SPORTS

MEN

- Ice Hockey
- Lacrosse
- Volleyball

WOMEN

- Softball
- Ice Hockey

CO-ED

- Cycling
- Fencing
- Judo
- Karate
- Marathon
- Pistol
- Powerlifting
- Triathlon
- Boxing



INTRAMURAL SPORTS/ OTHER ATHLETIC ACTIVITIES

FALL / SPRING / SUMMER

7 Sports Voted Each Season

- Flag Football
- Basketball
- Ultimate Frisbee
- Soccer
- Street Hockey
- Combat Fitness
- Racquetball
- Volleyball
- Softball
- Lacrosse

ATHLETIC ACTIVITIES

- Brigade Boxing
- Climbing Wall
- 10K Run
- Sailing
- Wrestling
- Brigade Training Team (BTT)
- Clinics and Mentorship Program (CAMP)
- Sea Trials Prep
- Brigade Fitness Instructor Team (BFIT)





EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

ACADEMIC

- American Nuclear Society
- Debate Team
- Foreign Affairs Conference
- Model United Nations
- Oceanography Club
- Society of Military Engineers
- Navy Space
- Golden Key National Honor Society
- Math Club
- Navy Medicine Club
- Investment Club

MILITARY PROFESSIONAL

- Combat Arms team
- Dolphin Club (Submarines)
- Flying
- Infantry Skills team
- Scuba
- Semper Fi Society
- Silent Drill

MUSIC

- Church choirs
- Drum and Bugle Corps
- Glee Club
- Gospel Choir
- Masquerader
- String Ensemble
- Pipes and Drums

SERVICE

- Lucky Bag (yearbook)
- Midshipmen Action Group
- Nat. Eagle Scout Association
- Trident Newspaper
- Tutoring

RELIGIOUS

- Baptist Student Union
- Campus Crusade for Christ
- Fellowship of Christian Athletes
- Catholic Midshipmen
- Jewish Midshipmen
- Muslim Midshipmen
- Freethinkers & Atheists



INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE

**SEMESTER STUDY
ABROAD PROGRAM**

**LANGUAGE IMMERSION
PROGRAMS**

CULTURAL OPPORTUNITIES

**PROFESSIONAL TRAINING WITH
FOREIGN NAVIES**

INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE



SEMESTER STUDY ABROAD



SHORT DURATION PROGRAMS



**FOUR YEAR INTERNATIONAL
MIDSHIPMEN/OFFICERS**

SUMMER TRAINING



Year	Vacation (4 weeks)	Fleet Cruise (4 weeks)	Leadership Development (4 weeks)
4/C (Freshman)	• Summer Vacation • Summer School • Internships	Plebe Summer	Plebe Summer
3/C (Sophomore)		Career Exposure	Sailing or Yard Patrol, Leadership Detail, Foreign Exchange
2/C (Junior)		Day In The Life Of Fleet Sailors	Sailing or Yard Patrol, Leadership Detail, Foreign Exchange
1/C (Senior)		Officer Experience	Sailing or Yard Patrol, Leadership Detail, Foreign Exchange

PAY AND BENEFITS

- All Midshipmen receive: Full Scholarship
 - Tuition
 - Room and board
 - Medical & Dental coverage
- Midshipmen stipend (\$1,399.80/month)
 - Pay grows through the years; \$200 - \$500 per month depending on grade

GRADUATION AND SERVICE

- Graduate with a Bachelor of Science
- Commissioned as an Officer in the US Navy or Marine Corps
- Minimum 5 year service commitment



SUMMER PROGRAMS



SUMMER STEM



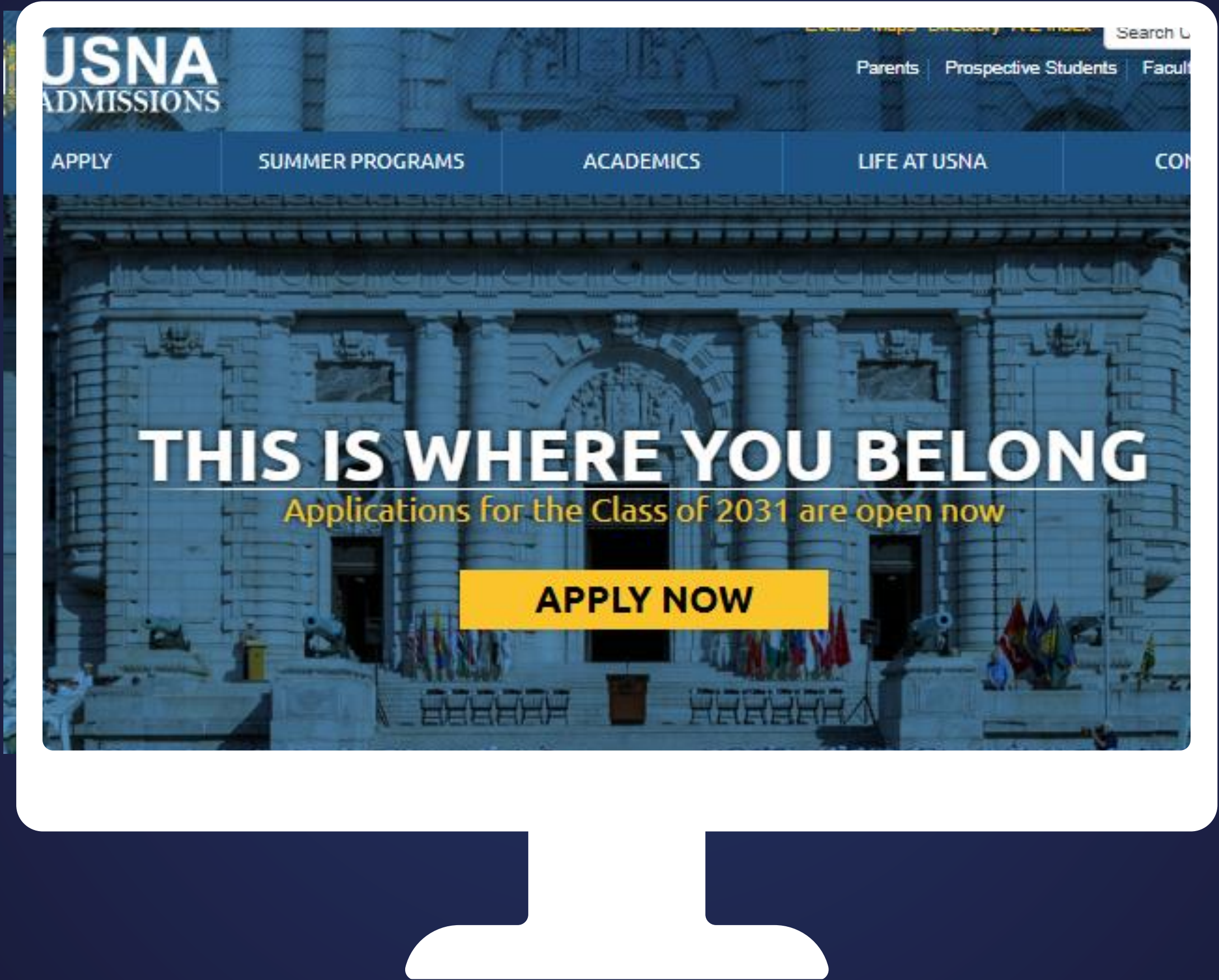
- Hands-on academic program exposing rising 9th, 10th, and 11th grade students to the possibility of a STEM career
- 6-day in person program in June
- Taught by professors and Midshipmen in USNA facilities
- Applications for STEM will open January 2027
- Program fee is \$750 with financial aid available for program fee and travel.





SUMMER SEMINAR

- 6-day in person program for high school students during the summer between Junior and Senior year
- Rising seniors attend and experience life at USNA
- Not a requirement for application to USNA
- Applications for NASS will open January 2027
- Program fee is \$575 with financial aid available for program fee and travel.





THE ONLINE APPLICATION

1. Personal statement
2. Candidate Fitness Assessment (CFA)
3. Candidate Activities Record (Extra Curriculars)
4. Candidate Academic Information (CAI)
5. Math Recommendation (completed by previous or current year teacher)
6. English Recommendation (completed by previous or current year teacher)
7. Other School Official Recommendation (Primary ECA such as: Coach, JROTC Inst., Music Director, etc)
8. High School/College Transcript (Uploaded by the counselor when submitting the CAI)
9. Official SAT, ACT, or CLT scores
10. Blue and Gold Officer (BGO) Interview
11. DODMERB Medical Examination
12. Nomination

APPLICATION COMPONENTS



ADMISSIONS BOARD QUALIFIED

1. Personal Statement
2. Candidate Activities Record (ECAs)
3. Candidate Academic Information
4. Math Rec
5. English Rec
6. Other School Official Rec
7. SAT/ ACT/ CLT Scores
8. High School Transcript
9. Blue & Gold Officer Interview

Deadline:
January 31st



PHYSICALLY QUALIFIED

Candidate Fitness Assessment (CFA)

- Pull-Ups
- Push-Ups
- Crunches
- Basketball Throw
- Shuttle Run
- 1-mile Run

Deadline:
January 31st



MEDICAL QUALIFICATION

DODMERB Qualified

- Initiated by the Service Academies, Managed by DODMERB

Deadline:
ASAP



NOMINATION

Obtain at least 1 Nomination

- Congressional Nomination
 - Information can be found on Congressional websites
- Service Connected Nominations

Deadline:

- **Congressional Nominations-**
Office dependent
- **Service Connected Nominations-**
January 31st



APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

PHYSICAL QUALIFICATION

Candidate Fitness Assessment

- Basketball Throw
- Pull-Ups
- 40 Yard Shuttle Run
- Sit-Ups
- Push-Ups
- 1-Mile Run

Administered By

- Physical Education Teacher
- Active Duty Commissioned Officers
- BGO
- Team Coach
- (J)ROTC Instructors
- USNA Admissions Staff



MEDICAL QUALIFICATION

**Open USNA
Application**



**Show progress
towards completion**



**Admissions sends name to
DoDMERB**



**DoDMERB reaches
out via email with
instructions**



NOMINATIONS

- Nominations are required for admission into USNA
- Most students eligible to apply to at least 4 nomination sources:
 - Vice President
 - Both U.S. Senators
 - Congressional Representative or delegate (US Territories)

Congressional Nominations

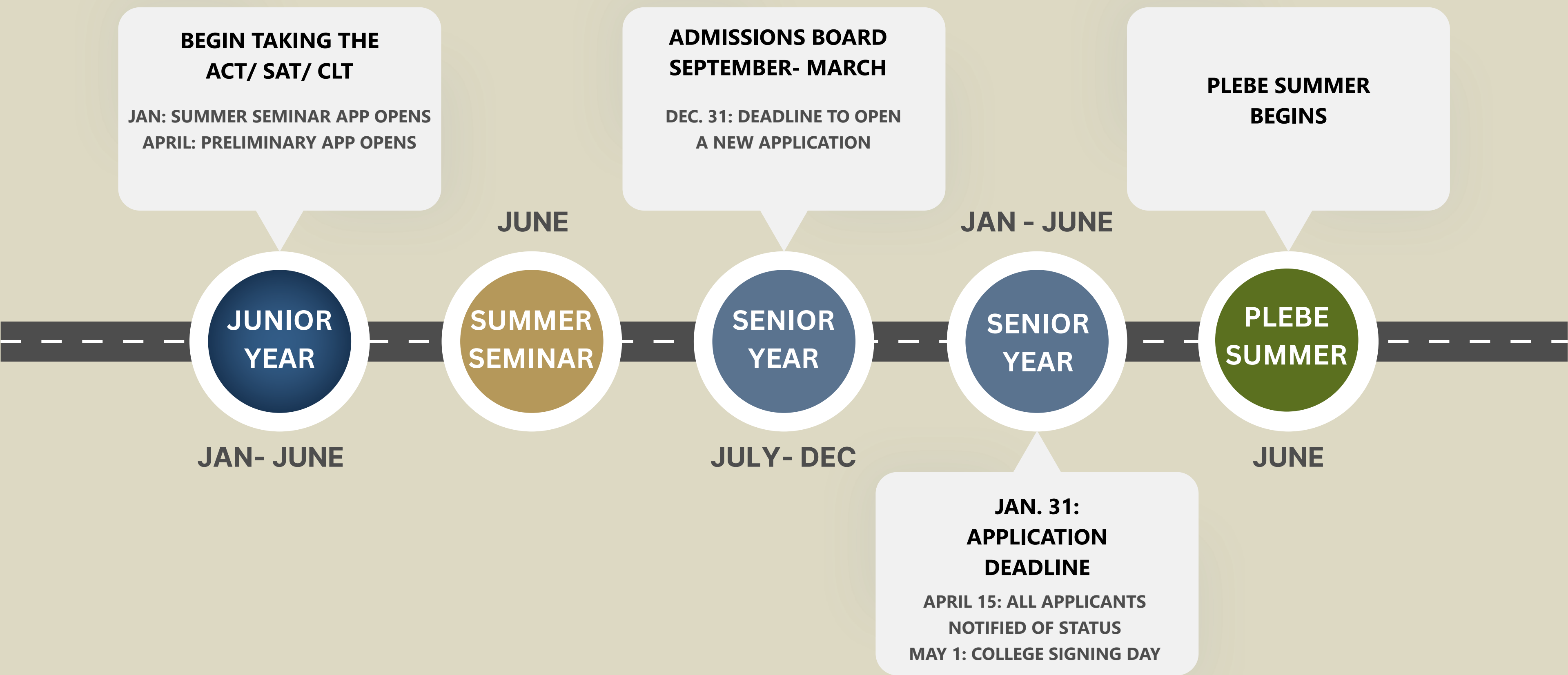
- Domicile requirement
- Varying deadlines
 - Check your nominating sources for individual deadlines
- Congressional websites are the best source of information

Service Connected Nominations

- January 31st deadline
- Presidential
- ROTC/JROTC
- Children of Deceased or Disabled Veterans, POW, MIA
- Children of Medal of Honor Recipients
- Navy and Marine Corps

Go to www.usna.edu/admissions for eligibility requirements.

THE CANDIDATE ROADMAP



ADMISSIONS PROCESS

- **STRONG FOUNDATION IN MATH AND SCIENCE**

- ALGEBRA, GEOMETRY, TRIGONOMETRY, PRE-CALCULUS & CALCULUS
- CHEMISTRY AND PHYSICS (WITH A LAB IF POSSIBLE)

- **NO MINIMUM GPA**

- STRIVE TO BE IN AT LEAST THE TOP 20% OF YOUR HIGH SCHOOL CLASS

- **WELL-ROUNDED**

- DEMONSTRATED LEADERSHIP POTENTIAL
- ACTIVE IN ATHLETIC AND NON-ATHLETIC ACTIVITIES

- **TAKE YOUR SAT/ ACT / CLT EARLY AND OFTEN (NO MINIMUM)**

- **AP / HONORS / IB COURSES ENCOURAGED**

PRELIMINARY
APPLICATION

1

OFFICIAL
CANDIDATE

2

- ADMISSIONS BOARD
- PHYSICALLY QUALIFY
- MEDICALLY QUALIFY
- OBTAIN A NOMINATION

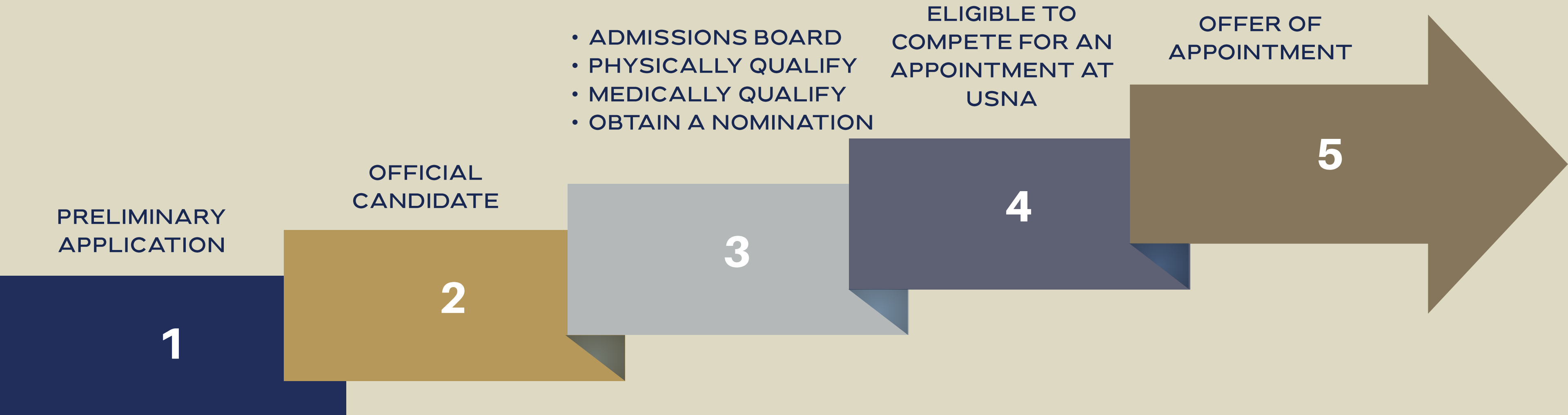
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ELIGIBLE TO
COMPETE FOR AN
APPOINTMENT AT
USNA

4

OFFER OF
APPOINTMENT

5





PREPARATORY SCHOOLS

NAVAL ACADEMY PREP SCHOOL

- LOCATED IN NEWPORT, RHODE ISLAND
- ~230 - 250 STUDENTS, SAILORS, AND MARINES

FOUNDATION/ CIVILIAN PREP PROGRAM

- 16 CIVILIAN/ MILITARY PREP SCHOOLS ACROSS THE NATION
- ~40 - 50 STUDENTS

NO SEPARATE APPLICATION



TOP 5 REASONS TO GO NAVY



1

FULL
SCHOLARSHIP



2

GUARANTEED
EMPLOYMENT



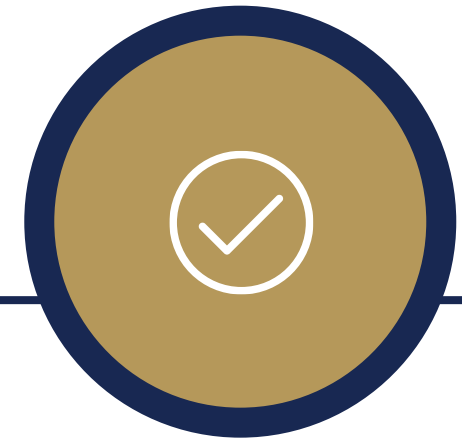
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LOCATION



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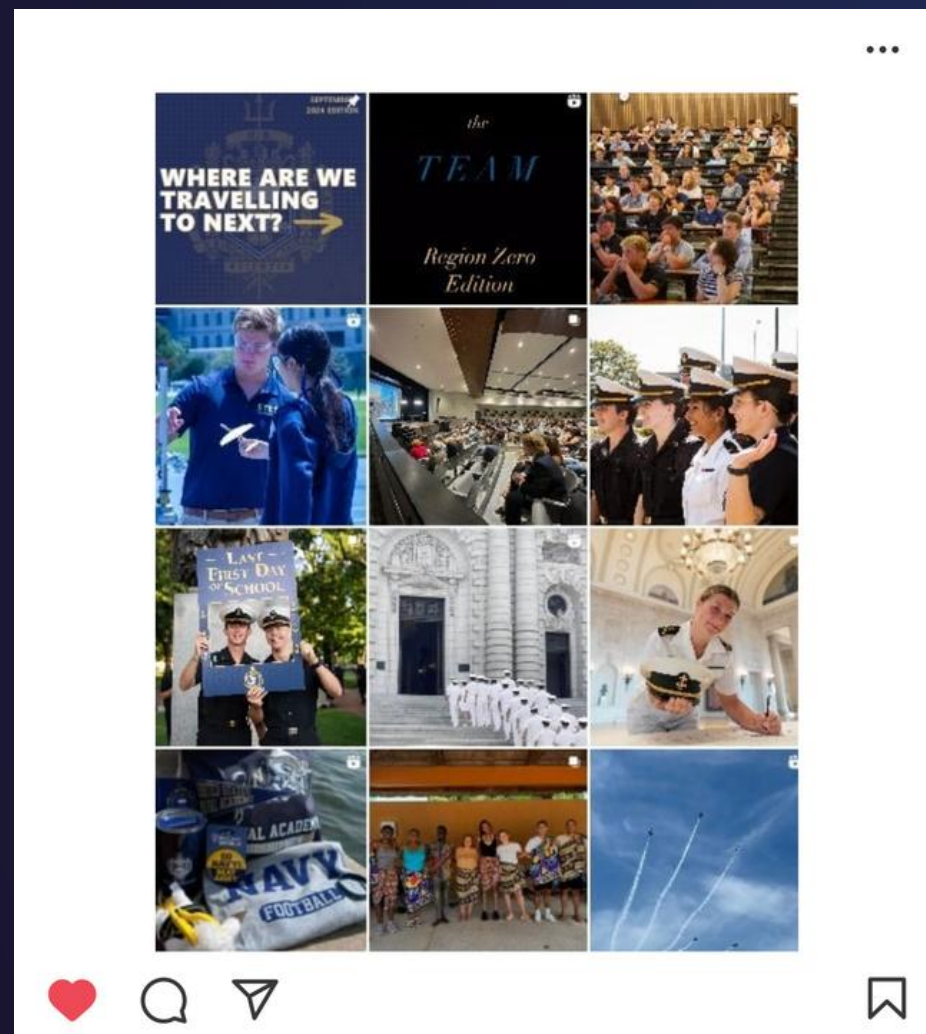
LEADERSHIP
AND
CHARACTER
DEVELOPMENT



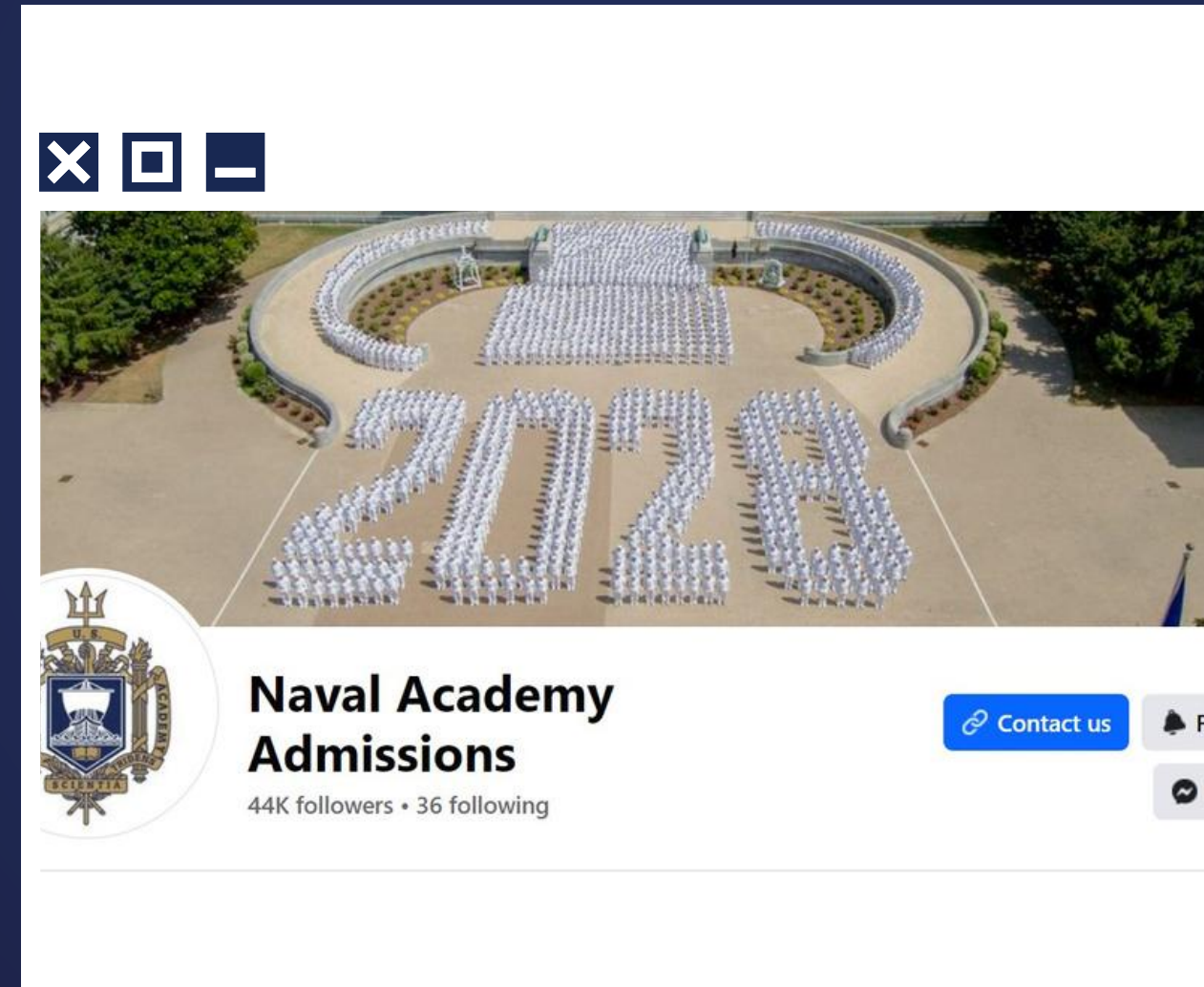
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89%
GRADUATION
RATE

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INFORMATION

