

Who Is Eligible for DANTES-Funded CLEP® Exams?

Examinee Funded by DANTES

ID Required

Active Duty Military

- Air Force
- Army
- Marine Corps
- Navy
- Coast Guard
- National Guard and Reserve Component

Funded – one attempt per exam title

- Off-Base Non-Fully Funded test centers: exam fee only
- On-Base and Off-Base Fully Funded test centers: exam and administration fees

- Uniformed Services Geneva Conventions Common Access Card (CAC)

Spouses and Civil Service Civilian Employees of:

- Air Force Reserve
- Army Reserve
- Coast Guard

Funded – one attempt per exam title

- Off-Base Non-Fully Funded test centers: exam fee only
- On-Base and Off-Base Fully Funded test centers: exam and administration fees

- Uniformed Services Identification and Privilege Card (DD Form 1173)
- DoD Guard and Reserve Family Member Identification and Privilege Card (DD Form 1173-1)

DoD Civilian Employees of:

- Air Force

Funded – one attempt per exam title

- On-Base and Off-Base Fully Funded* test centers: exam and administration fees

- Uniformed Services Identification and Privilege Card (DD Form 1173)

Examinees NOT Funded by DANTES

- **Veterans**
- **Dependents of Active Duty Military**
- **Inactive Guard or Reserve, Coast Guard Auxiliary**
- **DoD Acquisition Workforce Personnel**
- **Spouses and Civil Service Civilian Employees of Air National Guard and Army National Guard**
- **Spouses of Other Active Duty Military:** Air Force Spouses, Army Spouses, Marine Corps Spouses, Marine Corps Reserve Spouses, Navy and Navy Reserve Spouses

Retest Policy

The U.S. government pays for one attempt per CLEP examination title. If military candidates want to retake an exam previously funded by DANTES, they must reregister for the same exam title as self-funded candidates and wait the requisite period of time.

For questions regarding eligibility for DANTES-funded testing, contact exams@navy.mil.

*DoD Air Force civilian employees will not be funded at international test centers. However, they will be funded at on-base national test centers overseas.

DANTES-Funded Government ID Verification

Spouses of the **Air Force Reserve** or **Army Reserve** with the **DD Form 1173 Uniformed Services Identification and Privilege Card**



Spouses of the **Coast Guard** or **Coast Guard Reserve** with a **DD Form 1173-1 Department of Defense Guard and Reserve Family Member Identification and Privilege Card**



Military personnel with the **New Geneva Conventions Identification Card** are eligible for DANTES-funded testing. The new CAC will have **“Geneva Conventions Identification Card”** across the bottom, **“United States Government”** in the upper left-hand corner, and to the right of the photo **“Uniformed Services”** with the branch of Service: **Air Force, Army, Coast Guard, Marine Corps, or Navy.**

Civil Service Civilian employees with the **New Geneva Conventions Identification Card** are eligible for DANTES-funded testing. The new CAC will have **“Geneva Conventions Identification Card”** across the bottom, **“United States Government”** in the upper left-hand corner, and to the right of the photo **“Uniformed Services”** with the branch of Service: **Air Force Reserve, Army Reserve, Coast Guard, Coast Guard Reserve, or Air Force.**

Samples of the front and back of the CAC Identification Card can be found below.

