

Release a Man to Fight at Sea!

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JOIN THE WAVES NOW!



The WAVES is an organization of women whose job is to replace Navy men at shore stations.

As a member of the WAVES you can wear the same Navy blue, win the same ratings and earn the same pay as America's finest fighting men.

And you'll hold the same shore jobs that are now filled by men. At Navy bases throughout the continental United States WAVES do all types of office work. They also are needed to fill jobs in radio, communications, storekeeping. Some are for important posts in mechanics and aviation ground work—as machinists, for example, or as operators of the Link Trainer, that amazing device which teaches future Navy pilots the principles of flying. Other women are needed for various special or technical positions.

Whatever your work, wherever you go, you can be sure that you are performing a very real, very vital service for your country. It won't be any picnic. It's not a part-time "glamour" job—and it's not meant to be. You are as much a member of the service as any man with the fleet. It's full-time work. It will be hard work. But as you are the sort of woman who loves America and honors the brave men fighting to keep it free, it's work you'll be proud to do.

Never in history have American women been offered such a chance to serve their country. Never has there been such an urgent need for their service. Join the WAVES now; get full information by personal call today!

Any Questions About the WAVES?

You'll Find the Answers Here:

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| <p>1 Q. As a WAVE will I be expected to serve overseas?</p> <p>A. The law passed by Congress limits your service to the continental limits of the United States.</p> | <p>7 Q. When do I get my uniform?</p> <p>A. After you arrive at training school. However you should bring enough civilian clothing for a week or two.</p> |
| <p>2 Q. What is the term of enlistment?</p> <p>A. For the duration of the war. You will be discharged within six months after the war ends.</p> | <p>8 Q. Will there be religious services?</p> <p>A. Yes. Each training school will make appropriate arrangements.</p> |
| <p>3 Q. When does my pay begin?</p> <p>A. The day you report to training school.</p> | <p>9 Q. Can an enlisted woman ever work up to a commission?</p> <p>A. Yes. Your application will be judged on demonstrated capacity and ability.</p> |
| <p>4 Q. If I have no special training, will I be eligible?</p> <p>A. Yes. In addition to women with specialized training, the WAVES definitely want women of high caliber but no special training.</p> | <p>10 Q. What is the difference between the uniform of an enlisted woman and that of an Officer?</p> <p>A. Little difference—except for hat, gold buttons instead of blue. Officers wear white shirts for dress, blue for work. Enlisted women wear reserve blue or dark blue shirts.</p> |
| <p>5 Q. Do I pay my own way to training school?</p> <p>A. No. Your transportation is paid by the Navy.</p> | <p>11 Q. Can an enlisted woman request training in a particular field—for instance, radio—even if she has had no previous training in that field?</p> <p>A. Yes. But it cannot be guaranteed that the request will be granted.</p> |
| <p>6 Q. How long will my training period be?</p> <p>A. The training period will average about four months.</p> | <p>12 Q. If I am under 21 and my parents consent, can I enlist?</p> <p>A. You may enlist if you are over 20 or have not reached your 28th birthday.</p> |

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