

Armed Forces Classification Test (AFCT) Information

MCO 1230.5C

The AFCT is comprised of 10-subtests designed to measure Verbal, Math, Science, Technical, and Spatial skills. The computer-based exam menu will be displayed as follows.

NO	SUBTEST SECTIONS	NO. OF QUESTIONS	TIME ALLOTTED
1	(GS) – General Science	15	8 min
2	(AR) – Arithmetic Reasoning	15	39 min
3	(WK) – Word Knowledge	15	8 min
4	(PC) – Paragraph Comprehension	10	22 min
5	(MK) – Mathematics knowledge	15	18 min
6	(EI) – Electronics Information	15	8 min
7	(AI) – Auto Information	10	6 min
8	(SI) – Shop Information	10	5 min
9	(MC) – Mechanical Comprehension	15	20 min
10	(AO) – Assembling Objects	15 or 45	12 min-48 min

The AFCT is an adaptive test that adjusts exam questions to the ability/skill level of the examinee. The exam begins with fundamental questions of average difficulty. If the first question is answered correctly, the program will progress to a more difficult question. If the two questions are answered incorrectly, the program will present an easier question.

FOR MARINE PERSONNEL ONLY		COMPOSITE SCORES	Maximum Composite Scores
1	AFQT – Armed Forces Qualification Test	2 x VE + AR + MK	AFQT – 99
2	GT – General Technical	WK + PC + AR + MC	GT – 151
3	MM – Mechanical Maintenance	AR + EI + MC + AI + SI	MM – 161
4	EL – Electronics Repair	AR + MK + EI + GS	EL – 151
5	CL – Clerical / Administration	WK + PC + MK	CL - 141
6	VE - Verbal	WK + PC	

The Testing Office does not have access to AFCT scores. Scores are issued approximately 14-21 days after exam administration and will be posted in MCTFS (3270), via the Unit Diary. Marines submitting packages for various USMC programs should anticipate the delay in scores and schedule exams accordingly. RUSH SCORING DOES NOT EXIST!

AFCT exams are administered on second Friday of the month by appointment only. CMC mandates all Marine personnel, enlisted and officer, must provide an authorization letter signed by their BATTALION or SQUADRON Commanding Officer requesting a retake of the AFCT. Other unit Commanding Officers must write “by direction” below their names. A “CERTIFIED TRUE COPY” of previous AFCT scores must accompany authorization letter. AFCT registration form, sample letter and MCTFS form is available from the Testing Office or online at <http://mccshawaii.com/edcenter/> under “Testing.” The testing center cannot schedule or test any military members without providing the correct paperwork. Current Common Access Card (CAC) is required for all testing. NO MILITARY ID, NO TESTING. The “Uniform of the Day” is Cammies or Service Uniforms.

TEST PREPARATION SITE

<http://www.nelnetsolutions.com/DantesNet/> (Math & English Refresher (OASC & CPST))

<http://www.4tests.com/asvab> (free practice test)

http://www.testprepreview.com/asvab_practice.htm (scroll down and take free practice test)

<http://www.english-test.net/asvab/> (Focuses on English section)

<http://a4esl.org/q/h/grammar.html> (easy-to-navigate grammar practice sites)

<http://www.chompchomp.com> (easy-to-navigate grammar practice sites)

<http://grammar.ccc.commnet.edu/grammar> (easy-to-navigate grammar practice sites)

<http://www.math.com/> (math prep site)

<http://a4esl.org/q/h/grammar.html> (self-study grammar quizzes)

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