



The USNA Mission

To develop Midshipmen morally, mentally and physically and to imbue them with the highest ideals of duty, honor and loyalty in order to graduate leaders who are dedicated to a career of naval service and have potential for future development in mind and character to assume the high responsibilities of command, citizenship and government.



TOURING THE YARD

Welcome! Great moments and heroes in American history are represented throughout the Yard in statues, paintings, ship models and artifacts. The Naval Academy is accessible through the Gate 1 pedestrian entrances on Randall Street and Prince George Street. Visitors 18 and older must show a photo ID. Once on the yard, please proceed to the right to enter the Quarterdeck upon exiting security, continue along to the Visitor Center and Gift Shop!

1 Arnel-Lefkovich Visitor Center & Gift Shop
Visitors to the Naval Academy are welcomed as they enter the Halsey Bidd House on the way to the Arnel-Lefkovich Visitor Center. The exhibit includes current-day photos and videos of academy life; a USNA Featured Graduates screen; interactive videos; and an Alumni Association directory. The visitor center houses an information desk, free film, Naval Academy Guide Service, additional exhibits and the official Naval Academy Gift Shop.

2 Admissions
Located on the second deck of the Visitor Center. The Office of Admissions is open to the public and candidates interested in applying to the Naval Academy. Admissions briefings are held Monday through Saturday at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. except for federal holidays.

3 Richetti Hall, NAAAT Ticket Office
Tickets for Navy Athletics are sold here. The building also houses Naval Academy Athletic Association (NAAA) offices, a variety athletic training complex, and football locker room.

4 Lejeune Physical Education Center
The Athletic Hall of Fame, an Olympic-size pool and a wrestling arena are located here.

5 The Commodore Uriah P. Levy Center and Jewish Chapel
The Levy Center supports the moral development of midshipmen with a beautiful chapel in the East Wing and a character learning center in the West Wing. It also provides a fellowship hall and place of study and reflection for midshipmen of all faiths.

6 Dahlgren Hall
The Drydock Restaurant is open to the public and a great place to see ship and aircraft memorabilia. Midshipment social activities are often held here. Hanging above the second deck is a model of a Wright B-1 Flyer.

7 T-Court
The Indian Chief Tamancend stands watch over the site of noon meal formations for the Brigade of Midshipmen, normally held at 12:05 p.m. weekdays during the academic year, schedule and weather permitting.

8 Bancroft Hall
Bancroft Hall is the largest dormitory in the U.S. The rounda and a sample midshipment room are open to the public, as well as Memorial Hall and a copy of the famous "Don't Give Up The Ship" flag.

9 Main Chapel
Located on a high point in the Yard, with a sweeping view of the Severn River, the chapel was dedicated in 1908 and contains Catholic and Protestant services which are open to the public. Beautiful stained glass windows were designed by Tiffany and Gorham Studios.

Crypt of John Paul Jones
One of the greatest Revolutionary War naval heroes, Jones is enshrined beneath the chapel. His remains, brought to America in 1905 after 113 years of obscurity in a Parisian cemetery, were found by General Horace Porter, U.S. Ambassador to France.

10 U.S. Naval Academy Museum, Preble Hall
The museum contains historic treasures, including paintings and artifacts. The exhibit "Leadership and Service: The History of the U.S. Navy and USNA" is located on the first floor; the Rogers Collection of antique ship models is on the second floor. The museum also features nautical books, prints, models and gifts.

11 1845 Coffee Shop
Located in one of the oldest buildings on the Naval Academy Yard, the historic Gate 3 Gatehouse, 1845 Coffee proudly serves Ceremony Coffee Roasters Coffee. Stop by for a specialty espresso, cold nitro brew, Kombucha or various waters and juices. 1845 Coffee also features fresh baked goods and various Naval Academy merchandise. There are additional locations inside the Midstate and Hopper Hall for midshipmen and approved visitors.

Gate 1 Visitor Entrance
Visit exhibits in the Quarterdeck
Proceed to Arnel-Lefkovich Visitor Center
Photo ID required

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- Entrances for handicapped
- Restrooms with facilities for handicapped
- Dining open to public (No picnics on the Yard)
- Restrooms
- Open to public
- Parking for those with USNA IDs, DoD credentials or handicapped tags

