## WHY JOIN THE DEFENCE FORCES?



#### PAY RATES

INCLUDING MILITARY SERVICE ALLOWANCE

Salaries progress on an incremental scale to a maximum point for each rank.



#### GRADUATE CADET

on commissioning

€49,505

#### SCHOOL LEAVER CADET

on commissioning

€44,222

#### RECRUIT ON COMPLETION

of basic training (approx. 24 weeks)

**€40,321** 



#### **RECRUITMENT PATHWAY**

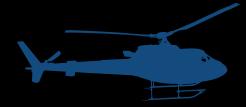
TRAINEE MILITARY AIRCRAFT SYSTEMS TECHNICIAN

Air Corps



#### **RECRUIT**

Army, Naval Service & Air Corps



#### **CADETSHIP**

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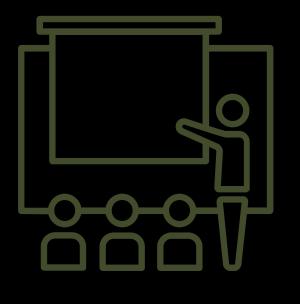
#### **DIRECT ENTRY**

Skilled, qualified professionals in technical fields



#### WE PROVIDE THE TRAINING

required for career advancement and promotion opportunities.



#### TRAIN TOGETHER, WORK TOGETHER

We commit to a working environment in which all members are treated fairly and respectfully, have equality of opportunities and resources.



#### WE VALUE YOUR FUTURE

#### Opportunities for frequent





to higher ranks & to qualify for

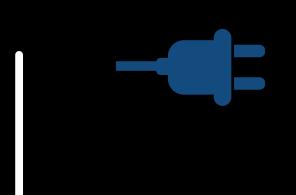
additional allowances

### EDUCATION & PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT



## TECHNICIAN TRAINING (APPRENTICESHIPS)

Available for enlisted personnel.









#### PHYSICAL SUPPORTS

We value the health and wellbeing of our Army, Naval Service and Air Corps personnel.

All members of the Permanent Defence Forces have access to MEDICAL and DENTAL care as well as PHARMACY and PHYSIOTHERAPY services.









## FITNESS TRAINING & SPORTS FACILITIES

We must be fit to fight.

We have state of the art fitness and training facilities. Our PT staff are trained to the highest levels to maintain a fit fighting force.



20+ Sports Teams & Clubs



#### MAKE A DIFFERENCE

#### OVERSEAS SERVICE

Our troops have kept the peace in over 200 countries worldwide since 1958.



Tax Free Overseas Duty
Allowance which can start at

**€15,000** 

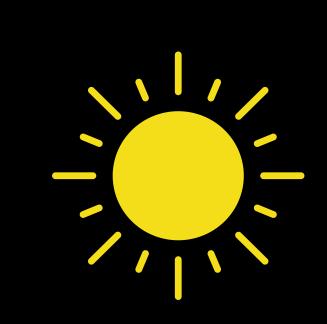
Overseas deployments of 6 months. Family Friendly option of 3 months available.



#### **PENSION**

All serving members of the Permanent Defence Forces are members of a Public Pension Scheme

#### ANNUAL LEAVE



- Public holidays
- DF holidays
- Paid sick leave
- Study leave
- Parental leave
- Special leave on return from overseas missions



Fully paid statutory leave such as Adoptive, Maternity & Paternity Leave.



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