ROYAL NAVY RATINGS AND ROYAL MARINES COMMANDOS



RATES OF PAY FROM 1 APRIL 2012

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ROYAL NAVY	SALARY
On entry	£14,145
After 26 weeks' training or completion of phase 2 (whichever is sooner) increasing to Leading Rating	£17,515

You could go on to earn	
Able Rating	£17,515 to £28,940
Leading Rating	£27,592 to £33,182
Petty Officer	£32,756 to £36,929
Chief Petty Officer / Warrant Officer 2	£33,223 to £43,252
Warrant Officer 1	£38,600 to £46,753

ROYAL MARINES	
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Marine	£17,515 to £28,940
Corporal	£27,592 to £33,182
Sergeant	£32,756 to £36,929
Colour Sergeant / Warrant Officer 2	£33,223 to £43,252
Warrant Officer 1	£38,600 to £46,753

QUEEN ALEXANDRA'S ROYAL NAVAL NURSING SERVICE	
Student nurses (weeks 1 to 26) and qualified nurses on joining	£15,233
Student nurses (after week 26)	£17,515
Qualified nurses (on completion of initial Professional courses THP and PBPQC)	£28,697 to £34,509

HOW YOU GET PAID

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ADDITIONAL FORMS OF PAY

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Flying pay:

Awarded to Pilots and Observers on completion of professional training. Ranges from £13.93 on qualifying up to a maximum of £37.58 a day.

Other

Additional forms of pay are awarded to Divers, Hydrographers, Nurses and for a few other very specialist activities.

Longer separation allowance:

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Retention bonuses:

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BURSARIES	
Defence Technical Undergraduate Scheme (DTUS)	£4000 a year
Other engineering bursars	£4000 a year
All other bursars	£1500 a year

NON GRADUATE ANNUAL BASIC PAY	SALARY
Midshipman / 2nd Lieutenant	£16,073
On passing out of Britannia Royal Naval College /	£24,615
Commando Training Centre Royal Marines increasing to	

GRADUATE ANNUAL BASIC PAY	
Sub Lieutenant / 2nd Lieutenant	£29,587 to £32,703

You could go on to earn	
Lieutenant / Captain	£37,916 to £45,090
Lieutenant Commander / Major	£47,760 to £57,199
Commander / Lieutenant Colonel	£67,032 to £77,617
Captain / Colonel	£81,310 to £89,408

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SURGEON SUB LIEUTENANT (MEDICAL AND DENTAL CADETS)	SALARY
First year	£15,233
Second year	£17,073
Third year	£18,921

ACTING SURGEON LIEUTENANT	SALARY
Pre-registration Medical Practitioner	£40,728

SURGEON LIEUTENANT	SALARY
On promotion	£53,803 to £66,938
One year's seniority	£55,050 to £68,415
Two year's seniority	£56,570 to £69,879
Three year's seniority	£58,102 to £71,371
Four year's seniority	£59,626 to £72,848

SURGEON LIEUTENANT COMMANDER / SURGEON COMMANDER / SURGEON CAPTAIN	SALARY
Non-accredited	£64,398 to £96,972
General Medical / Dental Practitioner	£96,261 to £122,378
Consultant	£76,283 to £131,166
General Medical / Dental Practitioner Trainer pay	£7670

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE DISTINCTION AWARDS	SALARY
Level B	£16,126
Level A	£40,315
Level A+	£60,470

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Aircrew pay:

Ranges from £7.28 on qualifying up to a maximum of £19.98 a day.

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