



UNITED STATES
SPACE FORCE



SPACE FORCE MISSION

Space is critical to our way of life and vital to our modern way of war. The U.S. Space Force organizes, trains and equips space forces to protect our national security interests in the space domain.

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Our biggest task is to ensure that when Sailors, Soldiers, Airmen and Marines need space, when they need GPS (the Global Positioning System), when they need communications, those space-based capabilities are always available ... always above.

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General John Raymond
Chief of Space Operations



TECHNOLOGY DRIVEN

Space power has been an American birthright for more than 60 years, but it is not a guarantee. Without warning, the space-enabled technology we depend upon could be crippled or even destroyed. We must maintain space superiority to protect our space assets from a rising number of terrestrial and space-based threats.

Guardians execute operations with unprecedented speed, agility and boldness. Digital dominance is built into their DNA. And Guardians unleash their talent and energy toward innovative solutions.

With intercontinental ballistic missiles and anti-satellite weapons aimed at the United States 24/7, an advanced intelligence/surveillance/reconnaissance network can detect activity on the ground or in space that poses a potential or imminent threat. That space-enabled warning function has, and will continue to, save lives.



PROTECTING OUR WAY OF LIFE

GPS, cell phones, internet, computer networks, banks, hospitals, airports, electric power grids, and cities — more than 4 billion people all around the globe rely on satellite technology every day.

The Space Force is not only expanding the number of advanced military satellites to support our joint and coalition forces around the world, but this new military service is also continually upgrading capabilities to monitor and protect the more than three dozen commercial satellite constellations that enable life as we know it.

Guardians constantly track more than 27,000 objects circling Earth and issue warnings to maneuver satellites into safe orbits to avoid collision. At speeds of 17,000 mph, just one small piece, less than the size of a dime, can destroy a satellite. And they launch space capabilities from a number of locations, including Vandenberg Air Force Base, California; and Cape Canaveral Space Force Station, Florida.

Space Force Guardians work every day to keep the space domain safe and accessible in order to ensure that our military and the American people never have to experience a day without space.

CAREER OPTIONS

The Space Force includes officer and enlisted career fields that each bring unique and vital contributions to the Space Force mission.

OFFICER

- Acquisitions Officer
- Aerospace Engineer
- Astronautical Engineer
- Computer Engineer
- Cyber Warfare Officer
- Electrical Engineer
- General Engineer
- Human Engineer
- Intelligence Officer
- Mechanical Engineer
- Space Operations Officer

ENLISTED

- All Source Intelligence
- Cable and Antenna Systems
- Computer Systems Programming
- Cyber Surety
- Client Systems
- Cyber Systems Operations
- Cyber Transport Systems
- Geospatial Intelligence
- Intelligence Analyst
- Knowledge Operations Management
- Radio Frequency Transmission Systems
- Signals Intelligence Analyst
- Space Systems Operations
- Targeting Analyst

(Your recruiter can provide you with complete information on available career options and their specific requirements and qualifications.)

BASE LOCATIONS

Although Space Force members may be deployed around the world, typical base assignments are located in the United States.

- Buckley Air Force Base, Colorado
- Cape Canaveral Space Force Station, Florida
- Los Angeles AFB, California
- Patrick Space Force Base, Florida
- Peterson AFB, Colorado
- Schriever AFB, Colorado
- Vandenberg AFB, California



BENEFITS

Along with gaining high-tech job skills, Space Force Guardians receive a variety of benefits.

- 30 days of vacation with pay each year
- Up to 100 percent college tuition assistance
- Comprehensive medical care
- Tax-free food, clothing, and housing allowances
- Base exchange (department store) and commissary (grocery store) privileges
- Use of base fitness centers and other recreational facilities
- A chance to live, work, and travel worldwide
- Generous retirement system with a Thrift Savings Plan similar to a 401(k)

UNIVERSE OF POSSIBILITIES

When you become a member of the U.S. Space Force, you'll discover there's a universe of possibilities, that until recently, could only be imagined. The foundation of our digital service relies on the Guardians who possess the ability and desire to lead in a complex and challenging environment. Those interested in serving would be part of building an organization for the 22nd Century, ensuring our competitive advantages in space continue far into the future.

For more information about becoming a Space Force Guardian, contact your local recruiter. Call **1-800-423-USAF** or visit us online at [AIRFORCE.COM/SPACEFORCE](https://www.airforce.com/spaceforce).



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