



Promotion Points



- SMs are responsible for validating the accuracy of the data used to calculate their promotion points.
- Provide supporting documentation to your RNCO/TNCO to resolve discrepancies via the Person Profile module, or interfaces from Authoritative Data Source (ADS) outside of IPPS-A. The interface then updates the points in IPPS-A.
- The Administrative Cut-Off Date is the date when additions and updates to a SM's promotion points are no longer accepted for promotion consideration and eligibility for that roster IAW FY26 EPS MOI, Annex L.
- All data used to generate the PPW comes from IPPS-A. Any updates in IPPS-A prior to the generation of the PPW are reflected immediately.
- It is the SM's responsibility to ensure personnel records are correct and report errors to their Unit Readiness NCO/S1 for correction and to update immediately.
- Promotion Points must be corrected prior to the Admin Cut-Off. Failure to action will not constitute Standby Board consideration.



Admin Points - Weapons Qualification

➤ Max Points:

E5 board – 160 points

E6 board – 110 points

➤ Ref: AR 600-8-19 para 3-15, table 3-2 (SGT) and 3-3 (SSG)

➤ Input Source – ATMS

➤ Output Source – IPPS-A

*Updates – **SM will submit supporting documentation to Unit Readiness/Training NCO.**

Unit/Readiness/Training NCO will update DTMS:

Step 1: Ensure the SM is assigned a primary weapon (per TC 3-20.40); effective date of assignment must be at least 24 hours before the qualification date.

Step 2: Enter the current weapon score and date. Qualification scores exceeding 24 months will not be awarded promotion points.

Step 3: Wait 3-5 days for results to appear in IPPS-A.

Note: SMs assigned to an organization without an assigned primary weapon will use their latest qualification as an exception to the 24-month requirement. SMs are required to have a primary weapon assigned to them in DTMS in order to receive promotion points for the latest qualification.



Admin Points - Army Physical Fitness Test

➤ Max Points:

E5 and E6 board – 120 points

➤ Ref: AR 600-8-19 para 3-15, table 3-4

➤ Input Source – ATMS

➤ Output Source – IPPS-A

***Updates – SM will submit supporting documentation to Unit Readiness/Training NCO. Unit/Readiness/Training NCO will update DTMS:**

ACFT – Passing = ACFT score/points

ACFT – Failing = 0 points

**Temp Profile – IAW with the above reference.

** Perm Profile – Granted 60 ACFT points for each ACFT event not taken due to the profile and for a “GO” from an alternate event.



Admin Points -

Awards, Decorations, Achievement and Badges

(Permanent awards)

➤ Max Points:

E5 board – 145 points

E6 board – 165 points

➤ Ref: AR 600-8-19, table 3-16 and 3-6

➤ Input Source – IPPS-A

➤ Output Source – IPPS-A

*Updates – SM will submit supporting documentation to Unit Readiness/Training NCO for IPERMinG and updates to IPPS-A.



Admin Points - Primary Military Education (PME)

➤ Max Points:

E5 board – 240 points

E6 board – 245 points

DLC courses. SMs competing for selection to SGT/SSG will not receive promotion points for completion of DLC 1 or 2 (DLC 1//DLC 2 completion is a requirement in order to be recommended to SGT/ SSG).

➤ Ref: AR 600-8-19 para 3-17, table 3-4, PPOM 24-014

➤ Input Source – ATMS

➤ Output Source – IPPS-A

***Updates – SM will submit supporting documentation to Unit Readiness/Training NCO.
Unit/Readiness/Training NCO will update DTMS**

➤ DA 1059 must show Commandant's list or Distinguished Honor Graduate.

➤ 20 points for Commandant's list / 40 points for Distinguished Honor Graduate.

➤ HR SYS Admin must input on the Military Education Level-MEL and the MIL Ed Achievement-ACH for the points to be sent to the promotion rosters.

IAW PPOM 24-014:

* 150 points: SMs recommended for promotion to SGT who are BLC graduates

* 150 points: SMs recommended for promotion to SSG who are ALC graduates



Admin Points - Resident Training

➤ Max Points:

E5 board – 110 points

E6 board – 115 points

➤ Ref: AR 600-8-19 para 3-17b

➤ Input Source – ATTRS

➤ Output Source – IPPS-A

NCO Professional Development System. Promotion points are not authorized for PME Courses (except as indicated in para 3–17a), MOS producing courses, all badge-producing courses (see military awards, para 3 – 17), BCT, advanced individual training, new equipment training, USMAPS/U.S. Military Academy, language training, OCS, and Warrant Officer Candidate Course. No promotion points are granted for on-the-job training and on-the-job experience, including Sergeant's Time Training. Military courses (in ATRRS) completed while serving in other Armed Forces that were required to hold qualification in or be awarded an MOS and/or rate are not authorized promotion points. Federal Emergency Management Agency courses and course completions recorded on a DA Form 87 are not authorized promotion points.

***Updates – SM will submit supporting documentation (ATTRS Transcript) to Unit Readiness/Training NCO. Unit/Readiness/Training NCO or the next higher echelon and will update IPPSA input:**

- Find omitted course from IPPSA on ATTRS transcript.
- Look the course up on ATTRS course catalogue and identify the 3 character Military Career Dev Crs resident or DL Code (MCC).
- Access the “Training” screen in search and look up SM.
- Click the Training TAB and Insert a new Row.
- Enter the course code by the 3 characters MCC code.
- Fill out the rest of the page and click SAVE.



Admin Points - Computer-based Training

➤ Max Points:

E5 board – 90 points

E6 board – 90 points

➤ Ref: AR 600-8-19 para 3-17c

➤ Input Source – ATTRS

➤ Output Source – IPPS-A

SMs will be granted promotion points based on one (1) promotion point per 5 hours of completed training restricted to courses completed in their entirety. Courses may take up to 12 days to populate from the date of course completion to the automated promotion point worksheet for promotion points. The SM must have record of full course completion and the total credit hours for the entire course will be divided by five to determine promotion points. No points will be awarded for sub-course completion.

***Updates – SM will submit supporting documentation (ATTRS Transcript) to Unit Readiness/Training NCO. Unit/Readiness/Training NCO or the next higher echelon and will update IPPSA input:**

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- Look the course up on ATTRS course catalogue and identify the 3 character Military Career Dev Crs resident or DL Code (MCC).
- Access the “Training” screen in search and look up SM.
- Click the Training TAB and Insert a new Row.
- Enter the course code by the 3 characters MCC code.
- Fill out the rest of the page and click SAVE.



Admin Points - Civilian Education

➤ Max Points:

E5 board – 135 points

E6 board – 160 points

➤ Ref: AR 600-8-19 para 3-18

➤ Input Source – IPPS-A

➤ Output Source – IPPS-A

*Updates – SM will submit supporting documentation to Education Office to verify, IPERM and updates to IPPS-A.

➤ 2 promotion points for each semester hour completed.

➤ 20 promotion points will be granted to any SM who completes a degree.

➤ 10 promotion points are granted for each TRADOC-approved technical, industry, and/or professional certification earned, not to exceed award for five certifications or 50 promotion points. Search Army COOL (<https://www.cool.osd.mil/army/index.htm>) under Enlisted MOS to determine if a certification qualifies.

➤ 25 promotion points for SMs who achieve a minimum DLPT proficiency rating of 1/1 (listening, reading, or speaking).