

1: Staff sergeant - Wikipedia

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Army , just above sergeant and below sergeant first class , and is a non-commissioned officer. Staff sergeants are generally placed in charge of squads , but can also act as platoon sergeants in the absence of a sergeant first class. In support units, staff sergeants ordinarily hold headquarters positions because of the number of slots available for them in these units. Staff sergeants are typically assigned as a squad leader or company operations non-commissioned officer in charge at the company level, but may also hold other positions depending on the type of unit. Staff sergeants are referred to as "Sergeant" except in certain training environments and schools. The rank of staff sergeant in the U. Army, along with technical sergeant renamed sergeant first class in and master sergeant , was created by Congress after the First World War. At that time, sergeants served as section leaders, platoon guides, and assistants to platoon commanders the position of platoon sergeant, nor a separate rank for the position, did not yet exist , and included several formerly separate ranks such as mess sergeant, company supply sergeant, and stable sergeant, etc. In , staff sergeant became the rank title of rifle platoon sergeants and in rifle squad leaders became staff sergeants, with platoon sergeants then being promoted to technical sergeants. Perrenot, [11] U. This grade is normally achieved after 7 to 10 years in service. Together, they are responsible to the commanding officer for the welfare, morale, discipline, and efficiency of Marines in their charge. Using their experience gained by time in service, including previous deployments, proven military skills and advanced leadership training, SNCOs are responsible for the proficiency, training and administrative issue of their Marines. When serving as a platoon sergeant, they are the senior tactical advisor to the platoon commander an officer and the second-in-command of the platoon. Staff sergeants also serve as a section leaders in weapons platoons the platoon sergeant being a gunnery sergeant in weapons platoons leading from 8 â€” 27 Marines in a crew-served weapons section i. In tank and assault amphibian units, they serve as section leaders in charge of 8 Marines manning two tanks or 9 Marines manning three AAVs, respectively, under a gunnery sergeant serving as platoon sergeant. Typical staff sergeant billets found in combat support companies and battalion, regiment, and division headquarters are: It ranks above senior airman and below technical sergeant. After being selected for promotion, senior airmen must attend Airman Leadership School , which teaches them basic leadership skills and how to write performance reports to become staff sergeant. The term of address is "Staff Sergeant" or "Sergeant". High year of tenure was reduced from 20 to 15 years in

2: - From Recruit to Staff Sergeant by N.W Bancroft

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Current adaptations[edit] In most non-naval military or paramilitary organizations, the various grades of sergeant are non-commissioned officers NCOs ranking above privates and corporals , and below warrant officers and commissioned officers. The responsibilities of a sergeant differ from army to army. There are usually several ranks of sergeant, each corresponding to greater experience and responsibility for the daily lives of the soldiers of larger units. Sergeants are usually team leaders in charge of an entire team of constables to senior constables at large stations, to being in charge of sectors involving several police stations. In country areas, sergeants are often in charge of an entire station and its constabulary. Senior sergeants are usually in specialist areas and are in charge of sergeants and thus act as middle management. The ranks are equivalent to each other and the Royal Australian Navy rank of petty officer. Although the rank insignia of the RAAF rank of flight sergeant Flt Sgt and the Australian Army rank of staff sergeant SSgt are identical, flight sergeant in fact outranks the rank of staff sergeant in the classification of rank equivalencies. The Australian Army rank of staff sergeant is now redundant and is no longer awarded, due to being outside the rank equivalencies and the next promotional rank is warrant officer class two. Chief petty officers and flight sergeants are not required to call a warrant officer class two "sir" in accordance with Australian Defence Force Regulations Regulation 8. The insignia of an Australian police sergeant The rank of sergeant exists in all Australian police forces and is of higher ranking than a constable or senior constable, but lower than an inspector. The sergeant structure varies among state police forces, generally two sergeant ranks are commonly classed as non-commissioned officers: Sergeant Sgt three chevrons ; and Senior sergeant Sen Sgt three chevrons, crown surmounted by a laurel leaf South Australia Police has the additional rank of brevet sergeant two chevrons below an inverted arrow head which is an authorization for a temporarily higher rank. A brevet sergeant is less senior than a sergeant. New South Wales Police Force has the additional rank of incremental sergeant three chevrons and a crown. This is an incremental progression, following appointment as a sergeant for seven years. An incremental sergeant rank is less senior than a senior sergeant but is more senior than a sergeant. Upon appointment as a sergeant or senior sergeant, the sergeant is given: Within the New South Wales Police Force , sergeant is a team leader or supervisory rank, whilst the rank of senior sergeant is a middle management rank with coordination responsibilities over human and physical resources. All three sergeant ranks are informally referred to as "sergeant", or "sarge". However at the New South Wales Police Academy, recruits must address all ranks of sergeants as "sergeant", and senior sergeant as "senior sergeant". Army[edit] Sergeant Sgt French: Its naval equivalent is petty officer 2nd class French: It is senior to the appointment of master corporal and its equivalent naval appointment, master seaman , and junior to warrant officer and its naval equivalent, petty officer 1st class. Volume 1, Article "Definitions". In army units, sergeants usually serve as section commanders; they may often be called to fill positions normally held by warrant officers , such as platoon or troop warrant, company quartermaster sergeant , chief clerk , etc. The rank insignia of a sergeant is a three-bar chevron, worn point down, surmounted by a maple leaf. Embroidered rank badges are worn in "CF gold" thread on rifle green melton, stitched to the upper sleeves of the service dress jacket; as miniature gold metal and rifle-green enamel badges on the collars of the army dress shirt and army outerwear jackets; in "old-gold" thread on air force blue slip-ons on air force shirts, sweaters, and coats; and in tan thread on CADPAT slip-ons army or dark blue thread on olive-drab slip-ons air force on the operational dress uniform. Likewise, a sergeant-major including regimental sergeant-major is not a sergeant rank, but an appointment held by a master warrant officer or chief warrant officer. Sergeants generally mess and billet with warrant officers, master warrant officers, and chief warrant officers, and their naval counterparts, chief petty officers and petty officers. Historically, the rank of sergeant was severely downgraded after unification of the three services in An army sergeant before unification was generally employed in supervisory positions, such as the second in command of a platoon-sized unit i. Police[edit] Police forces across Canada also use the rank of sergeant and staff sergeant for senior non-commissioned officers above the rank of constable or corporal. Except in the

province of Quebec and in the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, the insignia for a police sergeant is a three chevrons, worn point down. Staff sergeants rank above sergeants and are responsible for a unit or team within a station or division. The insignia for a staff sergeant is three chevrons, worn point down surmounted by a royal crown. In the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, the insignia for a sergeant is three chevrons, worn point down surmounted by a royal crown which is the insignia of a staff sergeant in other Canadian police forces. The insignia of a staff sergeant in the Royal Canadian Mounted Police is four chevrons worn point up. Army[edit] The collar and sleeve insignia of kersantti Kersantti is in Finnish Defence Forces the second and highest non-commissioned officer rank that a conscript can possibly reach before entering the reserve. The beginning and most common non-commissioned officer rank is alikersantti lit. Only a few non-commissioned officers in each conscript company reach the higher rank of full three-chevron kersantti. A corporal can also obtain the rank of sergeant and possibly above, the next rank being four-chevron ylikersantti, which is comparable to staff sergeant by taking some military refresher courses while in reserve, or by enlisting to short-term professional service in the military.

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