

DON'T CREATE "GOOD YEAR" CONFUSION!

HELP UNTANGLE THIS MISUSED NAVY RESERVE TERM

A **"GOOD YEAR"** REFERS ONLY TO YEARS NEEDED FOR PAID RETIREMENT

A **"Good Year"** is a qualifying year of service toward retirement

After 20 **"Good Years"** of service you qualify for a paid retirement from the Navy Reserve

Based on your unique **Anniversary Date*** when you affiliated with the Navy Reserve

A minimum of 50 points in the 12 months from your Anniversary Date equals a "Good Year"

Obtaining less than 50 points does not count for a qualifying year for retirement

See MILPERSMAN 1820-050 for additional information

SATISFACTORY PARTICIPATION IS YOUR MANDATORY SERVICE REQUIREMENT

Every Reserve Sailor has a mandatory obligation for satisfactory participation

The mandatory requirement is based on the traditional "one weekend a month, two weeks a year"

Based on a **Fiscal Year**, Oct. 1 to Sept. 30, which is the same for everyone

A minimum of 40 drill periods plus at least 12 days active duty in a fiscal year. (AT/ADT/ADSW/MOBILIZATION)

Mandatory - Without authorized absences and AT waivers a Sailor risks ADSEP*

See MILPERSMAN 1001-150 for additional information

*Your Anniversary Date can be located on your statement of service via NSIPS or ASOSH Section of BUPERS Online (BOL) ARPR

*Administrative Separation



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