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NSA Releases PIN Codes for 2025/2026 National Service Year

The National Service Authority (NSA) has officially released PIN codes for **132,393** prospective national service personnel from **100 accredited educational institutions** nationwide, for the 2025/2026 service year.

In comparison to previous years, the current figures reflect a significant improvement in data integrity, driven by enhanced transparency and stricter validation measures. This process has effectively eliminated any form of inflated or bogus submissions. As a result, this year's figures are on average 26% lower than the numbers received over the past three years, with a peak **reduction of 36%** compared to the 2022/2023 session.

| Year | 2025/2026 (Current year) | 2024/2025 | 2023/2024 | 2022/2023 |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Graduates Declared | 132,393 | 171,703 | 176,359 | 144,773 |
| Numer of Schools | 100 | 217 | 239 | 275 |
| % reduction in Schools compared to current year | 0% | 53.9% | 58.2% | 63.6% |
| % reduction in Graduates compared to current year | 0% | 21% | 23% | 36% |

This figure is part of a total of **135,990** final-year Ghanaian students submitted by **122** tertiary institutions across the country. However, **3,597** of these submissions, representing graduates from **22 institutions**, have not been processed, as those institutions are currently **not accredited** and remain unknown to the Ghana Tertiary Education Commission (GTEC). Their graduates will not be mobilized unless the NSA receives verifiable evidence confirming their regularized accreditation status.

NSA also urges institutions with expired accreditation to engage with GTEC and regularized their status within the next **30 days**. This will ensure a hitch free deployment process for their graduates' post-registration. All institutional accreditation data referenced in this release has been validated by GTEC and is attached to this release.

In addition to the 125 PIN codes issued to graduates submitted by accredited institutions, a further **908** PIN codes for private applicants are currently awaiting final verification from the related institutions to be released. This includes Ghanaian students who studied abroad and individuals who previously deferred or defaulted and are now ready to undertake their mandatory national service. Prospects in this category should reach out via our support lines if their PIN codes are still inaccessible by 24 June 2025.



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PIN Code Activation and Registration

Prospective service personnel are required to activate their PIN codes by paying a fee of **GHS 40** at any **ADB Bank Ltd** branch. Alternatively, payments can be made via **MTN Mobile Money** at a fee of **GHS 41**.

To begin the registration process, applicants should visit the NSA portal at <https://smarthub.nss.gov.gh> and follow the instructions to retrieve their PIN codes and complete the required steps.

New Enrolment Features for Enhanced Integrity

To strengthen the transparency and security of the registration process, the NSA has introduced several improvements to its online enrolment platform:

- **Facial Biometric Verification:** All prospective service personnel must complete facial verification against their Ghana Card data held with National Identification Authority (NIA) prior to accessing the registration form.
- **Verified Address Input:** Applicants must provide a valid **Ghana Post GPS** address, which will be used for distance mapping and regional posting decisions, to guide proximity to the workplace. Accuracy of this information is essential for effective placement.

Detailed guidance is available at <https://smarthub.nss.gov.gh/faq/registration-guide>, and registrants may also contact support@nss.gov.gh for additional assistance or chat to us live on the portal.

Military Pre-Deployment Option

In line with the introduction of a **six-week Basic Military Training** as part of national service, the NSA will deploy a limited number of graduates from the 2025/2026 cohort for participation in the **pilot phase** of this programme.

Interested applicants may indicate their willingness to participate during the online registration process. Final postings to user agencies will occur after the military orientation is complete, ensuring that no participant forfeits their work placement due to participation in this phase.

Registration Timeline

The registration window opens on **June 17, 2025**, and will close on **July 1, 2025**. All eligible applicants are advised to complete their registration within the stated period and utilise available support resources as required, for a smooth enrolment experience.



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The National Service Authority extends its best wishes to all prospective service personnel and remains committed to delivering a meaningful service year to our young graduates.

Signed,
Felix Gyamfi
Acting Director-General
National Service Authority (NSA)

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PIN Codes Released

| S/N | Institution Name | Number of Graduates submitted | Accreditation Status |
|------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1 | ABBEAM INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY | 16 | Expired |
| 2 | ACADEMIC CITY COLLEGE, ACCRA | 81 | Accredited |
| 3 | ACCRA BUSINESS SCHOOL | 56 | Accredited |
| 4 | ACCRA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY (AIT) | 257 | Accredited |
| 5 | ACCRA TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY | 7,699 | Accredited |
| 6 | ADVANCE GLOBAL COLLEGE | 153 | Accredited |
| 7 | AFRICAN UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF COMMUNICATION, ACCRA | 300 | Accredited |
| 8 | AKENTEN APPIAH-MENKA UNIVERSITY OF SKILLS TRAINING AND ENTREPRENEURIAL DEVELOPMENT | 7,757 | Accredited |
| 9 | AKIM STATE COLLEGE | 69 | Expired |
| 10 | ALL NATIONS UNIVERSITY COLLEGE | 72 | Accredited |
| 11 | ASHESI UNIVERSITY | 250 | Accredited |
| 12 | ASSEMBLIES OF GOD INSTITUTE OF HIGHER LEARNING | 10 | Expired |
| 13 | BALDWIN COLLEGE | 91 | Accredited |
| 14 | BIMAKS COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND HEALTH SCIENCES | 61 | Expired |
| 15 | BLUECREST COLLEGE (FORMERLY NIIT GHANA COLLEGE) | 105 | Accredited |
| 16 | BOLGATANGA TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY | 363 | Accredited |



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| 17 | BROTHER TARCISIUS PROSTHETICS AND ORTHOTICS COLLEGE, NSAWAM | 11 | Accredited |
| 18 | BUNSO COCOA COLEGE | 61 | Expired |
| 19 | C. K. TEDAM UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY AND APPLIED SCIENCES | 605 | Accredited |
| 20 | CAPE COAST TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY | 845 | Accredited |
| 21 | CATHOLIC INSTITUTE OF BUSINESS AND TECHNOLOGY | 131 | Accredited |
| 22 | CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF GHANA | 253 | Accredited |
| 23 | CENTRAL UNIVERSITY | 431 | Accredited |
| 24 | CHRIST APOSTOLIC UNIVERSITY COLLEGE | 114 | Accredited |
| 25 | CHRISTIAN SERVICE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE | 182 | Accredited |
| 26 | COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND WELL BEING (COHK) | 607 | Accredited |
| 27 | COLLEGE OF HEALTH, SEFWI ASAFO | 124 | Accredited |
| 28 | COLLEGE OF HEALTH, YAMFO | 629 | Accredited |
| 29 | COLLEGE OF TROPICAL AGRICULTURE | 49 | Expired |
| 30 | COMMUNITY UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, TAKORADI | 6 | Expired |
| 31 | CONCORD BUSINESS COLLEGE | 1 | Accredited |
| 32 | DHI COLLEGE OF HEALTH AND EDUCATION | 18 | Accredited |
| 33 | DOMINION UNIVERSITY COLLEGE | 23 | Accredited |
| 34 | DR. HILLA LIMANN TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY | 593 | Accredited |
| 35 | FOUNTAINHEAD CHRISTIAN COLLEGE | 13 | Accredited |
| 36 | GARDEN CITY UNIVERSITY COLLEGE | 2,478 | Accredited |
| 37 | GHANA BAPTIST UNIVERSITY COLLEGE | 383 | Expired |
| 38 | GHANA CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY COLLEGE | 123 | Expired |
| 39 | GHANA COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY UNIVERSITY | 2,259 | Accredited |
| 40 | GHANA INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION (GIMPA) | 160 | Accredited |
| 41 | HEALTH ACCESS INSTITUTE | 28 | Accredited |
| 42 | HERITAGE CHRISTIAN COLLEGE | 70 | Accredited |
| 43 | HO TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY | 1,397 | Accredited |
| 44 | INSTITUTE OF BUSINESS MANAGEMENT AND JOURNALISM | 109 | Expired |
| 45 | INSTITUTE OF COMMERCIAL MANAGEMENT, UK | 43 | Accredited |
| 46 | IPMC COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY | 261 | Expired |
| 47 | JAYEE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE | 81 | Accredited |
| 48 | KAUF UNIVERSITY COLLEGE | 139 | Accredited |
| 49 | KESSBEN UNIVERSITY COLLEGE | 192 | Accredited |
| 50 | KLINTAPS COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES | 149 | Accredited |



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| 51 | KNUTSFORD UNIVERSITY COLLEGE | 252 | Accredited |
| 52 | KOFORIDUA TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY | 3,144 | Accredited |
| 53 | KUMASI TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY | 3,507 | Accredited |
| 54 | KWADASO AGRIC COLLEGE | 432 | Expired |
| 55 | KWAME NKRUMAH UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY | 21,553 | Accredited |
| 56 | LAKESIDE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, GHANA | 46 | Expired |
| 57 | LANCASTER UNIVERSITY, GHANA CAMPUS | 23 | Accredited |
| 58 | LAWEH OPEN UNIVERSITY COLLEGE | 14 | Accredited |
| 59 | MARANATHA UNIVERSITY COLLEGE | 62 | Expired |
| 60 | MARSHALLS COLLEGE | 64 | Accredited |
| 61 | MEDICARE COLLEGE OF APPLIED SCIENCES | 24 | Accredited |
| 62 | MOUNTCREST UNIVERSITY COLLEGE | 8 | Accredited |
| 63 | NARH-BITA COLLEGE, TEMA | 19 | Accredited |
| 64 | NDUOM SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND TECHNOLOGY | 14 | Accredited |
| 65 | OTEC SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM AND COMMUNICATION STUDIES | 20 | Accredited |
| 66 | OXFORD INST. OF BUSINESS & JOURNALISM | 16 | Accredited |
| 67 | PALM INSTITUTE OF STRATEGIC LEADERSHIP | 7 | Accredited |
| 68 | PEKI COLLEGE OF EDUCATION | 2 | Expired |
| 69 | PENTECOST UNIVERSITY COLLEGE | 352 | Accredited |
| 70 | PEREZ UNIVERSITY COLLEGE | 41 | Expired |
| 71 | PHARMATRUST PROFESSIONAL COLLEGE | 183 | Expired |
| 72 | PRESBYTERIAN UNIVERSITY COLLEGE | 554 | Accredited |
| 73 | RADFORD UNIVERSITY COLLEGE | 121 | Expired |
| 74 | REGENTROPFEN COLLEGE OF APPLIED SCIENCES | 15 | Accredited |
| 75 | REGIONAL MARITIME UNIVERSITY | 384 | Accredited |
| 76 | RURAL DEVELOPMENT COLLEGE | 29 | Expired |
| 77 | SCHOOL OF DISPENSING OPTICS | 109 | Accredited |
| 78 | SCHOOL OF HYGIENE, KORLE-BU | 199 | Expired |
| 79 | SCHOOL OF HYGIENE, TAMALE | 2 | Accredited |
| 80 | SD DOMBO UNIVERSITY OF BUSINES AND INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT STUDIES | 1,325 | Accredited |
| 81 | SPIRITAN UNIVERSITY COLLEGE | 25 | Expired |
| 82 | ST. JOHN OF GOD COLLEGE OF HEALTH, DUAYAW NKWANTA | 97 | Accredited |



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| 83 | ST. WILLIAM's NURSING AND ALLIED HEALTH SCIENCES COLLEGE, ASUOTINO-WAMFIE | 65 | Accredited |
| 84 | SUNYANI TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY | 1,571 | Accredited |
| 85 | TAKORADI TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY | 2,412 | Accredited |
| 86 | TAMALE TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY | 3,632 | Accredited |
| 87 | TRINITY THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY | 5 | Accredited |
| 88 | UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES | 64 | Expired |
| 89 | UNIVERSITY FOR DEVELOPMENT STUDIES | 6,014 | Accredited |
| 90 | UNIVERSITY OF CAPE COAST | 14,417 | Accredited |
| 91 | UNIVERSITY OF EDUCATION | 15,289 | Accredited |
| 92 | UNIVERSITY OF ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES | 2,382 | Accredited |
| 93 | UNIVERSITY OF ENVIRONMENT AND SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT | 184 | Accredited |
| 94 | UNIVERSITY OF GHANA | 13,510 | Accredited |
| 95 | UNIVERSITY OF HEALTH AND ALLIED SCIENCE | 324 | Accredited |
| 96 | UNIVERSITY OF MEDIA ARTS AND COMMUNICATION (UniMAC) | 1,203 | Accredited |
| 97 | UNIVERSITY OF MINES AND TECHNOLOGY | 2,169 | Accredited |
| 98 | UNIVERSITY OF PROFESSIONAL STUDIES (UPSA) | 4,927 | Accredited |
| 99 | VALLEY VIEW UNIVERSITY | 457 | Accredited |
| 100 | WISCONSIN INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, GHANA | 1,217 | Accredited |
| | TOTAL | | 132,393 |



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PIN Codes On-Hold Due to Accreditation

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|------------|------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1 | ACCA GHANA | 57 | Not Accredited |
| 2 | ACE PROFESSIONAL SCHOOL OF TECHNOLOGY | 41 | Not Accredited |
| 3 | ADONAI UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF RESEARCH AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP | 11 | Not Accredited |
| 4 | CAMBRIDGE INTERNATIONAL COLLEGE | 66 | Not Accredited |
| 5 | CAREST COLLEGE OF HEALTH | 26 | Not Accredited |
| 6 | COLLEGE OF AISHA | 630 | Not Accredited |
| 7 | CRYSTAL GALAXY COLLEGE | 57 | Not Accredited |
| 8 | GHANA INSTITUTE OF LEADERSHIP AND DEVELOPMENT STUDIES | 6 | Not Accredited |
| 9 | GLOBAL PROFESSIONAL STUDIES | 92 | Not Accredited |
| 10 | HEAF PROFESSIONAL COLLEGE | 109 | Not Accredited |
| 11 | IMTIYAAZ COLLEGE OF EDUCATION | 688 | Not Accredited |
| 12 | INSITE MEDIA COLLEGE | 42 | Not Accredited |
| 13 | INSTITUTE OF ACCOUNTANCY TRAINING | 16 | Not Accredited |
| 14 | MARTIN LUTHER HEALTH TRAINING SCHOOL | 12 | Not Accredited |
| 15 | MULTIMEDIA INSTITUTE OF GHANA | 36 | Not Accredited |
| 16 | NELCHRIS SCIENCE COLLEGE | 10 | Not Accredited |
| 17 | NIIT OPENLABS GHANA | 72 | Not Accredited |
| 18 | NURSING ANDMIDWIFERY TRAINING COLLEGE, NALERIGU | 1083 | Not Accredited |
| 19 | OHAWU AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE | 112 | Not Accredited |
| 20 | SCHOOL OF HYGIENE, HO | 243 | Not Accredited |
| 21 | ST. PETER S REGIONAL SEMINARY | 48 | Not Accredited |
| 22 | WENCHI COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE | 140 | Not Accredited |
| | TOTAL | 3,597 | |