



Captain's Call

Information Assurance Training Required by All DoN Personnel

Information Assurance (IA) awareness training is now required of all users of DOD information systems.

IA training must be completed no later than Sept. 1 as a condition of being granted access to a computer system.

The course is DOD Information Assurance Awareness (DOD-IAA-V2.0) and is available at Navy Knowledge Online at <https://www.nko.navy.mil>.

The course is required by all Department of the Navy personnel who have access to DOD computers, including active duty, Reserve, retired, Navy civilians and contractors. The entire course takes about half an hour to finish, depending on connection speed.

The course on NKO explains the importance of classified information and how to safeguard it from unauthorized users, both inside and outside the workplace.

To begin the course, log on to <https://www.nko.navy.mil> and launch "Navy E-learning." Select "browse categories" and then "U.S. Department of the Navy." Personnel must then select "Information Assurance (IA)."

Those who finish the course should print a hard copy of the certificate found under "My Transcripts" and provide a copy to their command Information Assurance manager.

The course is to be completed by new personnel as a condition of being granted an account, and must be renewed annually.

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