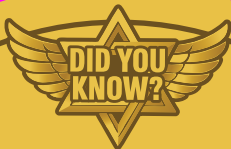


SERVICE PATH
FIRST DRAFT ORDER

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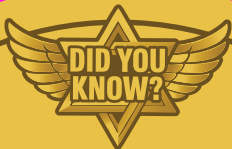
The First Draft Order is the first station on the way to the IDF and it arrives already in 11th grade. Here they examine you medically, cognitively and personally. The information and assessments about you affect everything that follows – selection for special units, academic reserves, officer training or technological positions.



SERVICE PATH
BASIC TRAINING

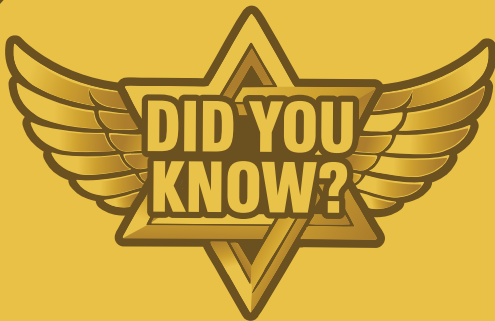
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SERVICE PATH **BASIC TRAINING**

The swearing-in ceremony in basic training is the moment when soldiers swear allegiance to the State, the IDF and their role, and officially join the army ranks. The ceremony is sometimes held at the Western Wall Plaza, in a festive atmosphere of excitement and great significance.



IDF SPIRIT
DISCIPLINE

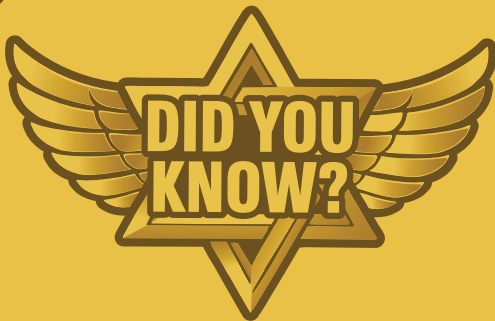
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IDF SPIRIT **DISCIPLINE**

The Bar-Or Test is a combat fitness test, designed to check that soldiers meet the standard both in the eyes of commanders and for themselves. It's named after its developer, Prof. Oded Bar-Or.



SERVICE PATH
REGULAR SERVICE

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SERVICE PATH **REGULAR SERVICE**

The IDF display at the torch lighting ceremony on Mount Herzl is one of the most impressive moments on Independence Day evening. Units from all corps – from the Armored Corps to Intelligence – march together in spectacular drill formations, create shapes like the Star of David and a Menorah, and display the IDF's strength, spirit and values. Traditionally, IDF and Israeli flags are passed from unit to unit as a guard of honor and pride for the next year.



SERVICE PATH
DEVOTION TO MISSION AND
STRIVING FOR VICTORY

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SERVICE PATH

**DEVOTION TO MISSION AND
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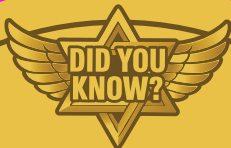
In the list of IDF values, the values are arranged alphabetically to emphasize they are all equally important, except for one. "Mission commitment and striving for victory" appears first, because it's the value above all others.



IDF SPIRIT
PERSONAL EXAMPLE



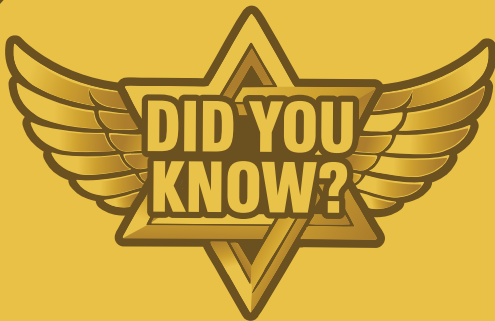
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IDF SPIRIT

PERSONAL EXAMPLE

On 7.10.23, Hamas attacked the Gaza Envelope settlements and border outposts. A brutal surprise attack from air, sea and land. Thousands of terrorists infiltrated Israel, thousands of missiles were fired, and 1,163 soldiers and civilians were murdered. 251 people were kidnapped. The IDF regained control of the territory and launched a prolonged campaign. Within the hell, we heard heroic stories, like that of Aner Shapira obm, who became a symbol of personal example, courage and values.



SERVICE PATH
RESERVE DUTY

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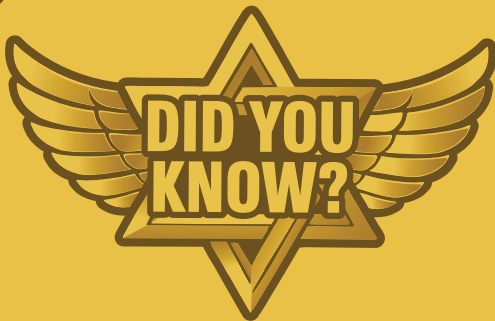
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SERVICE PATH
RESERVE DUTY

The song "Superheroes" by the Hatikvah 6 band was written during the Iron Swords War, as a tribute to reserve soldiers – ordinary citizens who became heroes in an instant.

A people called to the flag... together we will win!



SERVICE PATH
SERVICE WITH MISSION

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SERVICE PATH

SERVICE WITH MISSION

The military ID card is the military identity card of every soldier. It includes name, personal number, photo, rank, recruitment date and more, and serves for identification with military and civilian authorities, for public transport, discounts and entry to bases. On discharge day, it's customary to ceremoniously cut it and receive a reserves card instead.