



John T. Dempster, Jr. Division NSCC Cadet Advancement Criteria

as per NSCC/NLCC Admin Manual (NSCBPUB 200, October 2013)

		Required Courses	Exam(s)	Training	Annual PT	Time in Previous Rank	Time in NSCC	Approving Auth.
E1	Recruit	-	-	-	-	-	-	CO
E2-T	Seaman Apprentice - Temporary	Complete the Basic Military Requirements Course (BMR)	N/A	N/A	Pass	3 Months in NSCC	3 Months in NSCC	CO
E2-T	Former NLCC Cadets Transferring to NSCC - Advance to Seaman Apprentice Temporary	Complete the Basic Military Requirements Course (BMR)	N/A	Complete NLCC Recruit Orientation	Pass	Achieve the rate of Petty Officer 3rd Class (PO3/LC4)	1 Year in NLCC Program (No Breaks in Service)	CO
E2	Seaman Apprentice	Complete the Basic Military Requirements Course (BMR)	N/A	Complete NSCC Recruit Training	Pass	3 Months as a Recruit (E1)	3 Months in NSCC	CO
E3	Seaman	Complete the Seaman Course	N/A	Complete 1 Advanced Training (Must be E3 to attend POLA)	Pass	6 Months from E2-T date	9 Months in NSCC 6 Months in as an Apprentice (E2 or E2T)	CO
E4	Petty Officer 3rd Class	Complete the PO 2 & 3 Course (Assignments 1 & 2)	Pass PO3 Exam (70%)**	Complete 1 Advanced Training	Pass	6 Months as E3	15 Months in NSCC	CO
E5	Petty Officer 2nd Class	Complete the PO 2 & 3 Course (Assignments 3, 4, & 5)	Pass PO2 Exam (70%)**	Complete POLA while E3 or PO3. <i>(If POLA was used to satisfy the Training Requirement for PO3, another Advanced Training must be completed)</i>	Pass	6 Months as PO3	21 Months in NSCC	CO
E6	Petty Officer 1st Class	Complete the Petty Officer First Class Course (PO1)	Pass PO1 Exam (70%)**	Complete 1 Advanced Training	Pass	6 Months as PO2	27 Months in NSCC	NHQ
E7	Chief Petty Officer	Complete the Chief Petty Officer Course (CPO)	N/A	Complete Staff Cadet Duty in a leadership position at NSCC RT or NLCC LO (after completing POLA) <i>(If Staff Cadet Duty was used to satisfy Training for PO1, another training must be completed)</i>	Pass	6 Months as PO1 (NOTE: Must be at least 16 Years Old)	33 Months in NSCC	NHQ

NOTE: Dempster CO has final decision on all Advancements - Issues with Attendance, Military Bearing, and/or Attitude will delay advancement

** 70% Exam Scores is a Dempster Division requirement. NHQ pass criteria is 62%. Dempster CO will place cadet on a 60 day delay on advancements if score is below 70%