

LQA/PAL CHART

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POST	PA CLASS	PD CLASS	QG	GRADE		WOF	Number of Dependents				
	PA EFFECTIVE	PD EFFECTIVE				(0)	(1)	(2/3)	(4/5)	(6+)	
ATSUGI TOKYO-TO	50	0	2	GS	14-15	\$40,800	\$40,800	\$44,880	\$48,960	\$53,040	
	10/10/21	04/24/11	3	GS	10-13	\$36,100	\$40,800	\$44,880	\$48,960	\$53,040	
			4	GS	01-09	\$33,200	\$36,100	\$39,710	\$43,320	\$46,930	
CAMP ZAMA	42	0	2	GS	14-15	\$40,800	\$40,800	\$44,880	\$48,960	\$53,040	
	10/10/21	04/24/11	3	GS	10-13	\$36,100	\$40,800	\$44,880	\$48,960	\$53,040	
			4	GS	01-09	\$33,200	\$36,100	\$39,710	\$43,320	\$46,930	
IWAKUNI	42		2	GS	14-15	\$32,600	\$32,600	\$35,860	\$39,120	\$42,380	
	10/10/21		3	GS	10-13	\$30,200	\$32,600	\$35,860	\$39,120	\$42,380	
			4	GS	01-09	\$26,900	\$30,200	\$33,220	\$36,240	\$39,260	
KYOTO (Maizuru)	60		2	GS	14-15	\$17,900	\$18,700	\$20,570	\$22,440	\$24,310	
	10/10/21		3	GS	10-13	\$15,300	\$17,000	\$18,700	\$20,400	\$22,100	
			4	GS	01-09	\$14,700	\$15,700	\$17,270	\$18,840	\$20,410	
MISAWA	42	0	2	GS	14-15	\$32,600	\$32,600	\$35,860	\$39,120	\$42,380	
	10/10/21	04/24/11	3	GS	10-13	\$29,600	\$32,600	\$35,860	\$39,120	\$42,380	
			4	GS	01-09	\$27,600	\$29,600	\$32,560	\$35,520	\$38,480	
OKINAWA	35		2	GS	14-15	\$57,700	\$57,700	\$63,470	\$69,240	\$75,010	
	10/10/21		3	GS	10-13	\$53,000	\$57,700	\$63,470	\$69,240	\$75,010	
			4	GS	01-09	\$46,100	\$53,000	\$58,300	\$63,600	\$68,900	
SASEBO	50		2	GS	14-15	\$32,800	\$32,800	\$36,080	\$39,360	\$42,640	
	10/10/21		3	GS	10-13	\$29,900	\$32,800	\$36,080	\$39,360	\$42,640	
			4	GS	01-09	\$27,800	\$29,900	\$32,890	\$35,880	\$38,870	
TOKYO CITY	60	0	2	GS	14-15	\$88,100	\$94,100	\$103,510	\$112,920	\$122,330	
	03/28/21	04/24/11	3	GS	10-13	\$76,700	\$87,900	\$96,690	\$105,480	\$114,270	
			4	GS	01-09	\$67,100	\$75,900	\$83,490	\$91,080	\$98,670	
YOKOHAMA KAMISEYA	50	0	2	GS	14-15	\$49,300	\$50,200	\$55,220	\$60,240	\$65,260	
	03/28/21	04/24/11	3	GS	10-13	\$47,400	\$49,300	\$54,230	\$59,160	\$64,090	
			4	GS	01-09	\$36,300	\$39,300	\$43,230	\$47,160	\$51,090	
YOKOSUKA	50	0	2	GS	14-15	\$54,100	\$54,100	\$59,510	\$64,920	\$70,330	
	10/10/21	04/24/11	3	GS	10-13	\$51,500	\$54,100	\$59,510	\$64,920	\$70,330	
			4	GS	01-09	\$46,200	\$50,100	\$55,110	\$60,120	\$65,130	
YOKOTA	60	0	2	GS	14-15	\$38,400	\$38,400	\$42,240	\$46,080	\$49,920	
	10/10/21	04/24/11	3	GS	10-13	\$37,200	\$38,400	\$42,240	\$46,080	\$49,920	
			4	GS	01-09	\$34,200	\$37,200	\$40,920	\$44,640	\$48,360	
Australia (Other)	15		2	GS	14-15	\$19,500	\$20,700	\$22,770	\$24,840	\$26,910	
	10/10/21		3	GS	10-13	\$17,900	\$19,500	\$21,450	\$23,400	\$25,350	
			4	GS	01-09	\$15,800	\$16,400	\$18,040	\$19,680	\$21,320	
AMBERLEY RAAF BASE	25		2	GS	14-15	\$32,000	\$32,000	\$35,200	\$38,400	\$41,600	
	10/10/21		3	GS	10-13	\$27,800	\$32,000	\$35,200	\$38,400	\$41,600	
			4	GS	01-09	\$25,700	\$27,800	\$30,580	\$33,360	\$36,140	
Korea BUSAN	35	0	2	GS	14-15	\$27,400	\$27,400	\$30,140	\$32,880	\$35,620	
	08/29/21	04/03/16	3	GS	10-13	\$26,600	\$27,400	\$30,140	\$32,880	\$35,620	
			4	GS	01-09	\$23,600	\$26,600	\$29,260	\$31,920	\$34,580	
CHINHAE	35	0	2	GS	14-15	\$25,700	\$25,700	\$28,270	\$30,840	\$33,410	
	08/29/21	04/03/16	3	GS	10-13	\$23,400	\$25,700	\$28,270	\$30,840	\$33,410	
			4	GS	01-09	\$20,600	\$23,200	\$25,520	\$27,840	\$30,160	
SEOUL	42	0	2	GS	14-15	\$53,900	\$54,000	\$59,400	\$64,800	\$70,200	
	10/10/21	03/05/06	3	GS	10-13	\$51,000	\$53,900	\$59,290	\$64,680	\$70,070	
			4	GS	01-09	\$48,200	\$51,000	\$56,100	\$61,200	\$66,300	
Philippine (Manila)	10	15	2	GS	14-15	\$39,100	\$39,100	\$43,010	\$46,920	\$50,830	
	10/10/21	03/22/15	3	GS	10-13	\$36,200	\$39,100	\$43,010	\$46,920	\$50,830	
			4	GS	01-09	\$31,800	\$36,200	\$39,820	\$43,440	\$47,060	
SINGAPORE	50		2	GS	14-15	\$61,500	\$82,900	\$91,190	\$99,480	\$107,770	
	10/10/21		3	GS	10-13	\$56,400	\$61,500	\$67,650	\$73,800	\$79,950	
			4	GS	01-09	\$52,200	\$54,100	\$59,510	\$64,920	\$70,330	
THAILAND (Bangkok)	15	10	2	GS	14-15	\$59,000	\$59,000	\$64,900	\$70,800	\$76,700	
	10/10/21	01/06/19	3	GS	10-13	\$55,400	\$55,400	\$60,940	\$66,480	\$72,020	
			4	GS	01-09	\$50,900	\$50,900	\$55,990	\$61,080	\$66,170	

The tables below are groupings by personnel classification of the various categories of Government personnel who are eligible for living quarters allowances, viz., Chiefs of Mission as defined in 22 U.S.C. 3902 and Career Ambassadors as defined in 22 U.S.C. 3903; Foreign Service (FS); General Schedule employees (GS); Department of Defense National Security Personnel System employees (NSPS); Defense Civilian Intelligence Personnel System employees (DCIPS); Agency for International Development employees (AID-FC); and wage board employees and teachers of the Departments of the Air Force, Army, and Navy.
(The grade equivalents in the following tables are for purposes of establishing LQA rates only.)

QUARTERS GROUPS	PERSONNEL CLASSIFICATIONS				
1	Chief of Mission (22 U.S.C 802 (9); Career Ambassador (22 U.S.C 867)				
	FS	GS	AID(FC)	Department of Defense	
2	SFS & 1-2	SES/SL/ST & 14-15	11-14	Wage Grade WG WL WS	DoDDS TP
3	3-5	10-13	7-10	14-15 12-15 11-19 WN 8-9	*Schedule C Bachelor's Degree Step 4 and above and schedules D-F and K-P
4	6-9	1-9	1-6	1-13 1-11 1-10 WD 1-11 WN 1-7	Schedule C Bachelor's Degree Step 1-3

Department of Defense National Security Personnel System (NSPS)			
Pay Schedules	Quarters Group 2	Quarters Group 3	Quarters Group 4
Standard Career Group			
Professional/Analytical (YA)	Pay Band 3	Pay Band 2	Pay Band 1
Technical Support (YB)		Pay Band 3	Pay Band 1, Pay Band 2 *
Supervisor / Manager (YC)	Pay Band 3	Pay Band 2	Pay Band 1 *
Student (YP)			Pay Band 1
Scientific & Engineering			
Professional (YD)	Pay Band 3	Pay Band 2	Pay Band 1
Technician / Support (YE)		Pay Band 3, Pay Band 4	Pay Band 1, Pay Band 2 *
Supervisor / Manager (YF)	Pay Band 3	Pay Band 2	Pay Band 1 *
Investigative and Protective Services			
Investigative (YK)	Pay Band 3	Pay Band 2	Pay Band 1
Fire Protection (YL)		Pay Band 3, Pay Band 4	Pay Band 1, Pay Band 2 *
Police / Security Guard			Pay Band 1, Pay Band 2 *
Supervisor / Manager (YN)	Pay Band 3	Pay Band 2	Pay Band 1 *
Medical			
Physician / Dentist (YG)	Pay Band 2, Pay Band 3		
Professional (YH)	Pay Band 3	Pay Band 2	Pay Band 1
Technician / Support (YI)		Pay Band 3	Pay Band 1, Pay Band 2 *
Supervisor / Manager (YJ)	Pay Band 3, Pay Band 4	Pay Band 2	Pay Band 1 *

* Employees in this Pay Band who have 15 years of U.S. Government service may be assigned to Quarters Group 3 at the discretion of the DoD Component.