

LQA/PAL CHART

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POST	PA CLASS	PD CLASS	QG+		GRADE	WOF	WF	Number of Dependents		
	PA EFFECTIVE	PD EFFECTIVE				(0)	(1)	(2/3)	(4/5)	(6+)
ATSUGI TOKYO-TO	25	0	2	GS	14-18	\$38,500	\$38,500	\$42,350	\$46,200	\$50,050
	01/22/17	04/24/11	3	GS	10-13	\$34,100	\$38,500	\$42,350	\$46,200	\$50,050
			4	GS	01-09	\$34,500	\$34,100	\$37,510	\$40,920	\$44,330
YOKOTA	25	0	2	GS	14-18	\$35,500	\$35,500	\$39,050	\$42,600	\$46,150
	01/22/17	04/24/11	3	GS	10-13	\$34,700	\$35,500	\$39,050	\$42,600	\$46,150
			4	GS	01-09	\$31,300	\$34,700	\$38,170	\$41,640	\$45,110
CAMP ZAMA	25	0	2	GS	14-18	\$38,500	\$38,500	\$42,350	\$46,200	\$50,050
	01/22/17	04/24/11	3	GS	10-13	\$34,100	\$38,500	\$42,350	\$46,200	\$50,050
			4	GS	01-09	\$31,500	\$34,100	\$37,510	\$40,920	\$44,330
MISAWA	25	0	2	GS	14-18	\$30,400	\$31,300	\$34,430	\$37,560	\$40,690
	01/22/17	04/24/11	3	GS	10-13	\$27,900	\$30,400	\$33,440	\$36,480	\$39,520
			4	GS	01-09	\$26,000	\$27,900	\$30,690	\$33,480	\$36,270
OKINAWA	25		2	GS	14-18	\$53,500	\$53,500	\$58,850	\$64,200	\$69,550
	01/22/17		3	GS	10-13	\$50,100	\$53,500	\$58,850	\$64,200	\$69,550
			4	GS	01-09	\$43,600	\$50,100	\$55,110	\$60,120	\$65,130
SASEBO	25		2	GS	14-18	\$32,200	\$32,200	\$35,420	\$38,640	\$41,860
	12/25/16		3	GS	10-13	\$29,300	\$32,200	\$35,420	\$38,640	\$41,860
			4	GS	01-09	\$27,300	\$29,300	\$32,230	\$35,160	\$38,090
IWAKUNI	25		2	GS	14-18	\$29,800	\$30,000	\$33,000	\$36,000	\$39,000
	01/22/17		3	GS	10-13	\$25,400	\$29,800	\$32,780	\$35,760	\$38,740
			4	GS	01-09	\$24,200	\$25,400	\$27,940	\$30,480	\$33,020
TOKYO CITY	42	0	2	GS	14-18	\$81,100	\$86,500	\$95,150	\$103,800	\$112,450
	02/05/17	04/24/11	3	GS	10-13	\$70,600	\$80,900	\$88,990	\$97,080	\$105,170
			4	GS	01-09	\$61,700	\$69,700	\$76,670	\$83,640	\$90,610
YOKOHAMA KAMISEYA	35	0	2	GS	14-18	\$45,900	\$47,400	\$52,140	\$56,880	\$61,620
	02/05/17	04/24/11	3	GS	10-13	\$44,900	\$45,900	\$50,490	\$55,080	\$59,670
			4	GS	01-09	\$33,000	\$36,200	\$39,820	\$43,440	\$47,060
YOKOSUKA	25	0	2	GS	14-18	\$45,300	\$45,300	\$49,830	\$54,360	\$58,890
	02/05/17	04/24/11	3	GS	10-13	\$42,400	\$45,300	\$49,830	\$54,360	\$58,890
			4	GS	01-09	\$36,300	\$42,400	\$46,640	\$50,880	\$55,120
CHINHAE	20	0	2	GS	14-18	\$28,500	\$28,500	\$31,350	\$34,200	\$37,050
	11/27/16	04/03/16	3	GS	10-13	\$25,600	\$28,500	\$31,350	\$34,200	\$37,050
			4	GS	01-09	\$22,700	\$25,600	\$28,160	\$30,720	\$33,280
BUSAN (PUSAN)	25	0	2	GS	14-18	\$29,600	\$29,600	\$32,560	\$35,520	\$38,480
	02/05/17	04/03/16	3	GS	10-13	\$28,800	\$29,600	\$32,560	\$35,520	\$38,480
			4	GS	01-09	\$25,500	\$28,800	\$31,680	\$34,560	\$37,440
SEOUL	20	0	2	GS	14-18	\$55,200	\$55,200	\$60,720	\$66,240	\$71,760
	11/27/16	03/05/06	3	GS	10-13	\$52,000	\$55,200	\$60,720	\$66,240	\$71,760
			4	GS	01-09	\$49,400	\$52,000	\$57,200	\$62,400	\$67,600
Philippine (Manila)	0	15	2	GS	14-18	\$33,100	\$34,100	\$37,510	\$40,920	\$44,330
	09/18/16	03/22/15	3	GS	10-13	\$29,900	\$32,000	\$35,200	\$38,400	\$41,600
			4	GS	01-09	\$22,800	\$29,900	\$32,890	\$35,880	\$38,870
Australia (Other)	30		2	GS	14-18	\$18,700	\$19,900	\$21,890	\$23,880	\$25,870
	02/05/17		3	GS	10-13	\$15,800	\$18,700	\$20,570	\$22,440	\$24,310
			4	GS	01-09	\$13,700	\$15,800	\$17,380	\$18,960	\$20,540
SINGAPORE	20		2	GS	14-18	\$57,100	\$76,500	\$84,150	\$91,800	\$99,450
	11/27/16		3	GS	10-13	\$52,300	\$56,600	\$62,260	\$67,920	\$73,580
			4	GS	01-09	\$48,200	\$50,000	\$55,000	\$60,000	\$65,000
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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/S T & 14-15	11-14	Wage Grade WG WL WS	DoDDS TP
3	3-5	10-13	7-10	14-15 12-15 11-19	*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	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

* HRO Web site, Go to Services, Labor/Employee Relations and Services Division, LQA-PAL Chart.