

2025 Air Traffic Controller Hiring Window Open February 27

Every minute, every hour, every day, there are men and women working to ensure the safety and efficiency of our national airspace system.

This elite group of more than 14,000 FAA air traffic control specialists provide a vital public service to guide pilots, their planes and 2.7 million daily passengers from taxi to takeoff, through the air and back safely on the ground.

BE READY

Am I eligible? Applicants must:

- Be a U.S. citizen
- Be registered for Selective Service, if applicable (Required for males born after 12/31/1959)
- Be younger than 31 years old before the closing date of the application period (with limited exceptions)
- Have either one year of general work experience or four years of education leading to a bachelor's degree, or a combination of both
- Speak English clearly enough to be understood over communications equipment
- Be willing to relocate to an FAA facility based on agency staffing needs



Learn what you can expect from the application process and training, to the hours, pay, and benefits of an exciting new career. More info at www.faa.gov/atc-hiring