

Defense Acquisition University Midwest Region

Rock Island Site

Student Information Guide



**Defense Acquisition University-Midwest Region
Rock Island Site
ATTN: DAU-RI (1716 East Street)
Building 56, 2nd Floor
1 Rock Island Arsenal
Rock Island, IL 61299-7640**

GENERAL INFORMATION

We are located on the Rock Island Arsenal (RIA), Building 56, 2nd Floor, West Wing. Building 56 is located on the corners of East Street and North Avenue (1716 East Street). The Rock Island Arsenal is a historic, civil-war era Army base. The base has both a National and Confederate cemetery. The Arsenal is a 946-acre island in the Mississippi River, between the states of Illinois and Iowa. The main thoroughfare on the Island is Rodman Avenue.

The speed limit on Arsenal Island is 25 mph, unless otherwise posted. Watch for signs. The Illinois seat belt law is enforced on Arsenal Island. Rock Island Arsenal is a U.S. Army military installation and the use of cell phones while driving is prohibited without a hands-free device.

There are three access bridges to the Island: Davenport, IA (2nd Street); Rock Island, IL (Route 92); and Moline, IL (River Drive). Depending upon where you are staying will determine which bridge is the closest for you to enter the base. Please note that, except for Winter, there is a lot of barge traffic on the Mississippi River. Students may experience delays at the Davenport, IA (Government Bridge Swingspan) entrance. Students should also note that when the weather is warm enough, road construction season begins, and may continue on for several months. Expect possible delays in both Iowa and Illinois. GPS devices are not helpful in locating the base. RIA's official mailing address is 1 Rock Island Arsenal, but will not be useful with GPS. You should use the maps provided in this document.

Class hours are generally from 0800-1600. Graduation for most classes is normally at 1200 on Friday; **however**, students should refer to their Welcome Letters they receive prior to the start of their class. Student dress is generally business casual; e.g., slacks and collared shirts. Military are not generally required to wear uniforms; however, if desired, the typical working uniform is appropriate. Shorts, flip-flop sandals, athletic shoes, tank tops, jeans, and athletic sweat suits are examples of inappropriate attire.

The Rock Island Arsenal has a food court in building 60. The Rock Island Arsenal has a Post Exchange and Commissary for personnel authorized to use these facilities. They are both located on Rodman Avenue near the Davenport gate.

Parking can be limited at times. You may or may not have to park in another lot other than the lot adjacent to Building 56. There are designated RESERVED parking spaces on the Arsenal. Please **do not** park in these areas or you will be issued a **Federal** ticket. If there is either an orange or green cone in a parking space, these have been reserved temporarily and the cones issued by Police Traffic. Please do not park in these spaces or you will be issued a Federal ticket. DAU **cannot** get you out of paying for these tickets. There are 5 International Handicapped Parking Spaces located in our lot for Special Needs students.

The airport is the Quad City International Airport (MLI) located in Moline, IL, which is approximately 15-20 minutes from the Arsenal.

Medical/sick call facilities are not available at the Rock Island Arsenal. Students attending DAU courses who experience a medical emergency should contact a local medical facility in one of the surrounding cities.

DAU does not control the enrollment/disenrollment nor the travel for students. Please refer back to the system where you applied for your training (created your student profile) to look for registration POCs and travel worksheet/POC information.

For general information about DAU-RI or to leave student messages, call DAU-RI at Commercial (309)782-0454/DSN 793-0454 or (309)782-0475/DSN 793-0475.

Local Area Information

<http://www.ria.army.mil/sites/local/>

<http://www.riamwr.com/>

<http://www.visitquadcities.com/>

LODGING INFORMATION

Neither DAU nor the Rock Island Arsenal provide Nonavailability Statements. The Arsenal is on the World-Wide Listing of Army Installations W/O Government Quarters.

The following have been compiled as a reference and do not reflect a recommendation nor an endorsement by DAU-RI. Please note that some of the hotels may not fall within the per diem rate. DAU cannot make recommendations on lodging preferences.

Americinn Lodge and Suites - 301 Jason Way, Davenport, IA 52807 - (563)323-3303

Baymont Inn and Suites - 400 Jason Way, Davenport, IA 52807 - (563)386-1600
(www.baymontinns.com)

Comfort Inn of Moline - 2600 - 52nd Avenue, Moline, IL 61265 - (309)762-7000
(www.comfortinn.com)

Davenport Country Inn & Suites - 140 E. 55th Street, Davenport, IA 52806 -
(563)388-6444 (www.countryinns.com)

Davenport Residence Inn - 120 E. 55th Street, Davenport, IA 52806 - (563)391-8877
(www.residence.com)

Davenport Fairfield Inn - 3206 E. Kimberly Road, Davenport, IA 52807 - (563)355-2264 (www.marriott.com)

Econo Lodge Inn & Suites - 815 Golden Valley Drive, Bettendorf, IA 52722 - (563)355-6336/1-800-334-3277 ext. 14 (<http://www.econolodge.com/hotel-bettendorf-iowa-IA169>)

Hampton Inn & Suites - 5290 Utica Ridge Road, Bettendorf, IA 52807 - (563)441-0001 (www.hamptoninn.com)

Hampton Inn & Suites Moline Quad City International Airport - 2450 - 69th Avenue, Moline, IL 61265 (309)762-1900 - (www.hamptoninn.com)

Hilton Garden Inn, 959 Middle Road, Bettendorf, IA 52722 (563) 265-2121

Holiday Inn - 226 - 17th Street, Rock Island, IL 61201 - (309)794-1212 (www.holidayinn.com)

Isle of Capri Casino and Hotel - 1777 Isle Parkway, Bettendorf, IA 52722 - (563)323-2712

Jumer's Casino and Hotel - Interstate 280 and Illinois Route 92, Rock Island, IL 61201 - (309)756-4600 (www.jumerscasinohotel.com)

La Quinta Inn - 3333 E. Kimberly Road, Bettendorf, IA 52722 - (563)359-3921 (www.laquinta.com)

La Quinta Inn - 5450 - 27th Street, Moline, IL 61265 - (309)762-9008 (www.laquinta.com)

Moline Fairfield Inn - 2705 - 48th Avenue, Moline, IL 61265 - (309)762-9083 (www.marriott.com)

Quality Inn and Suites - 6920 - 27th Street, Moline, IL 61265 - (309)762-1711 (www.qualityinn.com)

Quality Inn and Suites - 1000 E. Iowa Street, Eldridge, IA 52748 - (563)285-4600 (www.qualityinn.com)

Radisson QC Plaza - 111 E. 2nd Street, Davenport, IA 52802 - (563)322-2200 (www.radisson.com)

Residence Inn - Marriott - 4600 - 53rd Street, Moline, IL 61265 - (309)796-4244 (www.marriott.com/MLIQC)

Sleep Inn - 5350 Elmore Avenue, Davenport, IA 52807 - (563)355-3539

Staybridge Suites - 4729 Progress Drive, Davenport, IA 52807 - (563)359-7829 (www.staybridge.com)

Stoney Creek Inn - 101 - 18th Street, Moline, IL 61265 - (309)743-0101
(www.stoneycreekinn.com)

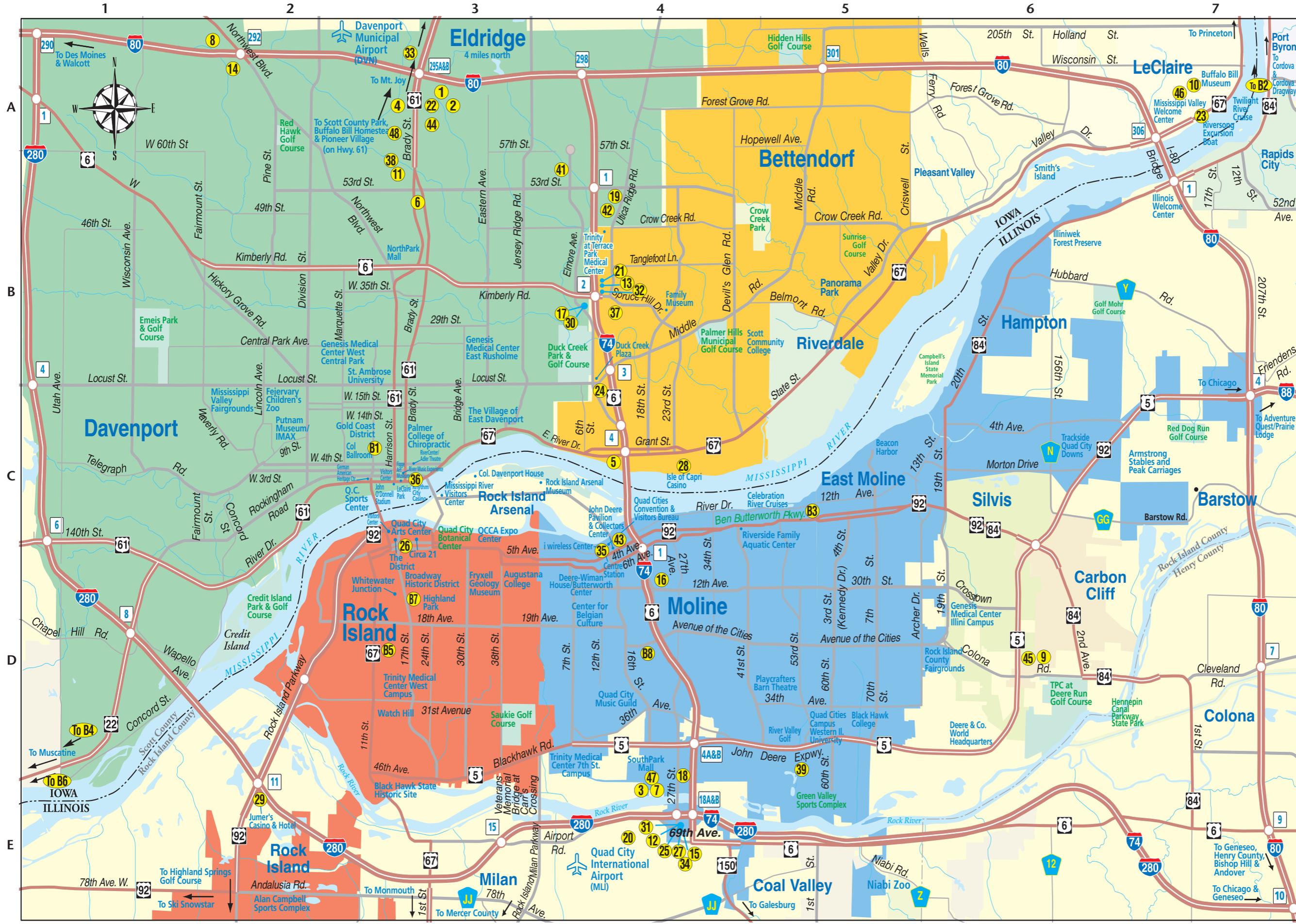
Island Access - Please Read - Very Important

All employees, contractors, and government/military visitors who visibly display their CAC upon arrival at Rock Island Arsenal will not be required to obtain access to the base. Please remove your CACs from their holders/protectors and hand them to the Security Guards at the gates for scanning. If you forget your CAC, the process to obtain access to the base will be conducted at the Moline Gate only, which may take considerable time. It is highly recommended you remember to bring your CACs with you. Foreign national students need their CACs and passport to gain access to the base.



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Where to Stay

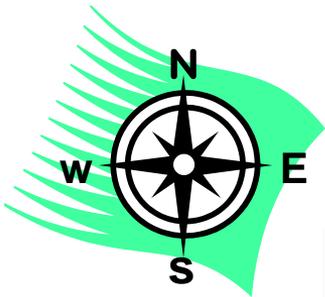
Call For More Information

Hotels / Motels

1. AmericInn Lodge & Suites - Davenport.....A3
2. Baymont Inns & Suites - Davenport.....A3
3. Best Western Airport Inn - Moline.....E4
4. Best Western SteepleGate Inn - Davenport.....A3
5. City Center Motel - BettendorfC4
6. Clarion Hotel & Conference Center - Davenport.....A3
7. Comfort Inn - Moline.....E4
8. Comfort Inn & Suites - Davenport.....A2
9. Comfort Inn & Suites - East Moline.....D6
10. Comfort Inn & Suites - LeClaire.....A7
11. Country Inn & Suites - Davenport.....A3
12. Country Inn & Suites - Moline.....E4
13. Courtyard By Marriott - BettendorfB4
14. Econolodge - DavenportA2
15. Econolodge - Moline.....E4
16. Economy Inn - Moline.....D4
17. Fairfield Inn - Davenport.....B4
18. Fairfield Inn - Moline.....E4
19. Hampton Inn & Suites - DavenportB4
20. Hampton Inn & Suites - QC Intl. Airport - Moline.....E4
21. Heartland Inn - Bettendorf.....B4
22. Heartland Inn - Davenport.....A3
23. Holiday Inn Express - LeClaire.....A7
24. Holiday Inn Hotel & Suites - Bettendorf.....C4
25. Holiday Inn - Moline Airport.....E4
26. Holiday Inn Rock Island Hotel & Conference CenterC3
27. Holiday Inn Express - Moline AirportE4
28. Isle of Capri Casino Hotel - Bettendorf.....C2
29. Jumer's Casino & Hotel - LeClaire.....E4
30. La Quinta Inns - Davenport.....B4
31. La Quinta Inns - Moline Airport.....E4
32. Lodge Hotel & Conference Center - Bettendorf.....B4
33. Quality Inn & Suites - Eldridge.....A3
34. Quality Inn & Suites - MolineE4
35. Radisson On John Deere Commons - Moline.....C4
36. Radisson Quad City Plaza Hotel - Davenport.....C3
37. Ramada - Bettendorf.....B4
38. Residence Inn by Marriott - Davenport.A3
39. Residence Inn by Marriott - MolineD5
41. Sleep Inn & Suites - Davenport.....A3
42. Staybridge Suites - Davenport.....B4
43. Stoney Creek Inn & Conference Center - Moline.....C4
44. Super 8 - Davenport.....A3
45. Super 8 - East Moline.....D6
46. Super 8 - LeClaire.....A7
47. Super 8 - Moline.....E4
48. Travelodge - Davenport.....A3

Bed & Breakfasts

- B1. Beiderbecke Inn - Davenport.....C2
- B2. Leisure Harbor Inn - Cordova, Illinois.....A7
- B3. RiverEdge - MolineC5
- B4. Strawberry Farm Bed & Breakfast - Muscatine, Iowa.....E1
- B5. Top O' The Morning - Rock Island.....D3
- B6. Varner's Caboose - Montpelier, IowaE1
- B7. Victorian Inn - Rock Island.....D3
- B8. We Share - Moline.....D4



Parking



BLDG 56

Bldg 90

DAU Rock Island

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GILLESPIE STREET

EAST STREET

NORTH AVENUE

RODMAN AVENUE

Bldgs 60, 61, and 62
Food Court & Credit Union

Bldg 64

Bldgs 66, 67, and 68
Fitness Ctr & 1st Army

STOP



Bldg 360



To Rock Island and Davenport

To Moline

Police and Fire Stations

Bldgs 102, 103, and 104

Bldg 106

Bldgs 108, 109, and 110
USO
Medical

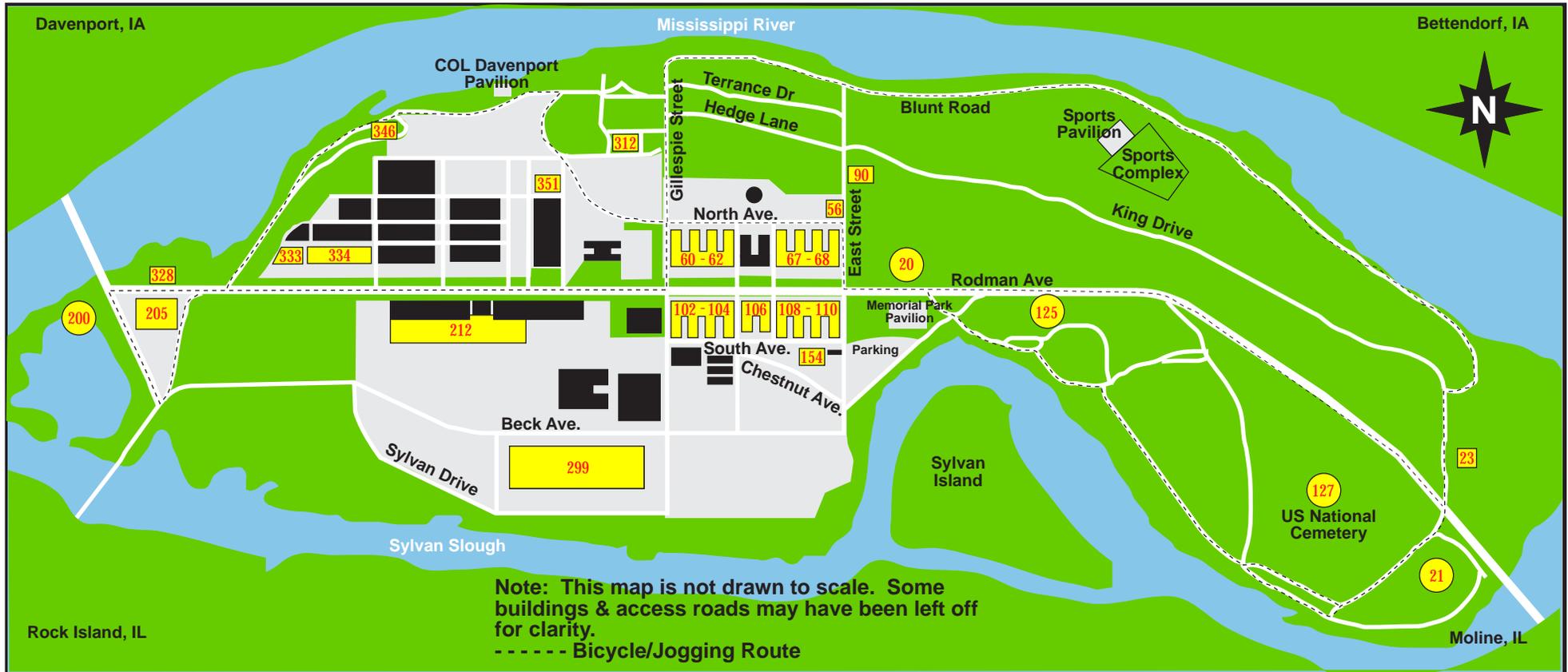


Memorial Field

Parking

Rock Island Arsenal – Abbreviated Map

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Commercial 309 782-6001

BLDG #	DSN 793-6001
20	MIA/POW Memorial
21	Driving Range 782-8630
23	Visitor Badges/Visitor Control, DEERS Military ID & Empl CAC 782-0596
390	Chaplain 782-0910
60	Arsenal Food Court 793-4337
60	Arsenal Club and Catering 793-4337
60	Caisson Room 782-4337
60	Retail Store 782-0500
56	Army Education Center 782-2065
60	Museum 782-5021
61	RIA Federal Credit Union 355-3800
67	Fitness Center 782-6787
68	First Army Headquarters (pending)
90	Rock Island Arsenal Garrison Headquarters 903-782-3982

102	Security Ofc/Empl Badges/DoD Decals 782-2871
102	SATO 782-6052
102	Civilian Personnel Advisory Center 782-1747
102	Family Housing Office 782-2376
102	Transportation Office (Passports) 782-1361
102	Transportation Office In/Out bound 782-6233
103	Baylor Conference Room
106	Recycle Center 782-0383
110	MWR Recreation Division 782-1230
110	Army Community Service (ACS) 782-0828
	ACS Handicapped Accessible Entrance
110	Community Counseling (EAP) 782-2555
110	US Army Health Clinic 782-0805
110	Children and Youth Svcs (ADMIN) 782-2828
125	Confederate Cemetery
127	National Cemetery 782-2094

60	ITR Ticket Sales 782-5890
104	Defense Reutilization & Marketing 782-1618
200	Fort Armstrong Historical Site
205	Corps of Engineers - Clock Tower
328	Mississippi River Visitor Center 794-5338
212	Kingsbury Manufacturing Center
299	Receiving
312	RIA Golf Clubhouse
334	Commissary 782-4614
333	Post Exchange 782-4940
333	Outdoor Recreation 782-8630
351	Auto Craft Shop 782-8631
346	Colonel Davenport House