

How to check the digital Veteran Card

The digital Veteran Card is a valid form of veteran status verification that can be used alongside, or in place of, the physical HM Armed Forces Veteran Card.

There are five simple steps to checking the digital card:

1 Check the **information** is complete on the card, including service number, name, date of birth, and that it is not expired. An expired card won't show the photo of its owner (see image below).

3 If your eligibility criteria is limited by service, check the **'Service'** field. Some veterans have served in more than one service, so you may require additional evidence from them.

4 Look for the official Ministry of Defence **logo** and the GOV.UK crown in the bottom border. If needed, ask the person to scroll down to view the crown.

5 Check the **live clock** on the bottom border matches the current time.



2 Check the **picture** on the card matches the person presenting it.

An expired card will have a distinct appearance:



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