

## Welcome to DFAS Limestone!



### DFAS Limestone Location:

**Loring Commerce** 

Center

27 Arkansas Rd.

Limestone, ME

04751

# What to bring with you the first day:

1. Two forms of ID.

Examples: Driver's

License, Social Security

card, birth certificate,

passport

- 2. Smartphone
- **3.** Login information for USAStaffing
- **4.** Copy of your latest Leave & Earning Statement (LES) if you are transferring from another Federal agency or DFAS site

Welcome to DFAS Limestone! We look forward to you joining our team. As a supplement to the welcome letter you received from our HR department, here is some additional information that you may find helpful.

#### **Start Time and Reporting Instructions**

Report to the main gate on Arkansas Road between 7:15am-7:30am. Provide a valid driver's license when asked to verify your identity by security personnel at the gate. After identification, you will be instructed where to park and where to enter the building. Park your vehicle as instructed. Gather in the lobby as instructed to await security personnel to provide you with temporary identification badges and to be briefed on the use of the building.

#### **Building Security**

- You will need a valid, government-issued ID to enter the building. You can enter from Arkansas Road.
- You cannot enter the building earlier than 8 a.m. unless you have a valid Common Access Card (CAC). You will be issued a CAC during your first week of employment.
- You will be required to remove metal objects (including jewelry), outerwear, belts, and everything from your pockets. You will place these items in a bin and they will be sent through a screening machine. Electronic devices such as laptops must be sent through separately (not in a purse or bag). It is not necessary to remove your shoes.
- When it is your turn, wait for the signal from the security guard and then walk through the metal detector. If something on your person causes the detector to be activated, the guard will provide a secondary screening with a handheld wand. You may be asked to remove your shoes.
- When you and your belongings have cleared the screening machine/metal detector, remove your items from the belt and move away from the screening area.

**NOTE**: Certain items are prohibited in the building. For more information regarding prohibited items please visit this link: https://www.dhs.gov/faq-regarding-items-prohibited-federal-property

#### **Dress Code**

DFAS does not have a formal dress code; acceptable attire is casual or business casual.

#### What to Expect the First Week

Your first week at DFAS will be spent in an orientation class; your work hours during that week will be determined when you arrive, but will include a 30 minute lunch period and two15-minute breaks built in. Through- out the week the orientation team and various presenters will guide you through a variety of topics and activities, including agency policies, benefits, safety, security, wellness, work-life balance, and many others. You'll be sworn in as an employee of DFAS and receive your Common Access Card (CAC). You'll complete mandatory online training and be issued a laptop. Though you won't be spending much time that first week in your regular work area, you will meet your supervisor and see your work space. The week will be a whirlwind, but our orientation team will guide you through everything you need to know.

#### **Inclement Weather**

Limestone weather can be tricky during the winter months; in the event of severe weather conditions, please call the DFAS Enduring Site status Line at 1-877-277-3983. Follow the prompts to learn the status of the Limestone site. In the event that a delay is reported, you should report in accordance with the instruction provided on the Site Status line. For example, if there is a two hour delay, you will report at 10:00 a.m. rather than 8:00 a.m. In the event that the site is closed for the day, report the following business day at 8:00 a.m.

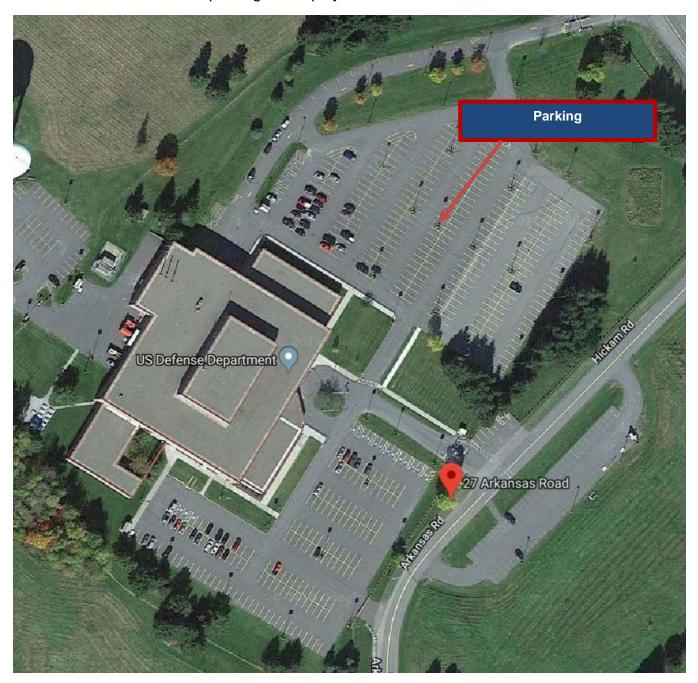
#### **Building Amenities**

DFAS Limestone offers a variety of amenities, including a health clinic, fitness room, and micromarket with a wide variety of beverages, snacks, and microwavable meals, fresh fruit, and baked goods. During orientation you'll take a tour of the building and learn more about the building amenities.



#### **Parking**

DFAS Limestone has on-site parking for employees.



We look forward to seeing you!

If you have any specific questions we will be happy to answer them during orientation.