

The Hand Salute

Present Arms



When wearing your garrison cap, raise the right hand sharply, fingers and thumb extended and joined, palm facing down, and place the tip of the right forefinger to the forehead near and slightly to the right of the right eyebrow. The outer edge of the hand is barely canted downward so that neither the back of the hand nor the palm is clearly visible from the front. The hand and wrist are straight, the elbow inclined slightly forward, and the upper arm horizontal.