Spelling list: Military ranks

colonel

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captain A **captain** is an officer holding a rank below a major but above a lieutenant.

A **colonel** is an officer holding a rank above a lieutenant **colonel** and below

a brigadier general.

corporal A **corporal** is a noncommissioned officer.

A **lieutenant** is an officer holding a rank below **lieutenant** commander and lieutenant

above lieutenant junior grade,.

general A **general** is an officer holding the highest rank.

private A **private** is an enlisted man of the lowest rank.

A **sergeant** is any of several noncommissioned officers holding a rank sergeant

above a corporal.