



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

*Lineage and Honors*

**72d ENGINEER COMPANY**

Constituted 1 October 1933 in the Regular Army as the 72d Engineer Company

Activated 4 June 1941 at Fort Belvoir, Virginia

Redesignated 1 April 1942 as the 72d Engineer Light Ponton Company

Inactivated 15 January 1946 at Camp Patrick Henry, Virginia

Activated 1 January 1949 in Korea

Reorganized and redesignated 3 January 1949 as the 72d Engineer Combat Company

Redesignated 20 March 1954 as the 72d Engineer Company

Inactivated 17 November 1954 at Fort Lewis, Washington

Activated 10 April 1956 at Fort Benning, Georgia

Inactivated 15 August 1991 at Fort Benning, Georgia

Activated 16 March 2006 at Fort Riley, Kansas

## **72d ENGINEER COMPANY**

### **CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT**

#### World War II

Normandy  
Northern France  
Rhineland  
Ardennes-Alsace  
Central Europe

#### Korean War

UN Defensive  
UN Offensive  
CCF Intervention  
First UN Counteroffensive  
CCF Spring Offensive  
UN Summer-Fall Offensive  
Second Korean Winter  
Korea, Summer-Fall 1952  
Third Korean Winter  
Korea, Summer 1953

#### War on Terrorism

Campaigns to be determined

### **DECORATIONS**

Valorous Unit Award, Streamer embroidered IRAQ 2006-2007

Valorous Unit Award, Streamer embroidered DIYALA PROVINCE 2007

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered IRAQ 2009-2010

Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered KOREA JUL-AUG  
1950

Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered KOREA SEP 1950-  
JUL 1951

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Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered KOREA DEC 1951-JUL 1952

Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered KOREA AUG 1952-SEP 1953

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:



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