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Whites more than Negroes, and those 18-19 more than the other age groups have tried to enter the Armed Forces. The greatest difference is found between those who left the Job Corps within the last 3 months where 13 percent have tried and those who left more than 6 months ago where 29 percent have tried to enter the Armed Forces.

One quarter (26%) of those who took the physical and mental tests passed both tests compared with 28 percent of the graduates. More Negroes than whites passed both tests.

Many more dropouts (34%) than graduates (6%) failed both tests:

WHICH TESTS PASSED

(Base: Tried To Enter Military Since Job Corps = 26%)

	Total %	Negro %	White %
Passed both tests	26	32	20
Passed physical only	18	15	19
Passed mental only	22	24	22
Passed neither test	34	9	39