



May 3rd, 2026 Written Examination

Written Examination Date:

Sunday, May 3rd

Location: Salem, OR

Examination Times:

9:00-11:30 OR

1:00 PM—3:30 PM

Fee:

- \$65.00 for Oregon Residents
- \$195.00 for nonresidents
- Payable by Visa, MasterCard or Discover
- See online registration form for further payment information
- Refunds: Registration fees are nonrefundable barring exceptional circumstances or if registration has closed.
- Appointment changes will not be allowed after 3:00 PM Monday, October 13th

Eligibility: Registrants must speak a language that is available for the Oregon Certified Court Interpreter Credential: Amharic, Arabic, Cantonese, Filipino (Tagalog), Korean, Mandarin, Russian, Spanish, or Vietnamese.

About the Exam

The Written Examination consists of 135 questions. Questions will cover: English language, court related terms and usage, ethics and professional conduct. The criminal history check will be conducted to assure that there are no barriers to holding the certified credential. Candidates must pass the Written Exam before they are eligible to take the Oral Exam.

Registration Process

Candidates must complete the online registration form, the Law Enforcement Data Systems (LEDS) Record Check, and pay the appropriate fee by 3:00 PM on April 10th. The address for the exam will be provided with the candidate's confirmation.

Orientation to Court Interpreting

The Written Exam is being held the day after the Orientation to Court Interpreting, which is another required step in the certification process. Candidates do not have to attend both events, but a \$10.00 discount will be offered on the total registration fee for candidates that attend both events. More information about the May 2nd Orientation to Court Interpreting can be found [online](#).

Register Online