



Update to Certified Flight Instructor Test

Certified Flight Instructor Test Prep 2010

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With the following changes, ASA's *Certified Flight Instructor Test Prep 2010* provides complete preparation for the FAA Ground, Flight, and Sport Instructor and Fundamentals of Instructing Knowledge Exams. The FAA may rearrange the answer stems on your test to appear in a different order than you see in the ASA Test Prep. For this reason, be careful to fully understand the intent of each question and corresponding answer while studying, rather than memorize the A, B, C associated with the correct response. The next test change from the FAA is expected in February 2010.

Page Number	Question Number	Correct Answer	Explanation
2-44	6840	[B]	<i>In the last line of the explanation, the equation is changed to read:</i> $3,520 + 800 = 4,320$
8-9	Chapter text	—	<i>Change the first paragraph under "Student Pilot Certification" to read as follows:</i> A Student Pilot Certificate expires at the end of the 24th month after the month in which it is issued for pilots 40 and older, or at the end of the 60th month for pilots less than 40 years old. For student pilots seeking a glider rating, balloon rating, or a Sport Pilot certificate, the Student Pilot Certificate does not expire until 60 calendar months, regardless of the person's age. To be eligible for a Student Pilot Certificate limited to airplanes, powered parachutes, and weight-shift control, an applicant must be at least 16 years of age.
8-10	6321	[C]	<i>The question and explanation are changed to read: (the answer stems and answer stay the same)</i> 6321. What is the duration of a Student Pilot Certificate for a pilot 40 years or older, seeking a Private Pilot-Airplane certificate? A Student Pilot Certificate expires at the end of the 24th month after the month in which it is issued for pilots 40 and older, or at the end of the 60th month for pilots less than 40 years old. For student pilots seeking a glider rating, balloon rating, or a Sport Pilot certificate, the Student Pilot Certificate does not expire until 60 calendar months, regardless of the person's age.
8-14	6379	[B]	<i>The explanation, first sentence of incorrect answer explanation, and correct answer are changed to read:</i> The student meets the requirements of three hours of cross-country with an authorized flight instructor. (PLT405) — 14 CFR §61.109 Answer (A) is incorrect because the student meets the 3 hours of flight training (dual) cross-country requirements. 6379 [B]
8-18	Chapter text	—	<i>The tenth and twelfth paragraphs are changed as follows:</i> A person who holds an advanced ground instructor rating is authorized to provide ground training in the aeronautical knowledge areas required for the issuance of any certificate or rating (except the instrument rating), ground training for any flight review, and a recommendation for a knowledge test required for the issuance of any certificate. * * * * * The holder of a ground instructor certificate may not perform the duties of a ground instructor unless, within the preceding 12 months, the person has served as a ground instructor or flight instructor, completed a Flight Instructor Refresher Clinic (FIRC), or the person has received an endorsement from an authorized ground or flight instructor certifying that the person has demonstrated satisfactory proficiency in the subject areas required for a ground instructor.

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8-20	6405-3	[A]	<p><i>Answer stem A and the explanation are changed to read:</i></p> <p>A—ground training in aeronautical knowledge areas for any pilot certificate or rating (except the instrument rating).</p> <p>A person who holds an advanced ground instructor rating is authorized to provide ground training in the aeronautical knowledge areas required for the issuance of any certificate or rating (except the instrument rating), ground training for any flight review, and a recommendation for a knowledge test required for the issuance of any certificate. (PLT418) — 14 CFR §61.215</p>
8-21	6405-4	[B]	<p><i>The explanation is changed to read:</i></p> <p>A person who holds an advanced ground instructor rating is authorized to provide ground training in the aeronautical knowledge areas required for the issuance of any certificate or rating (except the instrument rating), ground training for any flight review, and a recommendation for a knowledge test required for the issuance of any certificate. (PLT418) — 14 CFR §61.215</p>
8-32	6358	[B]	<p><i>In the question, explanation, and incorrect answer explanation, “12 months” is changed to “24 months.”</i></p>



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