

Fall/Winter 2022/2023 Schedule

FOOD SAFETY CERTIFICATION FOR MANAGERS TRAINING AND EXAMINATION

(Updated 9/9/2022)

Comprehensive 8-hour course (including test) covering safe food handling practices and sanitation. Students will be able to evaluate their own business to improve food safety and sanitation, and train staff in these important areas. By implementing these practices, businesses will be able to protect themselves and the public from foodborne illnesses and unsanitary conditions. Successfully completing the course meets the requirements of California Health & Safety Code Section 113947.1-5 (California Retail Food Code).

Contra Costa County classes are available at the Martinez, Mt. Diablo, and West Contra Costa Adult Education Centers (includes textbook and test). **Contact the school to register and verify current fees as they may change without notice.** Textbooks and tests are available in languages other than English if ordered in advance. Tests are available in English, Spanish, Chinese, Vietnamese, and Korean.

It is strongly recommended that the textbook be read prior to taking the examination.

CALL THE ADULT EDUCATION CENTERS TO ENROLL OR FOR FURTHER INFORMATION

Martinez Adult Education (<http://mae-martinez-ca.schoolloop.com>)

600 F St., Martinez (925) 335-5890

Class 1	Tuesday & Tuesday	Dec	6 & 13	4:00 p.m. – 8:00p.m.
Class 2	Tuesday & Tuesday	Jan	17 & 24	4:00 p.m. – 8:00p.m.

Mt. Diablo Adult Education (<http://mdae-mdusd-ca.schoolloop.com>)

1266 San Carlos Ave., Concord (925) 685-7340 ext. #6731

Class 1	Thursday & Thursday	Nov	10 & 17	4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Class 2	Thursday & Thursday	Jan	12 & 19	4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Class 3	Thursday & Thursday	Feb	2 & 9	4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Class 4	Thursday & Thursday	Mar	2 & 9	4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Class 5	Thursday & Thursday	Apr	13 & 20	4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Class 6	Thursday & Thursday	May	11 & 18	4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Class 7	Thursday & Thursday	June	8 & 15	4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

West Contra Costa Adult Education – Alvarado Campus (www.wccae.info)

5625 Sutter St., Richmond 510-231-1453

Class 1	Tuesday & Tuesday	Nov	1 & 8	4:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
Class 2	Thursday & Thursday	Dec	8 & 15	4:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
Class 3	Thursday & Thursday	Jan	12 & 19	4:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
Class 4	Thursday & Thursday	Feb	9 & 16	4:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
Class 5	Thursday & Thursday	Mar	9 & 16	4:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

West Contra Costa Adult Education (Spanish) – Alvarado Campus (www.wccae.info)

5625 Sutter St., Richmond 510-231-1453

Class 1 (Spanish)	Tuesday & Tuesday	Nov	8 & 15	4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Class 2 (Spanish)	Tuesday & Tuesday	Dec	6 & 13	4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Class 3 (Spanish)	Tuesday & Tuesday	Jan	10 & 17	4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Class 4 (Spanish)	Tuesday & Tuesday	Feb	7 & 14	4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
Class 5 (Spanish)	Tuesday & Tuesday	Mar	14 & 21	4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

These classes are taught by Environmental Health Specialists II from the Contra Costa County Environmental Health Division. For information about classes or other available training, please call (925) 608-5500.

Food Safety and Sanitation Student Information

Preparing for the Test

- **The most important thing to do in preparing for the test is to read the book. The test is based on the 2017 F.D.A. Food Code.** During the class, important issues will be discussed with an emphasis on using the information to improve food safety and sanitation, both inside and outside the workplace.
- Bring a No. 2 pencil and eraser.
- Have a photo I.D.

Translators

School district policy requires that only students who are registered be allowed to attend the class. Please, no children or others. If you need the services of a translator, prior approval of the instructor is required. Translators for the test must be independent third parties. Translators for the test are available for Spanish, Punjabi, and Hindi languages. There is a fee for these services.

Test Results

The tests are sent to directly to the testing company for evaluation and results. It typically takes two to three weeks to get the test results back and sent to you (certificate or letter of non-passing).

Changing Registration

If you want to change the person taking the class for your business, contact the adult school office to officially make the change.

Rescheduling Class

If you need to reschedule a class for which you have already signed up, please contact the school as soon as possible. There may be a fee for transferring to a later class.