



WASHINGTON COURT INTERPRETER PROGRAM 2011 CERTIFICATION PROCESS

FEBRUARY 26
2011

WRITTEN EXAMINATION

English language, vocabulary, court related terms, ethics, and translation passages. Locations: Bellevue College and Yakima Valley Community College

MAY 14, 2011
(BELLEVUE)
MAY 21, 2011
(YAKIMA)

INTERPRETER ORIENTATION

One-day class on legal terminology and procedure, simultaneous interpreting, consecutive interpreting and sight translation.
Locations: Bellevue College and Yakima Valley Community College

SEPT. 17 & 18
2011

ORAL INTERPRETING EXAMINATION

Individually scheduled testing appointments. Sight translation, consecutive interpreting and simultaneous interpreting.
Location: Bellevue College

FEBRUARY 2012

COURT INTERPRETER ETHICS AND PROTOCOL

Interpreters must pass a criminal background check, and meet all the above requirements to participate in this one-day class on interpreter ethics and courtroom protocol. The interpreter oath is administered as the final step in becoming certified.