

License Information

Scope- Tests a candidate's knowledge of installation of gypsum drywall products to wood and metal studs, wood and steel joists, and metal runners, including the preparation of the surface over which the drywall product is to be applied, and the placement of metal studs, runners, and all necessary trim.

Examination Outline

Open Book

50 Questions – Three-hour time limit

70% Correct Required to Pass

SUBJECT AREA	PERCENTAGE
PLAN READING AND ESTIMATING	14
FRAMING	16
SUBSTRATE	14
HANGING	16
FINISHING	14
TEXTURING	10
SAFETY – CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS	16

References

The following references ARE allowed in the testing center:

International Building Code, 2000 Edition, International Code Council, 4051 West Flossmoor Road, Country Club Hills, IL 60478-5795.

International Residential Code for One- and Two-Family Dwellings, 2000 Edition, International Code Council, 4051 West Flossmoor Road, Country Club Hills, IL 60478-5795.

Code of Federal Regulations, Title 29, Part 1926 (OSHA), 2002 Edition, Superintendent of Documents, P.O. Box 371954, Pittsburgh, PA 15250-7954.

OSHA Excerpts for Contractors, Third Edition, 2002, Prometric, 1260 Energy Lane, St. Paul, MN 55108.

The following references have been used to create exam questions but are NOT allowed in the testing center:

Specifications for the Application and Finishing of Gypsum Board-GA-216-2000, 2000 Edition, Gypsum Association, 810 First Street N.E., Suite 510, Washington, DC 20002.

Gypsum Construction Handbook, Centennial Edition, 2000, United States Gypsum Company / All USA, 125 South Franklin Street, Chicago, IL 60606-4678.

Residential Steel Design and Construction, 1997 Edition, McGraw-Hill Publishing, Inc., P.O. Box 182604, Columbus, OH 43272.

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