

The California State Floral Association (CSFA) &
The California Certified Florist (CCF) Program
present:.

The California Certified Florist Exam

The California Certified Florist Program, underwritten by CSFA, is a statewide certification program that evaluates and accredits the craftsmanship and professional skill level of florists in California. It is designed to certify a basic level of ability and knowledge that is necessary for personal success in the floral industry.

The growing number of certified members form a network of support, ensure professional quality and maintain the standards within the floral industry of California.

Who becomes a California Certified Florist?

Retail Florist shop Owners * Retail Florist Employees * Independent Floral Designers * Free-Lance Designers * Event and Party Designers * AG Educators * Floristry Students

Why become a California Certified Florist (CCF)?

To be classified among the state's most respected and knowledgeable florists; To develop and maintain industry standards promoting respectability, professionalism and service in our field; For the privilege of using the CCF accreditation and logo in advertising and promotions; To help raise the profile of our profession. Furthermore, CCF is recognized as an important step for designers preparing for AIFD certification.

How to become a California Certified Florist

Applicants may pursue certification independently or be sponsored by an employer. Sponsored students who attain certification will automatically earn a certificate for their employer. Certification requires passing a written test and hands on exam. See our website for more details on the exam and testing requirements: www.http://calstatefloral.com/exam

Recommended Study Materials

The Art of Floral Design By Norah T. Hunter , Delmar Learning

AIFD Guide to Floral Design: Terms, Techniques and Traditions By AIFD

 $\label{principles} \textbf{Principles of Floral Design By Pat Diehl Scace and James Del Prince} \\$

Flower Arranging by Teresa P. Lanker 2020 Editoin

Cut Flowers and Cut Foliage by Su Whale

Buying & Arranging Cut Flowers by Judith Blacklock

CCF EXAM Prep Classes

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Registration Form

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Registration closes 10/27/23	Price
CCF Exam November 6, 2023 CSFA Member After 010/15/23 the registration rate is \$475	\$435.00
CCF Exam November 6, 2023 Non- CSFA Member After 10/15/23 the rate is \$575	\$535.00

California State Floral Association (CSFA) Cancellation Policy

CSFA makes every effort to hold scheduled workshops and exams, but occasionally, unforeseen circumstances arise such as instructor emergencies, location issues, or low enrollment. If CSFA postpones or cancels your workshop or exam we will provide you with as much advance notice as reasonably possible under the circumstance. Once you are notified of a workshop cancellation, you have the right to reschedule or request a refund. Please keep this policy in mind as you make travel arrangements, as CSFA will not be liable for travel costs.

If you cancel a workshop or exam 7 days prior to class start: no charges incurred. If you cancel 6 days or fewer prior to class start: you will be charged 100% of the class fee. If you register during the cancellation period, the policy is in effect immediately. If you are registered in a workshop and fail to attend, you will be charged 100% of the class fee.

Hands On Exam

November 6

2023

7:30am-1:00pm

at

Floral Supply Syndicate

Sacramento, CA

&

Online Written Exam

7:00pm—9:00pm Tuesday, November 14 2023

Early Registration

\$435 Exam Fee CSFA members \$535 Exam Fee non-members

Registration rates after 10/15/23 \$475 CSFA Members \$575 non-Members

Annual CSFA/CCF Dues required to remain in good standing and retain CCF credential.

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