

# Which civics test should I study?

Find the Form N-400 filing date in the learner's USCIS records.

The interview date does not choose the test version.

**The cutoff date is October 20, 2025**

## **FILED BEFORE OCTOBER 20, 2025**

### **Study the 2008 civics test**

100 possible questions

Up to 10 questions asked orally; 6 correct to pass

Use the 2008 USCIS question bank

[Open the official USCIS question list](#)

## **FILED ON OR AFTER OCTOBER 20, 2025**

### **Study the 2025 civics test**

128 possible questions

Up to 20 questions asked orally; 12 correct to pass

Use the 2025 USCIS question bank

[Open the official USCIS question list](#)

### **Special consideration and changing answers**

Eligible 65/20 learners study the 20 marked questions in their applicable test version.

Check names of current officials and state answers again near the interview date.

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Sources: USCIS 2008 and 2025 question lists (links above); Federal Register notice:  
[govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2025-09-18/pdf/2025-18050.pdf](https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2025-09-18/pdf/2025-18050.pdf)

Changing answers: [uscis.gov/citizenship/testupdates](https://uscis.gov/citizenship/testupdates)

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