

Recreation Vehicle Service Technician

Interprovincial Journeyperson Examination Information

Apprentice Requirements:	3 years and 4800 hours
Tradesperson Requirements:	4.5 years and 7200 hours
Practical Examination:	No

The interprovincial (IP) journeyperson examination for this trade is developed by a national committee of worker and employer representatives. The content for IP Examinations is drawn from the *Choose an item*. For that trade and is based on industry's standards and expectations. You can download and print a free copy of the RSOS from the Red Seal website by visiting www.red-seal.ca.

To write the interprovincial journeyperson examination, you must either successfully complete an apprenticeship training program or meet tradesperson eligibility requirements. The pass mark is 70%.

Red Seal Examination preparation resources:

To assist in the understanding of the development of all Interprovincial Red Seal examinations, Employment and Social Development Canada (ESDC) has developed the following information.

- A short explanation of the role of an occupational standard in the development of a Red Seal examination can be accessed on the Red Seal website at the following link: <http://www.red-seal.ca/resources/wh.1t.3sn.4.1-eng.html>
- The Getting Ready for the Examination document can be accessed through the Red Seal website at the following link: <http://www.red-seal.ca/docms/getready-eng.pdf>
- Red Seal examination sample questions can be accessed on the Red Seal website at the following link: http://www.red-seal.ca/resources/s.1mpl.2_q.5.2st.3.4ns-eng.html
- A trade specific skills assessment tool is available on the Red Seal website at the following link: <https://www.red-seal.ca/conf/assets/custom/docms/rec-vehicle-serv-tech/self-assessment.pdf>

Use of cell phones, electronic imaging/recording or communication equipment is **not** permitted. You will be required to leave immediately if any of these items are found on your person.

Please note that examinations and study information change frequently. The most recent information is available on our website at www.saskapprenticeship.ca.

Recreation Vehicle Service Technician – Red Seal Examination Breakdown

An Interprovincial Red Seal examination is based on the National Occupational Analysis (NOA) for the trade. The NOA describes the skills and knowledge required to perform the duties of the trade. Each standard is divided into Blocks (NOA) or Major Work Activities (MWA) (RSOS), which are divided into Tasks, which are divided into Sub-tasks.

The Red Seal examination has a certain number of questions assigned to these sections. The number of questions are provided below. For more information, see the full Red Seal Occupational Standard for this [trade](#).

Total number of questions on the Interprovincial Red Seal examination – 120 questions*

Subject	Percent	Number of Questions
Block A: Common Occupational Skills	8%	
Task A-1: Performs safety-related functions		3
Task A-2: Uses and maintains tools and equipment		3
Task A-3: Performs common work practices and procedures		4
Block B: Plumbing Systems	11%	
Task B-4: Diagnoses plumbing systems		5
Task B-5: Services potable water systems		4
Task B-6: Services wastewater systems		4
Block C: Electrical Systems	18%	
Task C-7: Diagnoses electrical systems		10
Task C-8: Services AC electrical system		6
Task C-9: Services DC electrical system		6
Block D: LP Gas Systems	16%	
Task D-10: Diagnoses LP gas system		10
Task D-11: Repairs LP gas system		9
Block E: Appliances and Consumer Products	17%	
Task E-12: Maintains appliances		5
Task E-13: Diagnoses appliances		6
Task E-14: Repairs appliances and consumer products		7
Task E-15: Installs appliances and consumer products		2
Block F: Interior and Exterior	10%	

Task F-16: Diagnoses interior and exterior components		3
Task F-17: Services interior components		4
Task F-18: Services exterior components		5
Block G: Chassis and Mechanical Components	13%	
Task G-19: Maintains chassis and mechanical components		4
Task G-20: Diagnoses chassis and mechanical components		5
Task G-21: Repairs chassis and mechanical systems		5
Task G-22: Installs chassis and mechanical components		2
Block H: Towing Systems	7%	
Task G-23: Diagnoses towing systems		4
Task G-24: Services towing systems		4
Total	100%	120

**The number of questions on an interprovincial examination, assigned to assess each major work activity of the RSOS, as derived from the collective input from workers within the trade across Canada.*

Suggested trade resources when preparing for the examination.

To assist you, a list of reference textbooks is provided below. Note that ISBN numbers are subject to change. Please consult with your supplier to access their most current version of the textbook you are acquiring. It is not necessary to use these specific textbooks; you may find others which will be equally beneficial. You are encouraged to seek additional reference materials in all test areas.

- Trade Course Outline*located at www.saskapprenticeship.ca or www.tradesecrets.org.
- Electrical Code Simplified - Residential Wiring by P.S. Knight 2015 ISBN 9780920312537
- Institute Instruction Note Packages and Reference Material
- CSA / Z240 MH SERIES-09 (R2015) - Manufactured homes 2015
- CSA / Z240 RV SERIES-14 - Recreational Vehicles 2014
- CSA / Z240.10.1-08 (R2013) - Site Preparation, Foundation, and Anchorage of Manufactured Homes 2013
- Various RV Service Textbooks, published by RVIA:
- Electricity Demystified McGraw-Hill Companies Inc. 2005
- RV Brake, Suspension and Towing Systems RVIA. 2012
- RV Generators RVIA 2012
- RV Hydraulics RVIA 2012
- RV Plumbing Systems RVIA 2012
- RV Propane Systems RVIA 2012
- RV Refrigerators RVIA 2012
- RV Water Heaters RVIA 2012

- RV Air Conditioners RVIA 2012
- RV Electrical Systems RVIA 2012
- RV Heating Systems RVIA 2012
- RV Preventive Maintenance RVIA 2012
- RV Pre-Delivery Inspection RVIA 2012
- RV Range and Cooktops RVIA 2012
- Introduction to RV Service RVIA 2012
- Canadian Standards of Excellence Red Seal Program “Recreation Vehicle Service Technician” National Occupational Analysis (NOA) **

Individual Learning Modules (ILM’s) for the Recreation Vehicle Service Technician trade may be ordered through the Saskatchewan Polytechnic Bookstore Call Centre: 1-866-569-8398 or through <https://ilm.nait.ca/home> under Recreation Vehicle Service Technician.

Those studying for their Interprovincial examination may wish to refer to other Level booklists for additional study materials.

*Unless otherwise noted, books listed here are available through the Saskatchewan Polytechnic Bookstore Call Centre: 1-866-569-8398

NOTE: Textbooks **are not** usually available from libraries. When textbooks are being purchased, candidates should allow several weeks for delivery and several weeks for studying.

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