

Candidate Proficiency Requirements

1. You must pass each written test with a score of at least 70%. The test may be taken with the reading material available to you at the time of the test. Once the test has been successfully completed, you are then eligible to give the rest of your proficiency to a committee or at a lodge meeting.
2. In addition to a written test for each degree, it is necessary for you to attend at least four Lodge meetings, no less than one of which will be a visitation to another lodge, and one Stated (business) meeting of your own Lodge, before you can be considered sufficiently proficient to receive a dues card.
3. In the event that it is impossible for you to attend the required Lodge meetings or visitations, you may substitute a reading or additional memorization for each meeting missed. Your visitation meeting may only be substituted by a reading or memorization work and not by attendance at your own Lodge's meeting. Readings may consist of pamphlets provided by the Masonic Service Association or Masonic books, including reference works. All of these will be provided to you by your mentor. Your word that you have reviewed the reading will be sufficient information that you have qualified for this portion of the proficiency, however it would be beneficial that a discussion were held with your mentor to answer any questions that you may have regarding the material.
4. Please make sure that you or your mentor fills in the Proficiency Record.

Mentor's Name
Mentor's Address
Mentor's Phone

Worshipful Master's Name
Worshipful Master's Phone

Secretary's Name
Secretary's Phone

Lodge Phone

Top Line Signer's Name
Top Line Signer's Phone

Second Line Signer's Name
Second Line Signer's Phone