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2023 Poultry Tester Class Schedule

The Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, Food & Forestry, Animal Industry Services, will host several poultry tester classes this year. *If you are showing any signs of sickness, we ask that you stay please stay home.*

The classes are for individuals 16 years of age and older that wish to test poultry for Pullorum/Typhoid for National Poultry Improvement Plan participation and to enter poultry shows and/or fairs. This year, we are certifying testers again to be able to process Avian Influenza Swabs and how to submit them to the appropriate lab for testing.

Things to note before you attend the course:

- The class fee is \$5.00 and the tester's certificate is \$30.00 for a three-year certificate.
- Please **bring a check for \$35.00 or have exact change** when you come to the class as there will be no cashier at these classes
- There will be an application form at the class for you to complete, sign and date.
 - FOR BIOSECURITY REASONS....NO ONE WILL BRING LIVE BIRDS...WE WILL HAVE OTHER MEANS OF TRAINING AVAILABLE
- No supplies will be provided at these classes; however, Supply Order Forms will be available.

If you have any questions, please call Sherrie Davis at 405-522-6139.

Please RSVP by 4:00 p.m. the Monday before the class you are attending by registering through our website at https://ag.ok.gov/licensing-permits/.

2023 Classes for New or Recertifying Testers

Monday, April 17, 2023 9:00 a.m. OKC

> Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, Food, & Forestry Conference Room 301 & 300, 3rd Floor 2800 N Lincoln Blvd OKC, OK 73105

Monday, April 24, 2023 9:00 a.m. Woodward

Woodward Event Center and Fairgrounds Conference Room 108 Temple Houston Dr Woodward OK 73801

Monday, May 1, 2023 9:00 a.m. Lawton

> Comanche County Fairgrounds Sunset Room 920 SW Sheridan Rd Lawton OK 73505

Friday, May 5, 2023 Saturday, May 6, 2023 9:00 a.m. Tulsa

> Tulsa Fairgrounds 4145 E 21st Tulsa, OK 74114

Enter at Gate 5 off 15th St. between S Yale Ave & S Louisville Ave. Class will be in the Expo Serve which is on the south side of the Armory building. There should be a white Oklahoma State Vehicle parked near the entrance. (Map enclosed)

Monday, May 8, 2023 9:00 a.m. Atoka

> Kiamichi Technology Center Seminar Center 1301 W Liberty Rd Atoka, OK 74525

If we do not receive any RSVPs for a specific date or location, it will be cancelled.