



FOOD WORKER CARD CLASS FAQs

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Washington State requires that all food workers have food safety training before handling food served to the public. Food workers who attend a food safety training class and pass the State of Washington exam on food safety basics are issued a Food Worker Card.

WHAT IS THE CLASS?

The Food Worker Card class consists of reading a Food and Beverage Workers booklet, watching a video, a question/answer period and a multiple choice written exam.

HOW LONG DOES IT LAST?

Approximately 1 to 1 ½ hours.

WHEN IS THE CLASS?

Classes are held Monday through Friday at various times and locations. Please check the Food Worker Card class schedule. Holidays may cause some classes to be canceled. Call (360) 337-5235 for current class information.

HOW MUCH DOES IT COST?

Food Worker Cards cost \$10.00. Cash only. Please have exact change.

DO I NEED TO PRE-REGISTER?

No pre-registration is required. Classes begin on time and no late entry is allowed.

WHAT DO I NEED TO BRING TO CLASS?

Picture ID (student ID, drivers license, etc.), your old health card and a pen. All other materials will be provided.

WHERE IS THE CLASS?

Classes are held Monday through Friday at several different locations throughout the county. Check the Food Worker class schedule to locate a place and time that is convenient for you.

WHEN WILL I GET MY CARD?

Cards are issued at the end of the class after successful completion of the test.

WHEN WILL MY CARD EXPIRE?

If this is your first time receiving a Food Worker card or if your last card is expired more than 14 days, your new card will be valid for 2 years from the issue date. If you have a health card that expired less than 14 days ago or a current health card, your card will be valid for 3 years from issue date.

You can receive a 5-year renewal food worker card, if you have a current card and can show that you have had "Additional Food Safety Training" within the past 2 years.

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