Digital Print Operator 2
Exam Code: 0PBEE
Department: State of California
Exam Type: Servicewide, Open
Final Filing Date: Continuous

CLASSIFICATION DETAILS
Digital Print Operator 2 – $3,508.00 - $4,393.00 per month
View the Digital Print Operator 2 classification specification

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS
Final Filing Date: Continuous Who

Should Apply:
Applicants who meet the minimum qualifications as stated on this bulletin may apply for and take this examination.
Once you have taken this examination, you may not retake it for twelve (12) months.

How To Apply:
The link to connect to the Training and Experience Evaluation is located farther down on this bulletin in the “Taking the Exam” section.

Special Testing Arrangements:
If you require special testing arrangements due to a verified disability or medical condition, please contact:
California Department of Human Resources

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MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS
All applicants must meet the education and/or experience requirements as stated on this exam bulletin to be accepted into the examination. Part-time or full-time jobs, regardless of whether paid or volunteer positions, and inside or outside California state service will count toward experience.

Digital Print Operator 2

Either I

In the California state service, one year performing the duties of a Digital Print Operator I.

Or II

Two years of experience performing progressively more difficult printing duties that include operation of high-speed duplication or digital print equipment.

POSITION DESCRIPTION
Digital Print Operator 2

This is the full journey level in the series. Under direction, incumbents are responsible for completing printing jobs that require the execution of the full range of complex operating commands and electronic manipulation functions. They perform the tasks needed to prepare, operate, and maintain a variety of digital printing equipment including their finishing attachments. Incumbents may serve in a lead capacity.

EXAMINATION SCOPE
This examination consists of the following components:

Training and Experience Evaluation – Weighted 100% of the final score.

The examination will consist solely of a Training and Experience Evaluation. To obtain a position on the eligible list, a minimum score of 70% must be received.

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Applicants will receive their score upon completion of the Training and Experience Evaluation process.

In addition to evaluating applicants’ relative knowledge, skills, and ability, as demonstrated by quality and breadth of education and/or experience, emphasis in each exam component will be measuring competitively, relative job demands, each applicant’s:

**Knowledge of:**

1. Principles and procedures used to operate high-speed or digital print equipment
2. Papers and tools used in high-speed print duplication
3. Record-keeping practices, supply inventory, and requisition processes
4. Basic electronics and computer commands used to operate digital print equipment
5. Safety requirements applied in the operation of large equipment
6. Industrial workplace safety practices
7. Computer operation principles and processes used to operate digital print equipment
8. Principles and techniques used to modify digital print images and products

**Ability to:**

1. Operate digital print equipment
2. Perform minor repairs
3. Prepare job for shipment
4. Follow oral and written instructions used to complete printing jobs
5. Organize, prioritize, schedule, and structure multiple work tasks in order to optimize efficient use of print capabilities
6. Identify minor problems with print jobs or equipment and make corrections
7. Take measurements using fractions and apply basic mathematical functions (addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division)
8. Set up and operate various types of finishing equipment including hydraulic drills, cutters, heavy-duty stitchers, and comb binding machines
9. Interact effectively and courteously with all levels of personnel, customers, vendors, and other parties
10. Move and/or lift up to 50 pounds
11. Stand for long periods of time
12. Retrieve and save electronic files
13. Electronically manipulate printing files and jobs including sizing, cropping, masking, rotating images, shading, watermarks, stretching, merging from merged files, and mail merging
14. Electronically manipulate colors
15. Learn new software application program
ELIGIBLE LIST INFORMATION

A servicewide, open eligible list for the Digital Print Operator 2 classification will be established for the State of California (all State of California departments, statewide).

The names of successful competitors will be merged onto the eligible list in order of final score regardless of exam date. Eligibility expires **twelve (12) months** after it is established. Applicants must then retake the examination to reestablish eligibility. Veterans’ Preference will be granted for this examination. In accordance with Government Codes 18973.1 and 18973.5, whenever any veteran, or widow or widower of a veteran achieves a passing score on an open examination, he or she shall be ranked in the top rank of the resulting eligible list.

Veterans status is verified by the California Department of Human Resources (CalHR). Information on this program and the Veterans’ Preference Application (Std. form 1093) is available online. Additional information on veteran benefits is available at the Department of Veterans Affairs.

EXAMINATION INFORMATION

**Preview of the Digital Print Operator 2 Training and Experience Evaluation**

PREPARING FOR THE EXAMINATION

Here is a list of suggested resources to have available prior to taking the exam.

**Employment History:** Employment dates, job titles, organization names and addresses, names of supervisors or persons who can verify your job responsibilities, and phone numbers of persons listed above.

**Education:** School names and addresses, degrees earned, dates attended, courses taken (verifiable on a transcript), persons or office who can verify education, and phone numbers of persons or offices listed above.

**Training:** Class titles, certifications received, names of persons who can verify your training, and phone numbers of persons listed above.

TAKING THE EXAMINATION

**Take the Digital Print Operator 2 examination**

**TESTING DEPARTMENTS**

State of California (all State of California departments)

**CONTACT INFORMATION**

California Department of Human Resources
CalCareer Service Center

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California Relay Service: 7-1-1 (TTY and voice)

TTY is a Telecommunications Device for the Deaf, and is reachable only from phones equipped with a TTY Device.

**EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER**

The State of California is an equal opportunity employer to all, regardless of age, ancestry, color, disability (mental and physical), exercising the right of family care and medical leave, gender, gender expression, gender identity, genetic information, marital status, medical condition, military or veteran status, national origin, political affiliation, race, religious creed, sex (includes pregnancy, childbirth, breastfeeding, and related medical conditions), and sexual orientation.

**DRUG-FREE STATEMENT**

It is an objective of the State of California to achieve a drug-free State workplace. Any applicant for State employment will be expected to behave in accordance with this objective, because the use of illegal drugs is inconsistent with the law of the State, the rules governing civil service, and the special trust placed in public servants.

**GENERAL INFORMATION**

Examination and/or Employment Application (STD 678) forms are available at the California Department of Human Resources, local offices of the Employment Development Department, and through your [CalCareer Account](mailto:CalCareer@CalHR.CA.GOV).

If you meet the requirements stated on this examination bulletin, you may take this examination, which is competitive. Possession of the entrance requirements does not assure a place on the eligible list. Your performance in the examination described in this bulletin will be rated against a predetermined job-related rating, and all applicants who pass will be ranked according to their score.

The California Department of Human Resources (CalHR) reserves the right to revise the examination plan to better meet the needs of the service, if the circumstances under which this examination was planned change. Such revision will be in accordance with civil service laws and rules and all applicants will be notified.

General Qualifications: Applicants must possess essential personal qualifications including integrity, initiative, dependability, good judgement, the ability to work cooperatively with others, and a state of health consistent with the ability to perform the...
assigned duties of the class. A medical examination may be required. In open examinations, investigation may be made of employment records and personal history and fingerprinting may be required.

Eligible Lists: Eligible lists established by competitive examination, regardless of date, must be used in the following order: 1) sub-divisional promotional, 2) departmental promotional, 3) multi-departmental promotional, 4) servicewide promotional, 5) departmental open, 6) open. When there are two lists of the same kind, the older must be used first. Eligible lists will expire in one to four years unless otherwise stated on the bulletin.

High School Equivalence: Equivalence to completion of the 12th grade may be demonstrated in any one of the following ways: 1) passing the General Education Development (GED) Test; 2) completion of 12 semester units of college-level work; 3) certification from the State Department of Education, a local school board, or high school authorities that the competitor is considered to have education equivalent to graduation from high school; or 4) for clerical and accounting classes, substitution of business college work in place of high school on a year-for-year basis.