

Study Guide for Security Guard Examinations

All principals and certified trainers must demonstrate knowledge and proficiency in the following areas:

- All topics in the security guard presassignment training course
- Washington State laws regarding security guard licensing and regulations
- Legal and liability issues related to the security guard industry
- General security management

Where can I find the study material to prepare for the examination?

- Washington State Laws Regulating Private Security Guards
Chapter 18.170 RCW
<https://apps.leg.wa.gov/RCW/default.aspx?cite=18.170>
- Washington Administrative Code for Private Security Guards
WAC 308-18
<https://apps.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=308-18>
- Washington State Patrol, WATCH
<https://watch.wsp.wa.gov/>
- Uniform Regulation of Business and Professions Act
Chapter 18.235 RCW
<https://apps.leg.wa.gov/RCW/default.aspx?cite=18.235>
- Firearms and Dangerous Weapons Law
<https://apps.leg.wa.gov/RCW/default.aspx?cite=9.41>
- Master Business License, Secretary of State, US Department of Revenue, and Trade Names
<https://www.dol.wa.gov/business>
- Equal Employment Opportunity Commission
<https://www.eeoc.gov>
- Criminal Justice Training Commission – Use of Force Continuum
<https://cjtc.app.box.com/s/8wqmaunb0tsg2o8q941jidunsf7444da>
- Washington Criminal Code Title 9A
<https://apps.leg.wa.gov/RCW/default.aspx?cite=9A>
- Occupational Safety & Health Administration
<https://www.osha.gov/>
- Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS)
<http://www.ilpi.com/msds/faq/parta.html>
- Protection Officers Training Manual
<https://catalog.loc.gov/vwebv/holdingsInfo?searchId=21133&recCount=25&recPointer=0&bibId=13173258>