

## The Course Examination

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Once a passing score of 70% has been secured, you will be mailed a Continuing Education Course Completion Certificate and the Board of Professional Surveyors and Mappers will be notified that you have earned eight (8) CEU Hours.

The Course Examination must be completed before CEU Credit Hours can be awarded to you.

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1.) **For Horizontal accuracy, my survey must:**

- a. State the datum that was used...
- b. Describe the horizontal control used...
- c. Describe the methods used to determine the horizontal accuracy...
- d. All of the above.

**Answer:**

2.) **The accuracy of survey measurements is determined from the expected use of the survey...**

- a. True
- b. False

**Answer:**

3.) **For Vertical accuracy, my survey must (may be more than one correct answer):**

- a. State the datum that was used...
- b. Describe the bench marks that were used...
- c. Show the elevations in units of Feet and Meters...
- d. None of the above.

**Answer:**

4.) **How long must you retain a copy of any final work product that you produce?**

- a. At least Ninety days
- b. Until you quit, retire or get fired.
- c. At least Six years
- d. At least Three years

**Answer:**

5.) **Once I complete a Survey Map and Report, I must:**

- a. Sign and seal it...
- b. Sign, seal and date it...
- c. Ask for a raise...
- d. Provide six (6) copies to my client.

**Answer:**

- 6.) **Per Our Professional Standards, all boundary surveys that are performed shall result in**
- a. A map...
  - b. Digital files...
  - c. An invoice...
  - d. All of the above

**Answer:**

- 7.) **As a faithful agent I must:**
- a. Negotiate the best contract that I can...
  - b. Keep my client's information private...
  - c. Tell my client about my competition...
  - d. All of the above

**Answer:**

- 8.) **Should a gap between an adjoiner and the property I am surveying be identified?**
- a. Yes
  - b. No

**Answer:**

- 9.) **Location of any fixed improvements pertinent to the survey must be shown on my survey.**
- a. Yes
  - b. No

**Answer:**

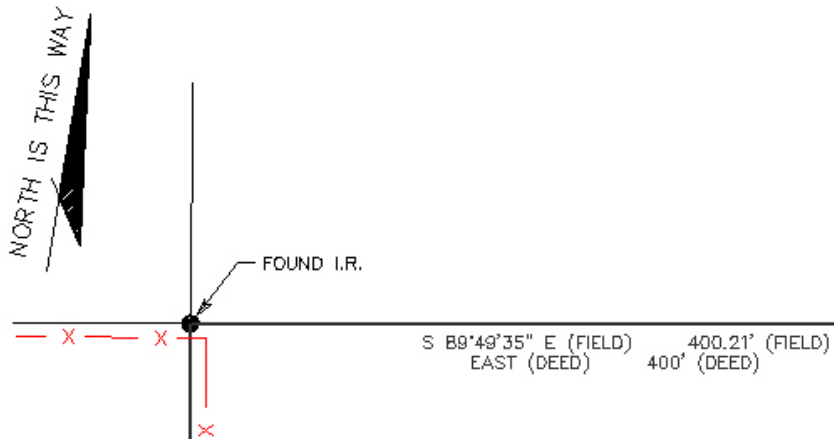
- 10.) **Per our Professional Standards, Boundary Monuments must:**
- a. Be at least 15 inches long...
  - b. Shown on my survey only if I set them...
  - c. Display my firm's LB number...
  - d. Be referenced on my survey.

**Answer:**

- 11.) **Can an assumed vertical datum ever be used?**
- a. Yes
  - b. No

**Answer:**

12.) There is something in this picture that could be considered a violation. What is it?



**Answer:**

13.) When a sketch accompanies a description, the sketch must:

- a. Show the Point of Beginning
- b. Show everything contained in the description...
- c. Be produced on letter size paper...
- d. Not be signed or sealed.

**Answer:**

14.) My computational records include:

- a. Coordinate lists
- b. Field notes
- c. CAD files
- d. All of the above

**Answer:**

15.) All survey maps must:

- a. Indicate the county the survey was performed in
- b. Indicate the type of survey that was performed
- c. Include a location sketch
- d. Be produced at a reasonable scale

**Answer:**

- 16.) **Per Our Professional Standards, all boundary surveys must:**
- a. Be based upon a field survey...
  - b. Be identified as a Boundary Survey...
  - c. Show everything contained in the parcel's description...
  - d. All of the above

**Answer:**

- 17.) **As I perform my field survey I find a 1/2" iron pipe 0.15' north and 0.20' east of my calculated position for the corner. What do I do?**
- a. Just show the iron pipe on my survey with the offsets indicated...
  - b. Pull up the iron pipe...
  - c. Set a new corner in the calculated position and show the iron pipe with the offsets...
  - d. Use my sledge hammer and beat on the iron pipe until it fits calculated position.

**Answer:**

- 18.) **I can't set a boundary corner because there is a fence corner in the way. What do I do?**

**Answer:**

- 19.) **Per Our Professional Standards, what is needed to prove you obtained CEU credit?**
- a. A Certificate of Completion...
  - b. An official college transcript
  - c. Survey convention paid registration receipt
  - d. They all are

**Answer:**

- 20.) **If you move or change jobs, how long do you have to notify the Department?**

**Answer:**

- 21.) **If you locate fixed improvements on your survey what must you do?**
- a. Show ties to them directly to the boundary
  - b. Include pertinent symbols for them in the legend.
  - c. Neither
  - d. Both

**Answer:**

22.) **If I retire or just get out of the survey business, what must I do with all of my files?**

- a. Maintain them for at least 6 years...
- b. Lock them up in my storage shed and forget about them...
- c. Provide safe storage and access for at least 3 years...
- d. None of the above

**Answer:**

23.) **I can show another surveyor's information on my survey but only if:**

- a. I obtain his written consent...
- b. Pay him a portion of my fee for the job...
- c. I agree to say nice things about him...
- d. I obtain my client's permission...

**Answer:**

24.) **A client provides you with a copy of a list of parcels that he wishes to purchase for future development. What do you do?**

**Answer:**

25.) **You prepare a topographic survey that will include features you surveyed as well as features surveyed by others. What should you do?**

**Answer:**

26.) **Which of these are grounds for discipline (maybe more than one correct answer)?**

- a. False advertising...
- b. Failing to pay any fine or final judgment...
- c. Violating the provisions for Chapter 177, F.S....
- d. Mixing a striped shirt with plaid pants...

**Answer:**

27.) **Our Professional Standards states that a survey of a lot in a platted subdivision must:**

- a. List the zoning of the property...
- b. Show the Block and Lot numbers including adjoining lots...
- c. List the address of the lot...
- d. Show the property appraiser's parcel ID number...

**Answer:**

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- 28.) **Subdivision plats must be submitted with an accompanying boundary survey. What standards must the boundary survey follow?**
- a. Our Professional Standards
  - b. Chapter 177
  - c. Local government standards
  - d. None of the above

**Answer:**

- 29.) **Our Professional Standards requires:**
- a. You make any conflict of interest known to everyone involved
  - b. Sign, date and seal your work
  - c. Use someone else's work only if you have their written permission
  - d. All of the above

**Answer:**

- 30.) **Measurement records**
- a. Can include data collector files
  - b. Should be retained if original survey measurements ever need to be created again
  - c. Can include field notes
  - d. All of the above

**Answer:**

**Your Name:**

**Your Mailing Address:**

**Your License Number:**

**Date:**

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