



Certification Council for
Professional Dog Trainers

Examination Passing Score

Purpose

The purpose of this policy is to define the way in which it is determined whether a candidate has passed a Certification Council for Professional Dog Trainers written certification examination.

Policy

The examinations offered by the Certification Council for Professional Dog Trainers (CCPDT) are Pass or Fail only. The method used to set the passing score is in accordance with standard criterion-referenced passing score standards. The passing score is set by the appropriate Examination Committee or the Board of Directors using generally accepted psychometric principles. Each candidate is measured against a standard of knowledge, not against the performance of other individuals taking the examination.