

NC Locksmith Licensing Board

Locksmith Licensing Examination

This a 2 hour test

Mandatory Section (This section is taken by everyone)

30 Questions

Code Cutting

Key blank identification

Key machines/parts

Key duplication

Laws /Rules & Ethics

Choose one of the following electives:

Automotive Section

20 Questions

Auto Codes

Fitting keys to various auto locks

Programming procedures

Tumbler locations

Key cutting

Lockouts/openings

Troubleshooting

General Locksmithing Section

20 Questions

Door hardware and their functions

Door preparation

Lock terminology

Locksmithing tools/uses

Lock pinning/decoding/repairing

Lock cylinder parts/descriptions/their function

Basic master keying/terminology/symbols

Key codes

Troubleshooting

Safe Section

20 Questions

Safe lock identification

Parts identification/function

Combination changing

Terminology

Classifications

Troubleshooting

Legal and Ethical Questions: There will be a number of questions from the North Carolina Locksmith Licensing Law (Chapter 74F) and the Board's Administrative Code (Chapter 29). Please familiarize yourself with these. They will be on the test.