

**JUVENILE OFFICER
STUDY GUIDE**

A written examination for the class of **JUVENILE OFFICER** to be administered in **LEESVILLE** ON **SEPTEMBER 30, 2009**, will consist of **100** multiple-choice questions. The examination will test your abilities in the following areas:

SUBJECT AREA	% OF QXS. ON EXAM
FOLLOWING WRITTEN PROCEDURES	30%
OBSERVATION / RECALL / ASSOCIATION	5%
VERBAL PERCEPTION / READING COMPREHENSION	5%
VERBAL EXPRESSION / ENGLISH USAGE / GRAMMAR	30%
PROBLEM SOLVING	30%
TOTAL	100%

Following Written Procedures

This section is designed to test your ability to follow written instructions and to follow established procedures in completing assigned tasks.

Observation / Recall / Association

This section will test your ability to observe and recall situations in order to accomplish given objectives, and the ability to compare various facts and recognize similarities of association.

Verbal Perception / Reading Comprehension

This section will test your ability to read and comprehend written material such as department procedures, suspect descriptions, and reference material such as the Louisiana Revised Statutes, including the Louisiana Children's Code.

Verbal Expression / English Usage / Grammar

This section is designed to test your ability to fill out forms in accordance with established procedures, and the ability to write narrative material in a clear and concise form using acceptable grammar. Knowledge of correct English grammar and word usage, including sentence structure, punctuation, and subject/verb agreement.

Problem Solving

This section is designed to test your ability to evaluate all the facts of a given situation, to find a common factor between various isolated facts and come to a logical conclusion, and to predict a pattern of occurrence.

The local civil service board should make this study guide available to all applicants in whatever manner the board deems appropriate.

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