

# Greater Harrisburg REALTORS<sup>®</sup> Institute Pre-Licensing Courses

To be eligible for the Pennsylvania State Real Estate Commission's Salesperson's exam, an individual must be 18 years old, possess a High school Diploma/GED, attend 75 hours of class, and pass the two required courses, "*Real Estate Fundamentals*" and "*Real Estate Practice*". The Commission requires a minimum of 80% class attendance and 70% class exam score to pass each course. The two courses may be taken in any order; however, we recommend students take "*Real Estate Fundamentals*" first. These comprehensive and intensive courses that may require individual reading and study time throughout the course prepare students to take the state and national real estate exam.

## WINTER SCHEDULE 2023/2024

<b>Real Estate Fundamentals (30 Hours)</b>	<b><u>Real Estate Practice (45 Hours)</u></b>
Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays	Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays
December 4, 5, 7, 11, 12, 14, 2023	January 8, 9, 11, 15, 16, 18, 22, 23, 25, 2024
Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays	Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays
January 12, 13, 14, 19, 20, 21, 2024	February 2, 3, 4, 9, 10, 11, 16, 17, 18, 2024

**Class Schedule:** 

- Weeknight classes are held Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays from 5:30 10:30 pm. Instructor is Ted Stefan.
- Weekend classes are held Fridays 5:30 9:30 pm, Saturdays 9:30 am 3:30 pm and Sundays 12:30 p.m.-5:30 p.m. Instructor is Danielle Winn.
- We ask that on the first night of each course, attendees arrive between 5:00-5:20 pm to register.

### **Tuition:**

- Real Estate Fundamentals \$220 and Real Estate Practice \$320.
- Register & pay for both courses together for a package price of \$500 (receive \$40 discount)

Pre-register for Exam Prep classes for a discounted rate of \$100 for both PA and National Exam Prep Classes. Combined total of \$600 for Fundamentals/Practice/PA Exam Prep/National Exam Prep. **Tuition must be paid in full prior to start of class. Textbook:** *Modern Real Estate Practice in Pennsylvania, 14<sup>th</sup> edition* is required. The book cost is \$42.40 (tax included) for GHRI pre-licensing students. The same textbook is used for both courses.

- The textbook is distributed on the night of the first class. It may be purchased in advance at the Institute during regular office hours, Monday Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
- The textbook may also be purchased by non-students at a rate of \$58.30 (tax included).

Registration: Complete the Pre-Licensing Registration form in its entirety. Form found online at www.ghar.realtor.

Course Materials: Please bring a pen or pencil, notebook, basic function calculator and highlighter to class.

**Registration Deposits:** A \$50 **non-refundable** deposit **per course** is required to confirm your registration. Deposits or full tuition may be paid with cash, check, or credit card. Visa, MasterCard, Discover or American Express are accepted. Be sure to clearly print your card number, expiration date and sign your name if you are using a credit card. To pay with cash, please stop by our office – do not send cash through the mail! Mail registrations to: Greater Harrisburg REALTORS® Institute, 424 N. Enola Drive, Suite 1, Enola, PA 17025 or Email to: <u>dee@ghar.realtor</u> or <u>kim@ghar.realtor</u>.

**Exam Preparation Resources:** Greater Harrisburg REALTORS<sup>®</sup> Institute offers three ways to help you prepare for the Real Estate exams; Exam Prep Books, Classroom Exam Prep Classes, and Online Preparation Courses with partnered schools.

**Books:** *Pennsylvania Real Estate Exam Prep Workbook* - Cost: \$23.32 (tax included) for GHRI Students/GHAR Members \$26.50 (tax included) for non-GHRI Students/non-Members.

*Guide To Passing the PSI Realm Estate Exam* - Cost: \$34.98 (includes tax) for GHRI Students/GHAR Members; \$37.10 (includes tax) for non-GHRI Students/non-Members.

Available to GHRI students/members: Buy both books together for the discounted price of \$47.70 (includes tax).

**Exam Prep Classes**: *Pa Exam Prep - PA State Licensing Law & Rules and Regulations*, Fridays, 5:00 p.m. -10:00 p.m.; \$50 for GHRI Students and GHAR members; \$65 for non-GHRI students/members. *National Exam Prep - General Knowledge -* Saturdays and Sundays, 9:00 a.m.- 3:00 p.m.; \$100 for GHRI students and GHAR members; \$115 for non-students/members. The text used for both classes is *Modern Real Estate Practice in Pennsylvania, 14<sup>th</sup> edition.* 

Instructor is Ted Stefan. Winter class dates will be announced. Pre-register and pay for both Exam Prep courses with your Pre-licensing courses and receive a discounted rate of \$100 for both classes! The discounted Exam Prep Package rate is non-refundable.

**Online:** The CE Shop and McKissock offer online prep courses which must be accessed through our website at: <u>www.ghar.realtor</u>. Please review the online policies prior to registering.

### **Cancellation and Refund Policies:**

- Deposit payments for the Pre-licensing classes are **non-refundable**, but they are transferable to another date and/or course offered by the Greater Harrisburg REALTORS<sup>®</sup> Institute within a six-month period.
- The discounted Exam Prep Package rate is **non-refundable**. They are transferrable to another class date or course offered by GHRI within a six-month period.
- If the School finds it necessary to cancel the entire course, the full dollar amount of any payment will be refunded.
- If the School cancels a portion of the course, the unused portion of the tuition may be credited towards a future course or refunded.
- No portion of the tuition will be refunded after the first day of class.
- Reservations must be canceled at least 72 hours in advance of the class for a full refund or transfer.
- Payments to the Greater Harrisburg Association of REALTORS<sup>®</sup> are not deductible as charitable contributions for Federal Income Tax purposes; however, such payments may be deductible as ordinary and necessary business expenses.

### **Course Examination Policies:**

Course exam is given during the last class. A student must score 70% to pass the test. A passing grade for each course is required. If the student does not pass the test the first time, the Institute has adopted the following policies:

• Students may arrange to retake the course examination one time, at no additional charge by contacting the Institute to schedule a time during the Institute's normal business hours.

If a passing grade has not been received after taking the examination a second time (once at the end of the course and one retake), the student may pay \$25 to retake the test one additional time. If the student still does not pass the exam after the third time testing, we offer the option of retaking the course for reduced fees: Fundamentals \$100.00 and Practice \$150.00. When retaking a course 80% attendance is required from the student.

- After retaking the course, the student will have the opportunity to retake the examination one additional time if not passed on the night of the course exam (total of two retakes). After that, the student must pay full price to attend a future course.
- All examination retakes must be completed within one year of completion of the course. After retaking the exam, students may review their questions and answers for no longer than 30 minutes.
- Examination retake policies apply to all GHRI pre-licensing students including scholarship students. Scholarships include a one-time \$25 examination retake fee. All other additional fees must be paid by the scholarship recipient.

In order to better accommodate your needs, please be sure to notify us in advance, if you have any disability which will require special auxiliary aids and/or services at this class.