

# FARS Spring 2010 General Class License Course

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**Text:** ARRL General Class License Manual For Ham Radio, Sixth Edition

## Syllabus:

<i>Date</i>	<i>Session</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Chapter</i>	<i>Instructor</i>
15-Apr-10	Session 1	Introduction / Strategies / Motivation	1	Kevin
	Session 2	Procedures & Practices	2	Mikel
22-Apr-10	Session 1	Rules & Regulations	3	Kevin
	Session 2	Components & Circuits	4	Kristen
29-Apr-10	Session 1	Components & Circuits	4	Peter
	Session 2	Radio Signals & Equipment	5	Phil
06-May-10	Session 1	Antennas	6	Mikel
	Session 2	Propagation	7	Kristen
13-May-10	Session 1	Electrical & RF Safety	8	Phil
	Session 2	After Your License / Wrap Up		All
20-May-10	TEST!!!			

Sessions are 50 minutes each

## Online Test Resources:

- <http://www.grz.com/ham/>
  - Corrected answers as you go along
- <http://www.aa9pw.com/radio/>
  - Answer all, then get corrected answers
- <http://www.eham.net/exams/>
  - Answer all, then get corrected answers
- <http://www.w8mhb.com/exam/>
  - Answer all, then get corrected answers (also has "peeks")
- <http://www.hamtestonline.com/>
  - Study Mode

## Where To Get Tested Ahead of Time:

- Silicon Valley VE Group (ARRL VEC)
  - Saturday April 17 @ 8:00 am, Saratoga
  - Saturday May 1 @ 8:00 am, Saratoga
  - <http://www.arrl.org/> then hit "exams" button upper left
- Sunnyvale VEC
  - Saturday April 17 @ 10:30 am, Redwood City
  - Saturday May 8 @ 10:30 am, Sunnyvale
  - <http://www.amateur-radio.org/>

## ARRL Bandplan Chart

[http://www.arrl.org/FandES/field/regulations/Hambands\\_color.pdf](http://www.arrl.org/FandES/field/regulations/Hambands_color.pdf)