

Sierra Valley College of Court Reporting

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School Performance Fact Sheet Calendar Years 2013 & 2014

The California Private Postsecondary Education Act (CPPEA) of 2009, which is effective January 1, 2010, requires under section 94910 of CPPEA that a school provided information for each program offered in regards to completion rates, placement rates, licensure exam passage rates, and salary/wage information. The following information is data compiled from January 1, 2013 – December 31, 2013 and January 1, 2014 – December 31, 2014.

Completion Rates - 94910 (a)* (includes data for the two calendar years prior to reporting)

Court Reporting Program - 3 ½ years

Calendar Year	Number of Students Who Began Program ¹	Students Available for Graduation ²	Graduates ³	Completion Rate ⁴
2013	66	66	2	3%
2014	62	62	1	1.6%

Students Completing after Published Program Length - 150% Completion Rate

(includes data for the two calendar years prior to reporting)

Court Reporting Program - 3 ½ years

Calendar Year	Number of Students Who Began Program ¹	Students Available for Graduation ²	150% Graduates ⁵	150% Completion Rate ⁶
2013	66	66	1	1.5%
2014	62	62	2	3%

¹Number of Students Who Began Program” is the number of students who began the program who are scheduled to complete the program within the reporting calendar year.

²Students available for graduation” is the number of students who began program minus the number of “Students unavailable for graduation,” which means those students who have died, been incarcerated, or called to active military duty.

³Graduates” is the number of students who completed the program within 100% of the published program length.

⁴Completion Rate” is the number of Graduates divided by the Number of Students Available for Graduation.

⁵150% Graduates” is the number of students who completed the program within 101-150% of the published program length.

⁶150% Completion Rate” is the number of students who completed the program in the reported calendar year within 101-150% of published program length divided by the number of “Students Available for Graduation.”

Initials:_____ Date:_____ I have read and understand the above completion rates.

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Placement Rates - 94910 (b)* (includes data for the two calendar years prior to reporting)

Court Reporting - 3 ½ years

Calendar Year	Number of Students Who Began Program ¹	Number of Graduates ²	Graduates Available for Employment ³	Graduates Employed in the Field ⁴	Placement Rate % Employed in the Field ⁵	Graduates Employed in the Field an average of less than 32 hours per week	Graduates Employed in the Field at least 32 hours per week
2013	66	3	3	2	66%	1	1
2014	62	3	3	3	100%	1	2

¹Number of Students Who Began Program” means the number of students who began the program who are scheduled to complete the program within the reporting calendar year.

²Number of Graduates” is the number of students who have completed the program within 150% of the published program length.

³Graduates available for employment” means the number of graduates minus the number of graduates unavailable for employment. “Graduates unavailable for employment” means graduates who, after graduation, die, become incarcerated, are called to active military duty, are international students that leave the United States or do not have a visa allowing employment in the United States, or are continuing their education in an accredited or bureau-approved postsecondary institution.

⁴Graduates employed in the field” means graduates who report that they are gainfully employed within six months of graduation in a position for which the skills obtained through the education and training provided by the institution are required or provided a significant advantage to the graduate in obtaining the position.

⁵Placement Rate is calculated by dividing the number of graduates gainfully employed in the field by the number of graduates available for employment.

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Licensure Examination Passage Rates – 94910(c)* (includes data for the two calendar years prior to reporting)

Court Reporting – 3 ½ years

Calendar Year	Number of Students Taking Exam ¹	Number Who Passed First Exam Taken ²	Number Who Failed First Exam Taken	Passage Rate ³
2013	3	3	0	100%
2014	3	2	1	67%

¹Number of Students Taking Exam is the number of students who completed the program within 150% of the published program length and who took the exam in the reported calendar year for the first time.

²Number Who Passed First Exam Taken is the number of students who took and passed the licensing exam in the reported calendar year on the first attempt.

³Passage Rate is calculated by dividing the number of graduates who pass the exam the first time that they take it by the number of graduates who took the licensing exam for the first time after completion of the program.

Examination Passage Rates Published by the Licensing State Agency: Court Reporter Board of California (includes data for the two calendar years prior to reporting)

Court Reporting – 3 ½ years

Calendar Year	English			Professional Practices			Dictation					
	# First Time Taking Exam	# First Time Passed Exam	% First Time Pass	# First Time Taking Exam	# First Time Passed Exam	% First Time Pass	# Taking Exam	# Who Passed Exam	% Overall Pass Rate	# First Time Taking Exam	# First Time Pass	% First Time Pass
2013												
March 2013	11	10	90.9%	11	11	100%	17	7	41.2%	7	4	57.1%
July 2013	10	10	100%	10	10	100%	13	5	38.5%	4	4	100%
November 2013	2	1	50%	1	1	100%	18	8	44.4%	10	5	50%
2014												
March 2014	2	1	50%	1	1	100%	10	0	0%	1	0	0%
July 2014	0	0	n/a	1	1	100%	10	1	10%	2	1	50%
November 2014	7	4	57.1%	6	6	100%	15	7	46.7%	8	4	50%

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Average Annual Salary and Wages Reported by Graduates Employed in the Field³

(includes data for the two calendar years prior to reporting)

Court Reporting - 3 ½ years

Calendar Year	Graduates available for Employment ¹	Graduates Employed in the Field ²	\$25,000 - \$30,000	\$30,001 - \$35,000	\$35,001 - 40,000	\$40,001 - \$45,000	\$45,001 - \$50,000	Students Not Reporting Salary
2013	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	3
2014	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	3

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²"Graduates employed in the field" means graduates who are gainfully employed within six months of graduation in a position for which the skills obtained through the education and training provided by the institution are required or provided a significant advantage to the graduate in obtaining the position.

³Salary is as reported by the student. Not all graduates reported salary.

Initials: _____ Date: _____ I have read and understand the above salary and wage information.

Three-year Official Cohort Default Rate

(FY 2011 official 3-year cohort default rates published for schools participating in the Title IV student financial assistance programs.)

Released by the U.S. Department of Education, September 2014

<http://www2.ed.gov/offices/OSFAP/defaultmanagement/cdr.html>

Court Reporting - 3 ½ years

Name of School	Default Rate
Sierra Valley College of Court Reporting	22.2

Percentage of Currently Enrolled Students Receiving Federal Student Loans

Fall 2014

Court Reporting - 3 ½ years

Percentage of Currently Enrolled Students receiving Federal Student Loans
85.8%

Initials: _____ Date: _____ I have read and understand the above 3 year Official Cohort Default Rate and Percentage of Currently Enrolled Students Receiving Federal Student Loans

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To obtain a description of the manner the above statistics were gathered or to obtain a list of employment positions determined to be within the field with regards to job placement of graduates, please ask your enrollment representative. Wage and salary data was gathered using the following data: Graduate employment verification and the Employment Development Department's Occupational Employment Statistics. 94910(f)(1)(2)(3)*

This fact sheet is filed with the Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education. Regardless of any information you may have relating to completion rates, starting salaries, or license examination passage rates, this fact sheet contains the information as calculated pursuant to state law. 94910(g)(1)*

Any questions a student may have regarding this fact sheet that have not been satisfactorily answered by the institution may be directed to the

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94910(g)(2)*

I have read and understand this School Performance Fact Sheet. The School Performance Fact Sheet was reviewed and discussed with a school official prior to signing an enrollment agreement.

Student Name (Print) _____

Student Signature _____ **Date** _____

School Official _____ **Date** _____

**California Education Code*