

Pesticide Applicator Certification Training



Vermont State University

Prepare for the Vermont Pesticide Applicator Certification Core Exam or earn Continuing Education credits with this intensive two-day training. Participants will review the Northeast Core Manual, practice label evaluation, personal protective equipment use, rate calculations, and equipment calibration, and strengthen their understanding of Vermont pesticide regulations.

The Vermont Agency of Agriculture, Food & Markets will offer the Vermont Pesticide Applicator Core Exam on-site (optional).

**This training will provide 9 pesticide recertification credits for ALL Vermont categories. Attendees are required to attend all sessions both days to receive credits.*

Topics covered in this training include:

- Pests, Pesticides & Pest Management
- Laws & Regulations
- Storage, Transport, Security & Emergency Planning
- Environment, Water, Resistance & Drift (+ Pollinator insert)
- Exposure, Toxicity, PPE & Safety
- The Label
- Formulations
- Calibration, Calculations, Mixing, Waste Management

Who Should Attend?

Farmers, agricultural workers, landscapers, nursery/greenhouse staff, foresters, pest control operators, and municipal/university employees—or anyone who uses, supervises, recommends, or sells pesticides in Vermont.

June 8–9, 2026

Location: The Red School House at the VTSU-Randolph Campus

Time: 9am - 4pm

Cost: \$200 (VSAC Advancement Grants and AmeriCorps Segal are accepted)

Please Note:

- **Participants must study the Core Manual and inserts in advance to prepare for exam.** Material can be purchased from the Vermont Agency of Agriculture, Food & Markets at <https://go.uvm.edu/vaafm-manuals>
- The exam is closed-book; bring a calculator; cell phones prohibited during exam. A passing score of 75% is required.
- Category exams must be scheduled separately. Please visit: <https://go.uvm.edu/vaafm-exams>
- More information on Certification types can be found here: <https://go.uvm.edu/vaafm-types>
- No lunch provided. You may bring your own or leave during the one-hour break to seek local options.

Register Here:

<https://selfservice.vsc.edu/Student/InstantEnrollment/Search?SectionIds=294665>

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