



CORNERSTONE FOUNDATION

FiCEP 2026 – Cohort 1 Schedule

March 16 @ 10 am CT	Orientation Webinar (will be recorded)
Week of March 23	Read America's Credit Unions (CUNA) FiCEP book, 6 th Edition • Chapter 1-9 Watch Webinar #1
Week of March 30	Read America's Credit Unions (CUNA) FiCEP book, 6 th Edition • Chapter 10-18 Watch Webinar #2
Week of April 6	Read America's Credit Unions (CUNA) FiCEP book, 6 th Edition • Chapter 19-25 Watch Webinar #3
Week of April 13	Read America's Credit Unions (CUNA) FiCEP book, 6 th Edition • Chapter 26-34 Watch Webinar #4
April 20 @ 10 am CT	Midpoint Check-In Zoom Session (will be recorded) - Use this week to catch up and review all online resources.
Week of April 27	Read America's Credit Unions (CUNA) FiCEP book, 6 th Edition • Chapter 35-43 Watch Webinar #5
Week of May 4	Read America's Credit Unions (CUNA) FiCEP book, 6 th Edition • Chapter 44-48 Watch Webinar #6
Week of May 11	Read America's Credit Unions (CUNA) FiCEP book, 6 th Edition • Chapter 49-54 Watch Webinar #7
Week of May 18	Read America's Credit Unions (CUNA) FiCEP book, 6 th Edition • Chapter 55-60 Watch Webinar #8
Week of May 25 & Week of June 1	Catch up if needed. Review, Review, Review
Date/Time TBD	Instructor (Louisiana CU League) led live zoom exam prep session 1 hour (Will NOT be recorded.)
Virtual Proctored Testing Options: Tuesday, June 9 @ 1 pm Wednesday, June 10 @ 1 pm Friday, June 12 @ 10 am	Login 10 mins early. Testing window is two hours once exam is started.

Cornerstone Foundation FiCEP Program FAQs

Q: How long does it take to receive a physical study book?

A: Approximately 3-4 weeks from the time registration closes (Training Bundle subscribers do not get a physical study book. They will use the PDF version only.)

Q: What if I am not able to complete the FiCEP program?

A: Student understands that barring extraordinary circumstances, they will complete the full program in the provided time frame. If not completed with the scheduled timeframe, the fees will not be reimbursed, and program participation will be forfeited.

Q: How much study time do I allot for each chapter prior to each exam?

A: Unfortunately, there is no specific answer to this. Everyone learns at a different level, reads at a different pace, and learns in different environments. Following the recommended study schedule will help you stay on track.

Q: What if I do not have a webcam to take the virtual proctored exam?

A: You may use a cell phone to log into the zoom session to use video and audio from your phone while you test from your computer. The phone will need to be fully charged, silent, and be propped up in a way that the proctor can view you and your testing environment.

Q: What are my options if I am not able to test during the scheduled virtual options?

A: Please contact America's Credit Unions directly to schedule your exam through ProctorU:
<https://www.America's Credit Unions.org/events/America's Credit Unions-designations/proctored-exam-procedures.html>

Q: If I am unsuccessful at passing the FiCEP certification test the first time, how long do I have to re-take? Is there a cost associated with re-taking the exam?

A: It is recommended that a student reschedule a testing date at least four weeks out. Students will have to pay \$50 for each exam re-take attempt, and student must submit a proctored exam request form. Cornerstone Foundation will offer one exam retake option for proctored testing (date/time to be determined after the initial testing week), or the student can retest through America's Credit Unions ProctorU. Please refer to America's Credit Unions' website: <https://www.America's Credit Unions.org/events/America's Credit Unions-designations/proctored-exam-procedures.html>