



Where do I go and what do I need to take an exam?

Exams are delivered online and can be taken from anywhere in the world. Candidates need to make sure they meet system and identification requirements. Please review the [Candidate Handbook](#) for full details.

How much does the exam cost?

The exam costs \$300 USD.

How long will the exam take?

Candidates are allowed 2 hours to complete an Exam.

How is the exam proctored?

The certification exam is proctored remotely during the exam session via streaming audio, video, and screensharing feeds. The screensharing feed allows proctors to view candidates' desktops (including all monitors). The audio, video, and screen sharing feeds will be stored for a limited period of time in the event that there is a subsequent need for review.

What are the system requirements to take the exam?

Candidates must provide their own front-end hardware to take exams, including a computer with:

- Chrome or Chromium browser
- reliable internet access
- webcam
- microphone

The workstation on which the hardware (i.e. desktop or laptop) is placed must, aside from the required hardware, reveal a clean surface with no obstructions overhead or underneath.

Candidates should ensure that their webcam is capable of being moved in case the proctor requests that the Candidate pan their surroundings to check for potential violations of exam policy.

What resources am I allowed to access during my exam?

During the exam, candidates may open an additional browser tab to access Node.js documentation and the documentation of any Node.js ecosystem modules used.

Candidates may not access Stack Overflow (www.stackoverflow.com), Stack Exchange (www.stackexchange.com), Server Fault (www.serverfault.com) or Super User (www.superuser.com).

All questions may be answered with Node.js core API's or with any Node.js libraries/frameworks of the candidates choosing

What are the ID requirements to take the exam?

Candidates are required to provide a non-expired Primary ID (see table below) containing Candidate's photo and full name.

If the Primary ID contains non-latin characters, then the Candidate must also provide a non-expired Secondary ID containing their full name in Latin Characters OR a notarized English translation of their Primary ID along with the non-latin character Primary ID.

Primary ID (not expired and including photograph)	<i>IF Primary ID has non-Latin characters then: Secondary ID (not expired and Candidate name in Latin characters)</i>
Passport Government-issued driver's license/permit Government-Issued local language ID (plastic card with photo and signature) National Identity card State or province-issued identity card	Debit (ATM) Card Credit Card Health Insurance Card U.S. Social Security Card

Exams may be administered to citizens of a sanctioned country listed below PROVIDED the citizens are tested OUTSIDE the sanctioned country and their exam registration and current ID show an address OUTSIDE the sanctioned country

- Cuba
- Iran
- Syria
- Sudan
- North Korea
- Crimea Region of Ukraine

What score is needed to pass the exam?

For the JSNAD exam, a score of xx% or above is needed to pass the exam

How is my exam scored?

Exams are scored automatically, usually within 24 hours of completion. Results will be emailed within 36 hours from the time that the Exam was *completed*. Results will also be made available on [My Portal](#).

Exams are graded for results. There may be more than one way to perform an objective on an Exam and unless otherwise specified, the candidate can pick any available path to perform the objective as long as it produces the correct result.

What language(s) is the exam offered in?

The JSNAD exam is currently offered in English.

How long is my certification valid for?

OpenJS Node.js Certifications are valid for 3 years and candidates may keep the certification valid by completing the renewal requirement option below. Renewal requirements must be completed prior to the expiration of the certification.

How do I renew my certification?

Candidates have the option to retake and pass the same exam to keep their certification valid. The certification will become valid for 3 years starting on the date the exam is retaken and passed.