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Is it a test if you know almost all of the questions and answers?

If you are using test prep – it's not a test







Is it a test if you know almost all of the questions and answers?

A high score doesn't really mean anything





Is it a test if you know almost all of the questions and answers?

A low score means you didn't put any effort into it





Is it a test if you know almost all of the questions and answers?

Or.....You are slow.....This career many not be for you





Interesting Statistic

There are around 17,000 questions in all FAA tests



Interesting Statistic

In the EASA pool there are around 160,000





Interesting Statistic

They write new questions regularly and replace old ones









What's wrong with FAA tests?

Too few questions in the test banks



What's wrong with FAA tests?

This is not a weighted test – Each question has equal points



What's wrong with FAA tests?

There is no penalty for guessing – No negative marking





What's wrong with FAA tests?

There are some really bad questions and answers



Does this seem right?

You could entirely skip studying about anything to do with cross-country planning and still pass the test with 85-90%



Justice Served?

All incorrect areas on the KT must be reviewed and resolved by an authorized ground or flight instructor





Justice Served?

All incorrect areas on the KT must be evaluated by your DPE on the Oral portion of the checkride





If I were King

I would write thousands of new questions and drop them into the test pool all at once and replace older questions entirely





If I were King

I would weigh each question – Example – What is this or that 1%. Flight planning question weight and balance 6%





If I were King

I would increase the passing score to 80% without negative

marking





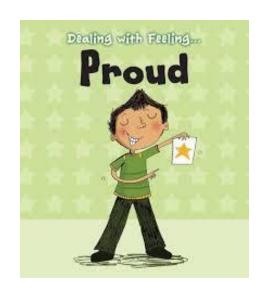
If I were King

I would keep the passing score at 70% with negative marking



Why are people proud of a high score?

They knew all of the questions and answers





A Learners view of the Knowledge Test

It's something to get through before I can take a checkride





A Learners view of the Knowledge Test

I just need to get it out of the way



How long did it take me to study for the ATP knowledge test?

5 days using King Schools 135 version



How long did it take me to study for the ATP knowledge test?

My score was around 95%



How long did it take me to study for the ATP knowledge test?

I don't think I understood much of the content except general concepts and rote understanding



How long did it take me to study for the ATP knowledge test in the United Kingdom?

There are 16 individual tests



How long did it take me to study for the ATP knowledge test in the United Kingdom?

In person class - 2 months 9-5, M - F for the first 8



How long did it take me to study for the ATP knowledge test in the United Kingdom?

In person class - 4 months 9-5, M – F for the last 8



How long did it take me to study for the ATP knowledge test in the United Kingdom?

In person class – 2 weeks for Performance A – Jet Stuff



No one can get all of the test questions. There are too many

The questions are being written regularly and dropped into the test pool all at once



Guess what compay's stuff can't work there?

Sheppard Air



Guess what company's stuff can't work there?

Other test prep software



When should you take a Knowledge Test?

Private – At the Cross-Country Stage



When should you take a Knowledge Test?

Most aeronautical knowledge should have been learned by then – Plus it's a practical point because you can use the info



When should you take a Knowledge Test?

Instrument – Just before the IFR cross-country flight



When should you take a Knowledge Test?

Commercial – At the end of training – two weeks before the checkride



When should you take a Knowledge Test?

CFI – At the end of training – two weeks before the checkride



How you can make these tests super valuable

DO NOT use any test preparation



How you can make these tests super valuable

Take a number of sample tests and plan study sessions



How you can make these tests super valuable

Give those results to your flight instructor



How you can make these tests super valuable

You will have enough time to shore up any areas



How you can make these tests super valuable

After studying the deficient areas - Use test prep and take the real test



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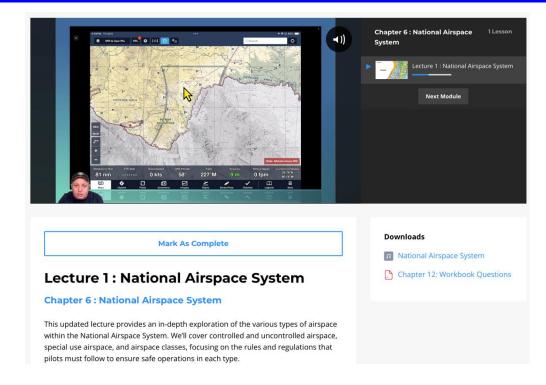
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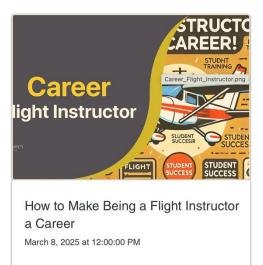
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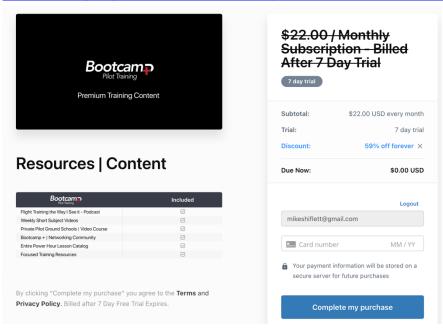






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