



# AMATEUR EXTRA



# Extra License Course

Session 1 – Chapter 1 Introduction



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## Introductions

- Instructors
  - Anders, NR6H
  - James, KN6QNJ
  - Greydon, KC6SLE
  - Orion, AI6JB
- Students (1 min or less)
  - Give us your name & callsign
  - Why are you taking this course
  - If there is one you want to learn from the class, what is it?



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## Expectations

- Class will start and end on time
- Instructors will be prepared for each topic
- Students will make every effort to do the homework before class
- Student will come ready to learn and ask questions
- Ham Radio is NOT a spectator sport
  - Active participation in class is vital



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## Class Schedule

- Tuesday Nights 7 – 9 PM via ZOOM
  - <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/87516546005?pwd=Qm9yb1pJazhjSUtqZE9uWW54dkdXdz09>
- 10 weeks, last class on 3/28/23
- Two (2) Labs
  - Saturday, 3/11/24 – HF Digital GOTA
  - Saturday, 4/6/24 – Antenna Build Project
- Cram Session, Friday, March 29<sup>th</sup>, 7 – 9 PM via Zoom
- Class Schedule on W6EK.org

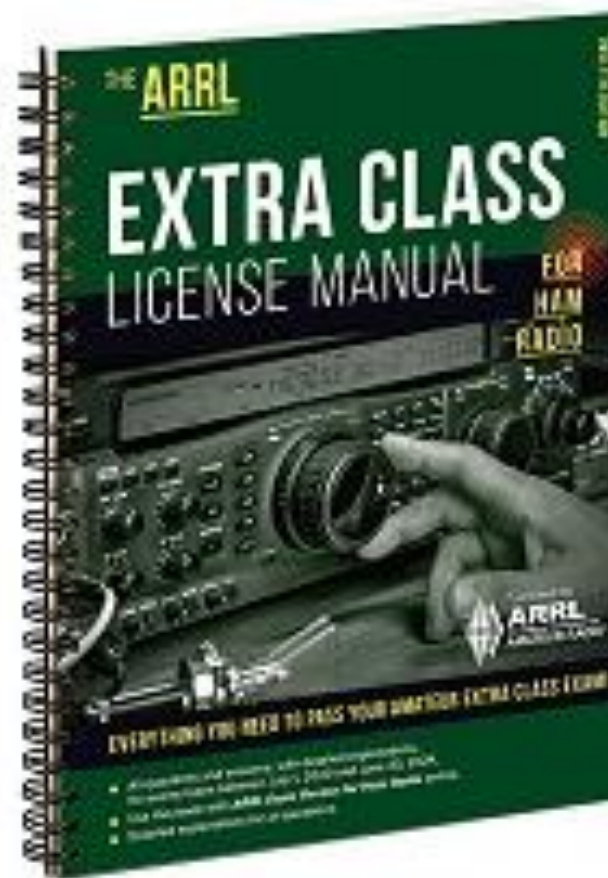


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## Course Text

- The ARRL Ham Radio License Manual
  - 12<sup>th</sup> Edition
- Included in your course fee
- Manuals will be shipped to your address





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## Course Format

- Read/Do Homework Assignment
- Try to answer test questions
- Don't worry if you get it wrong. Ask us in class.
- Sign-up for practice test account @ [www.arrl.org/examreview](http://www.arrl.org/examreview)
  - Great site to quiz yourself chapter by chapter
  - If you can take a practice test and score 80% or better, you will pass



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## Housekeeping

- Power Point slides will be posted after class on W6EK.org
- For those who do not have their manuals yet, please email [ai6jb@arrl.net](mailto:ai6jb@arrl.net) and I will forward you a link to a scanned version.
  - Please do not share the link or post it anywhere.
- Course fee includes Antenna Build lab materials
- Course fee does not include the Extra Exam



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Are There Any Questions?