

<b>OAAS JUDGES RECERTIFICATION DEADLINES</b>		
<b>Year last attended Judging School</b>	<b>Recertification deadline</b> <i>Revised Jan 2026</i>	<b>1) Certified Judges - To remain certified</b> <b>2) Apprentice Judges- to maintain their name on the Apprentice Judges List</b>
2018 or earlier	Not applicable	See the "Requirements and Information for OAAS Certified and Apprentice Judges" under the " <i>Reinstatement</i> " section for the specific requirements to re-certify.
2019	<b>December 1, 2026</b>	must successfully complete judging school in each category no later than this date to maintain certification
<b>Continued overlap/extension due to the Pandemic</b>		
2020	<b>December 1, 2026</b>	must successfully complete judging school in each category no later than this date to maintain certification
2021	<b>December 1, 2026</b>	must successfully complete judging school in each category no later than this date to maintain certification
2022	<b>December 1, 2026</b>	must successfully complete judging school in each category no later than this date to maintain certification
<b>4-year requirement to maintain certification as of January 1, 2026</b>		
2023	<b>December 31, 2027</b>	must successfully complete judging school in each category no later than this date to maintain certification
2024	<b>December 31, 2028</b>	must successfully complete judging school in each category no later than this date to maintain certification
2025	<b>December 31, 2029</b>	must attend judging school in each category no later than this date to maintain certification

**NOTE:** Anyone that successfully completed a judging school in 2019, 2020, 2021, or 2022 will need to successfully complete a judging school in that category by **December 1, 2026** to maintain their certification.

**IMPORTANT:** Starting with schools attended in 2023, we will be changing to a requirement to successfully complete a judging school **at least once every 4 years for each category** to maintain certification for that category.