

ERIC L. ADAMS Mayor DEPARTMENT OF CITYWIDE ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES
BUREAU OF EXAMINATIONS

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# **NOTICE OF EXAMINATION**

#### GASOLINE ROLLER ENGINEER Exam No. 3125

WHEN TO APPLY: From: June 7, 2023 APPLICATION FEE: \$101.00

To: June 27, 2023

If you choose to pay the application fee with a credit/debit/gift card, you will be charged a service fee of 2.00% of the payment amount. This service fee is nonrefundable.

# YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR READING THIS ENTIRE NOTICE BEFORE YOU SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION.

#### WHAT THE JOB INVOLVES:

Gasoline Roller Engineers, under general supervision, operate a diesel-powered roller and an automatic asphalt paving machine in connection with the laying and maintaining of sheet asphalt and macadam walks and roads. They operate all types of asphalt recycling plants; operate all types of milling machines to remove old asphalt layer in preparation for re-paving; secure diesel-powered rollers and other machines for night layover; maintain, inspect and make emergency and minor repairs to such rollers and machines; may operate other heavy duty equipment for snow removal or other immediate purpose of an emergency nature; keep records and make reports concerning equipment and production. All Gasoline Roller Engineers perform related work.

Some of the physical activities performed by Gasoline Roller Engineers and environmental conditions experienced are: sitting for long periods of time; ascending and descending ladders; operating levers requiring hand dexterity; responding to audible signals such as alarm bells and horns; working in areas exposed to fumes or airborne particles, hot, toxic or caustic materials and chemicals, moving mechanical parts and other machines; working outdoors in all kinds of weather, in various field locations such as City streets and in dusty and noisy conditions while wearing personal protective equipment such as: hard hats, ear plugs and eye goggles.

#### **Special Working Conditions:**

Gasoline Roller Engineers may be required to work various shifts including nights, Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays.

(This is a brief description of what you might do in this position and does not include all the duties of this position.)

#### THE SALARY:

The current minimum salary is \$67.08 per hour, for a 40-hour work week. This rate is subject to change.

#### **HOW TO QUALIFY:**

You are responsible for determining whether or not you meet the education and experience requirements for this examination prior to submitting your application. If you are found "Not Qualified," your application fee will not be refunded and you will not receive a score.

You will **not** receive credit for education which you obtain after June 30, 2023 or experience which you obtain after the end of the Application Period (June 27, 2023).

## **EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENTS:**

- Three years of full-time satisfactory experience operating a diesel-powered roller and/or an automatic asphalt paving machine and/or an asphalt milling machine, and/or an asphalt recycling plant; or
   At least two years of full-time satisfactory experience as described in "1" above, plus sufficient
- 2. At least two years of full-time satisfactory experience as described in "1" above, plus sufficient relevant education or training acquired in an approved trade school to make up the equivalent of three years of acceptable experience. Six months of acceptable experience will be credited for each year of relevant education or training.

You will receive one (1) year of credit for the completion of nine (9) to twelve (12) months of full-time satisfactory experience as described in "1" above within a twelve (12) month period. If you have any of the above experience on a part-time basis, it will be credited according to the equivalent percent of full-time experience.

The education requirement must be met by June 30, 2023. The experience requirement must be met by the last day of the Application Period (June 27, 2023).

The trade school must be approved by a State's Department of Education or a recognized accrediting organization.

During the Education and Experience Exam (EEE), you may answer questions about your experience. If your experience was on a part-time basis working less than 35 hours per week, you will need to convert your part-time experience to full-time experience using the formula below. Once you have determined your full-time experience equivalent, use this amount to answer questions about your experience.

(number of hours worked per week/35) x (number of months worked)

For example, if you worked at a job for 21 hours per week for 12 months, you would make the following calculation:  $21/35 \times 12 = 7.2$  months.

You have until midnight Eastern time on the last day of the Application Period (June 27, 2023) to clearly specify in detail all of your relevant education and experience and Final Submit your Education and Experience Exam in the Online Application System (OASys). Once you Final Submit your Education and Experience Exam in OASys, you will not be permitted to submit new or additional information on your Education and Experience Exam online.

If you do not Final Submit your Education and Experience Exam in OASys by midnight Eastern time on the last day of the Application Period (June 27, 2023), your examination will be considered incomplete, you will not receive a score, you will not be invited to subsequent portions of this examination (if applicable), and your application fee will not be refunded.

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**Driver License Requirement**: At the time of appointment, you must possess a Class B Commercial Driver License with no restrictions within your probationary period, valid in the State of New York. This Class B Commercial Driver License with no restrictions must be maintained for the duration of your employment.

**Medical Requirement**: Medical guidelines have been established for the position of Gasoline Roller Engineer. Candidates will be examined to determine whether they can perform the essential functions of the position of Gasoline Roller Engineer. Where appropriate, a reasonable accommodation will be provided for a person with a disability to enable him or her to take the examination, and/or to perform the essential functions of the job.

**Drug Screening Requirement**: You must pass a drug screening in order to be appointed, and if appointed, you will be subject to random drug and alcohol tests for the duration of your employment. Additionally, if you have tested positive on a drug or alcohol test or refused to test for a previous Federal DOT-regulated employer in the last two (2) years, or on a pre-employment drug or alcohol test or refused to test for any employer in the last two (2) years, you must have completed the Substance Abuse Professional (SAP) evaluation, referral and education/treatment process required by federal law prior to appointment to this safety-sensitive position.

**Residency Requirement**: Under New York City Administrative Code Section 12-120, you must be a resident of the City of New York within 90 days of the date you are appointed to this position. Since residency requirements vary by title, appointing agency and length of service, consult the appointing agency's personnel office at the time of the appointment interview to find out if City residency is required.

#### **English Requirement:**

You must be able to understand and be understood in English.

#### **Proof of Identity:**

Under the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986, you must be able to prove your identity and your right to obtain employment in the United States prior to employment with an agency under the jurisdiction of the Commissioner, Department of Citywide Administrative Services.

#### **HOW TO APPLY:**

If you believe you meet the requirements in the "How to Qualify" section, apply using the Online Application System (OASys) at <a href="https://www.nyc.gov/examsforjobs">www.nyc.gov/examsforjobs</a>. Follow the onscreen application instructions for electronically submitting your application and payment and completing any required information. A unique and valid email address is required to apply online. Several internet service providers, including but not limited to Google, Yahoo!, AOL, Outlook.com, and Mail.com offer free email addresses. All new OASys accounts require verification before a candidate can apply to ensure the accuracy of candidate information. Verification is instantaneous for most accounts and you will receive a confirmation email with instructions to activate your account. For any account creation issues, you will receive onscreen prompts to contact DCAS. This review may require up to two (2) business days to be reviewed and resolved. Please keep this information and the application period deadline in mind when creating your account.

The following methods of payment are acceptable: major credit card, bank card associated with a bank account, or a prepaid debit card with a credit card logo which you may purchase online or at various retail outlets. If you are receiving or participating in certain forms of public assistance/benefits/programs, or are a veteran, you may qualify to have the application fee waived. For more information on eligibility for a fee waiver and documentation requirements visit the Fee Waiver FAQ on the Online Application System at: <a href="https://a856-exams.nyc.gov/OASysWeb/faqs">https://a856-exams.nyc.gov/OASysWeb/faqs</a>. Effective January 2020, the Online Application System is no longer supported on Windows 7 or earlier versions of Windows operating systems.

You may come to the DCAS Computer-based Testing & Application Centers to apply for this examination online. However, you must schedule a customer service appointment prior to your visit. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, DCAS no longer permits walk-ins at DCAS sites. The centers will be open Monday through Friday from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM:

Manhattan
2 Lafayette Street

17th Floor New York, NY 10007 Brooklyn

210 Joralemon Street 4th Floor Brooklyn, NY 11201 Queens

118-35 Queens Boulevard 5th Floor Forest Hills, NY 11375 Staten Island

**Bronx** 

135 Canal Street 3rd Floor Staten Island, NY 10304 1932 Arthur Avenue 2nd Floor Bronx, NY 10457

#### The DCAS Computer-based Testing & Application Centers will be closed on Monday, June 19, 2023.

To schedule a customer service appointment through OASys for an exam-related or eligible list-related inquiry, find **Exam #1889**, click **Apply**, and follow the instructions provided to reserve your appointment location, date, and time.

You must complete the entire application by midnight, Eastern Time, of the last day of the application period. If you have questions about applying for this examination, you may contact DCAS at OASys@dcas.nyc.gov.

**Special Circumstances Guide:** This guide is located on the DCAS website at <a href="https://www1.nyc.gov/assets/dcas/downloads/pdf/employment/pdf\_c\_special\_circumstances\_guide.pdf">https://www1.nyc.gov/assets/dcas/downloads/pdf/employment/pdf\_c\_special\_circumstances\_guide.pdf</a> and available at the DCAS Computer-based Testing & Application Centers. This guide gives important information about claiming Veterans' or Legacy credit, and notifying DCAS of a change in your mailing address. Follow all instructions on the Special Circumstances Guide that pertain to you when you complete your "Application for Examination."

#### REQUIRED INFORMATION:

- 1. **Application for Examination:** Follow the online instructions, including those relating to the payment of fee and, if applicable, those found in the Special Circumstances Guide.
- 2. **Education and Experience Exam:** Fill out all the required sections displayed onscreen (if applicable). You will have until midnight Eastern time on the last day of the Application Period (June 27, 2023) to clearly specify in detail all of your relevant education and experience on your Education and Experience Exam and submit it in the Online Application System (OASys).

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3. Foreign Education Evaluation Guide (Required only if you need credit for your foreign education to meet the education and experience requirements): If you were educated outside the United States, you must have your foreign education evaluated to determine its equivalence to education obtained in the United States. The services that are approved to make this evaluation are listed on the Foreign Education Evaluation Guide which is located on the DCAS website at <a href="https://www1.nyc.gov/assets/dcas/downloads/pdf/employment/foreigneducation.pdf">https://www1.nyc.gov/assets/dcas/downloads/pdf/employment/foreigneducation.pdf</a>. When you contact the evaluation service, ask for a "document-by-document" (general) evaluation of your foreign education. You must have one of these services submit its evaluation of your foreign education directly to the Department of Citywide Administrative Services no later than eight weeks from the last day of the Application Period (June 27, 2023).

#### THE TEST:

Your score will be determined by an Education and Experience Exam. You will receive a score of 70 points for meeting the education and experience requirements listed above. After these requirements are met, you will receive additional credit up to a maximum of 100 points on the following basis:

| operating a diesel-powered roller and/or an automatic asphalt paving machine and/or an asphalt milling machine and/or an asphalt recycling plant, for: | You will receive<br>up to: |
|--|----------------------------|
| At least 5 months but less than 10 months  | 2 points                   |
| At least 10 months but less than 15 months   | 5.5 points                 |
| At least 15 months but less than 20 months   | 9 points                   |
| At least 20 months but less than 25 months   | 12.5 points                |
| At least 25 months but less than 30 months   | 16 points                  |
| At least 30 months but less than 35 months   | 19.5 points                |
| At least 35 months but less than 40 months   | 23 points                  |
| At least 40 months but less than 45 months   | 26.5 points                |
| 45 months or more  | 30 points                  |

If you have additional full-time satisfactory experience

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There will also be a qualifying practical roller test. Candidates who meet the education and experience requirements will be scheduled to take a qualifying practical roller test. For the qualifying practical roller test, candidates may be tested on the knowledge of the operation and maintenance of diesel-powered asphalt milling machines, asphalt paver machines, and asphalt roller machines; operation and maintenance of asphalt recycling plants; operation and maintenance of miscellaneous road construction machines; and other related areas.

The test may also include areas that require the use of the following abilities:

**Control Precision**: ability to move controls of a machine or vehicle. This involves the degree to which these controls can be moved quickly and repeatedly to exact positions. Example: A Gasoline Roller Engineer must move the controls of the various machines worked on in exact ways in order to get jobs done correctly and safely.

**Information Ordering**: ability to follow correctly a rule or set of rules to arrange things or actions in a certain order. The rule or set of rules must be given. The things or actions to be put in order can include numbers, letters, words, pictures, procedures, sentences, and mathematical or logical operations. Example: A Gasoline Roller Engineer must follow strict procedures on operating various machines as well as safely parking and securing them at the end of the day.

**Multiple Coordination**: ability to coordinate movements of two or more limbs (for example, two arms, two legs or one leg and one arm), such as in moving equipment controls. Two or more limbs are in motion while the individual is sitting, standing or lying down. Example: A Gasoline Roller Engineer must operate roller using both hands.

**Oral Comprehension**: ability to understand spoken English words and sentences. Example: A Gasoline Roller Engineer understands work orders given verbally.

**Oral Expression**: ability to use English words or sentences in speaking so others will understand. Example: A Gasoline Roller Engineer verbally explains jobs completed and procedures used.

**Rate Control**: ability to adjust an equipment control in response to changes in the speed and/or directions of a continuously moving object or scene. The ability involves timing these adjustments in anticipating these changes. This ability does not extend to situations in which both the speed and direction of the object are perfectly predictable. Example: A Gasoline Roller Engineer must be able to control the rate of flow of asphalt from the paver while it is moving.

**Spatial Orientation**: ability to tell where you are in relation to the location of some object or to tell where the object is in relation to you. Example: A Gasoline Roller Engineer while steering roller must be aware of the street and sidewalk.

**Written Comprehension**: ability to understand English words and sentences. Example: A Gasoline Roller Engineer understands written work orders.

**Written Expression**: ability to use English words or sentences in writing so others will understand. Example: A Gasoline Roller Engineer makes written records explaining jobs completed and equipment used.

#### **EXAM SITE ADMISSION:**

Your Admission Notice will be available on your Dashboard in OASys 14 days before the first date on which testing is expected to begin. You can print or display your Admission Notice on your phone or personal device to gain entry to the test site. Test site assignments will take your address into consideration, but nearness to your address cannot be guaranteed.

**Warning**: After gaining entry to the test site, you are not permitted to enter the testing area with electronic devices. Electronic devices include, but are not limited to, cellular phones, smart watches, recording devices, beepers, pagers, cameras, or portable media players. You are not permitted to use any type of headphones or ear buds. Calculators and electronic devices with an alphabetic keyboard or with word processing or data recording abilities such as planners, organizers, etc. are not permitted. If you use any of these devices anywhere at any test site, whether in the testing area, restroom, hallway, or other location, at any time before, during or after the test or Protest Review Session, your test score will be nullified, you will be disqualified from taking any civil service tests for up to five years, and your application fee will not be refunded.

You may not have any other person, including children, present with you while you are being processed for or taking the test, and no one may wait for you inside of a Computer-based Testing & Application Center while you are taking the test.

Required Identification: You are required to bring one (1) form of valid (non-expired) signature and photo bearing identification to the test site. The name that was used to apply for the exam must match the first and last name on the photo ID. A list of acceptable identification documents is provided below. If you do not have an acceptable ID, you may be denied testing. Acceptable forms of identification (bring one) are as follows: State issued driver's license, City or State issued identification card, IDNYC, US Government issued Passport, US Government issued Military Identification Card, US Government issued Alien Registration Card, Employer ID with photo, or Student ID with photo.

**Leaving**: You must leave the test site once you finish the test. If you leave the test site after being fingerprinted but before finishing the test, you will not be permitted to re-enter. If you disregard this instruction and re-enter the test site, you may not receive your test results, your test score may be nullified, and your application fee will not be refunded.

#### CHANGE OF MAILING ADDRESS, EMAIL ADDRESS, AND/OR TELEPHONE NUMBER:

It is critical that you promptly notify DCAS of any change to your mailing address, email address and/or phone number. If we do not have your correct mailing address, email address and/or phone number, you will not receive information about your exam(s), consideration for appointment and/or important information that may require a response by a specified deadline. If you need to update your Mailing Address, Email Address, and/or Telephone Number, read below:

- City Employees update this information in NYCAPS Employee Self-Service (ESS) at www.nyc.gov/ess
- All Others update this information on your Profile page in the Online Application System (OASys) by logging into your OASys account and navigating to your Dashboard, then your Profile tab at www.nyc.gov/examsforjobs
- Submit a written request by email at *OASys@dcas.nyc.gov*, by fax (646) 500-7190, or by regular mail: DCAS, 1 Centre Street, 14th Floor, New York, NY 10007. Your written request must include your full name, social security number, exam title(s), exam number(s), previous mailing and/or email address, and your new mailing and/or email address, and/or new telephone number.

#### **CHANGE OF NAME AND/OR SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER:**

Use the Data Correction Form and follow all instructions for changing your name and/or social security number with DCAS. The following link will provide you with the DCAS Data Correction Form: https://www1.nyc.gov/assets/dcas/downloads/pdf/employment/dp148a.pdf

#### THE TEST RESULTS:

If you meet the education and experience requirements, and pass the qualifying practical roller test, your name will be placed in final score order on an eligible list, you will be given a list number and you will be notified by email of your test results. The eligible list determines the order by which candidates will be considered for appointment. If you meet all requirements and conditions, you will be considered for appointment if your name is reached on the eligible list. Once a list has been established, it will typically remain active for four years. To learn more about the civil service system go to: <a href="https://www1.nyc.gov/site/dcas/employment/civil-service-system.page">https://www1.nyc.gov/site/dcas/employment/civil-service-system.page</a>.

If you believe that your test part was rated incorrectly, you may submit an appeal of your score to DCAS, Committee on Manifest Errors, through the Online Application System (OASys). Your appeal must give specific reasons why your score should be higher. Your appeal may result in a higher or lower rating.

To access the appeal portal of OASys, please log into your OASys account at www.nyc.gov/examsforjobs and use the following steps:

- 1. Navigate to the Dashboard for the Appeals tab.
- 2. Click the NEW APPEAL button to create and submit your appeal.
- 3. Select the exam from the Exam drop-down list, and
- 4. Select the exam part from the Exam Part drop-down list.
- 5. Select the reason for your appeal from the Appeal Reason drop-down list (if applicable).
- 6. Enter the details of your appeal by providing specific reasons why your score should be higher.

### **SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS:**

#### Make-up Test:

You may apply for a make-up test if you cannot take the test on the regular test date(s) for any of the following reasons:

- 1. compulsory attendance before a public body;
- on-the-job injury or illness caused by municipal employment where you are an officer or employee of the City;
- 3. absence from the test within one week after the death of a spouse, domestic partner, parent, sibling, child or child of a domestic partner where you are an officer or employee of the City;
- 4. absence due to ordered military duty;
- 5. a clear error for which the Department of Citywide Administrative Services or the examining agency is responsible; or
- a temporary disability, pregnancy-related, or child-birth-related condition preventing you from taking the test.

To request a make-up test, contact Administration, Customer, and Exam Support by mail at 1 Centre Street, 14th Floor, New York, NY 10007, or by email at *testingaccommodations@dcas.nyc.gov*, as soon as possible, and include documentation of the special circumstances that caused you to miss your test.

#### **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

#### **Application Receipt:**

You will be emailed a receipt immediately after you have applied for the examination. If you do not receive this receipt, check your "Junk", "Trash", or "Spam" folders for the primary email linked to your Online Application System (OASys) account. If you are unable to locate the email, you can view a summary of the notification email to you on your OASys Dashboard, then Notifications. If you are still unable to find the email, please email DCAS via the Contact feature available in OASys with a description of the issue and include the exam number and your profile number located on your Profile page. While on your Profile page, check that the email addresses you provided are correct and/or updated.

# PENALTY FOR MISREPRESENTATION: Any intentional misrepresentation on the application or examination may result in disqualification, even after appointment, and may result in criminal prosecution.

The General Examination Regulations of the Department of Citywide Administrative Services (DCAS) apply to this examination and are part of this  $Notice \ of \ Examination. \ They \ are \ posted \ at \ nyc.gov/dcas \ and \ copies \ are \ available \ at \ the \ DCAS \ Computer-based \ Testing \ \& \ Application \ Centers.$ 

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