

Steno for Schools

A NEWSLETTER FOR K-12
SCHOOL COUNSELORS AND EDUCATORS



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Welcome NCRA!

I hope this newsletter finds you excited about welcoming students for a new school year! If you have students who would make excellent candidates for a career in court reporting or captioning, NCRA is here to help them on this journey! Please share with them our free NCRA A to Z® Intro to Steno Machine Shorthand program and our free Virtual Open House. Details are included in this newsletter.

If you were able to meet us at our booth at the [American School Counselor Association \(ASCA\) Conference](#) in Kansas City this summer, we hope you picked up a highlighter. For all school personnel reading this message, we hope you enjoy these “highlights” about the amazing opportunities a career in stenography can provide your students.



As always, if you have any questions about how you can bring stenography to your schools, please reach out to me at atozprog@ncra.org.

-Lisa Dennison, NCRA A to Z® Program Coordinator

Print & go!

We *know* educators and school counselors are BUSY! This section features items you can quickly print and post on a bulletin board, on your classroom/office door, or in your library! Download these flyers to share with your students.

[I Love My Job!](#)

[Are You a Gamer? Musician? Writer?](#)

Free six-week program!



We offer a free six-week program titled NCRA A to Z® Intro to Steno Machine Shorthand, hosted on our online learning platform for any interested student over the age of 14. Coming soon in 2025, we will offer on-demand asynchronous sessions so your students can join and begin their journey at any time!

[LEARN MORE](#)

Student Spotlight



[An army veteran finds her next challenge in steno](#)

Career Corner



A veteran looking for her next career thought that court reporting seemed “too good to be true.” Now she is using her GI Bill benefits to launch herself into the profession.



[Ready for a career change](#)

He saw his career options narrowing when the pandemic hit. But then he discovered stenography through social media and it has opened up a whole new world.

Join us on Zoom for a [Virtual Open House](#) on Thursday, October 10, at 7 p.m. Eastern. This is an opportunity for high school students *and you* to learn more about the court reporting and captioning programs that are available both online and in person. Our [NCRA-Approved Programs](#) will discuss their offerings! Please share this exciting session with your students and colleagues. Space is limited so register now!

[REGISTER NOW](#)

What's next?

Please ...

[Send me electronic resources, including printables and state certification requirements.](#)

[Schedule a Zoom call with me to discuss bringing the steno A to Z program to my school.](#)

[Both! I want to get my school and my students more involved.](#)

[Something else. I will send you an email.](#)

Responses to last issue's question: *If you could provide captions for one 2024 event, what would it be?*

- 8.3% — The Grammy Awards
- 47.2% — The Super Bowl
- 11.1% — The Academy Awards
- 11.1% — Coachella
- 22.2% — The Summer Olympics in Paris, France

Have comments about a Question of the Week? Send them to atozprog@ncra.org.

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