# EXAMINATION AND ASSESSMENT DATES & FEES 2020

| EXAMINATION/ASSESSMENT | FEE | CLOSING DATE | NOTES (also see appropriate syllabus) |
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| JUNIOR | £5 | As Basic Certificate | Aged under 18 only in small groups. |
| BASIC | £20 | 1 month prior to taking the assessment | May be held at any suitable apiary.<br>Normally small group of candidates examined on same day<br>**Last Assessment 31st August** |
| MODULES | £30.00 each | 10th February<br>30th September | **ALL MODULES** held on 21st **March 2020**<br>**ALL MODULES** held on **14th November 2020**<br>**Future dates**<br>**2021** March 20th November 13th |
| BEE HEALTH CERTIFICATE | **£40** | 28th February | Must hold Basic Certificate.<br>May be held at any suitable apiary.<br>Normally small group of candidates examined on same day<br>**Last Assessment 31st July** |
| BEE BREEDING CERTIFICATE | £80 | 28th February | Must hold Basic Certificate.<br>Held at apiary of Candidate. |
| GENERAL CERTIFICATE in BEEKEEPING HUSBANDRY | **£80** | 28th February | Must hold Basic Certificate.<br>Held at apiary of Candidate. |
| ADVANCED CERTIFICATE in BEEKEEPING HUSBANDRY | **£120** | 28th February | Must hold General Certificate in Beekeeping Husbandry<br>To be held at Stoneleigh on 29/30/31 May 2020 and<br>12/13/14 June 2020 depending on numbers |
| SHOW JUDGE | £40 | N/A | Must hold Basic Certificate. See entry requirements in Prospectus |
| MICROSCOPY | **£60** | 31st August | Must hold Basic Certificate. To be held at various venues<br>**21st/22nd November 2020** plus other dates as required |
| CORRESPONDENCE COURSES | £60each | N/A | Available for the Basic, all seven Modules and Microscopy theory |

**Further information including Examination/Assessment application forms and syllabi** are available from the web site www.bbka.org.uk

**Refunds and deferrals**

1. If there is a valid reason for not taking an examination or assessment, a refund can be given.
2. Generally, there will be an administration charge of £10.00 deducted from the refund except:
   - no refunds will be given after the closing date for modules, or Advanced Husbandry;
   - no refund will be given for Microscopy or General Husbandry if withdrawal is within one month of the assessment
3. Deferral of an exam or assessment is allowed, as an alternative to a refund, provided due notice is given. This is for one year only and there will be an administration charge of half the entry fee, payable on re-application. After 1 year the full fee will be payable. Candidates who have deferred an exam must send an application form with the deferral fee when they wish to take the exam/assessment.

**Non Members**

- For the Junior Assessment, BBKA Membership is not required
- For Members of Welsh BKA, Scottish BKA or Ulster BKA an additional fee of £9 will be required.
- All other candidates must hold BBKA membership of some category.

**Resits**

The fee for a resit examination/assessment is the same as the fees given above