## ARE YOU A

**GAMER \* MUSICIAN \* WRITER \* TECHNOLOGIST?** 

### YOU HAVE THE SKILLS FOR A SUCCESSFUL CAREER IN: COURT REPORTING \* CAPTIONING



### WHO MAKES A GOOD COURT REPORTER OR CAPTIONER?

- ★ Individuals who work independently and have a great work ethic
- ★ Individuals with an interest in the legal system or helping the deaf and hard-of-hearing community
- ★ Musicians and gamers with excellent dexterity and hand-eye coordination
- ★ Grammar geeks and those with an aptitude for learning new languages
- ★ Strong writers and spellers
- ★ Entrepreneurs who want to own a small business
- ★ Technologists with good troubleshooting skills

# WHAT IS THE EMPLOYMENT OUTLOOK FOR COURT REPORTERS AND CAPTIONERS?

- ★ Demand for court reporters and captioners will exceed supply by more than 5,500 positions over the next several years.
- ★ ADA and FCC regulations will create a **greater need** for captioners and CART (Communication Access Realtime Translation) professionals.
- ★ Court reporting and captioning are lucrative careers, with an earning potential into the six figures.

#### NCRA A to $\mathbf{Z}^{\text{o}}$ Intro to Steno Machine Shorthand program

- Take a free six- to eight-week course to learn the basics of steno writing to discover if a career in captioning or court reporting is the right career for you. Programs offered in-person and online.
- Learn more and register at *DiscoverSteno.org*.
- Research NCRA-approved court reporting programs at NCRA.org/schools.



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