



GEORGIA FIREFIGHTER STANDARDS AND TRAINING EXAM PREPARATION & PREREQUISITE



Wildland Firefighter I

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

The information listed below will help in your preparation for the written and skills test for Wildland Firefighter I.

PREREQUISITE TO CHALLENGE TEST

1. Completed training as specified in the National Wildland Fire Coordinating Group Course NWCG 130 "Introduction to Fire Behavior". (This course addresses the foundational skills universal to all Wildland firefighters).
2. Completed training as specified in the National Wildland Fire Coordinating Group Course NWCG 190 "Firefighter Training". (This course covers the basic concepts of Wildland fire behavior, fuels, weather and topography).
3. Completed training as specified in the National Wildland Fire Coordinating Group Course NWCG "ICS Orientation" (8 hour self study).
4. Completed each objective in NFPA 1051 "Standard for Wildland Firefighter Professional Qualifications" Wildland Firefighter I.
5. Posses or have immediate access to Personal Protective Equipment specifically for Wildland Firefighting as specified in NFPA 1977 "Standard on Protective Clothing and Equipment for Wildland Firefighting."
6. Maintaining physical fitness is a critical component of being an effective wild-land firefighter. Prior to taking the S130 field exercise, students must satisfactorily complete the Work Capacity Test or physical fitness test as required.

WRITTEN TEST MATERIALS

1. NFPA 1051 "Standard for Wildland Firefighter Professional Qualifications" Wildland Firefighter I.
2. NWCG Firefighter Training S-130, 2003 edition.
3. NWCG Fireline Handbook NWCG PMS 410-1 March 2004.
4. IFSTA Wildland Firefighting for Structural Firefighters 4th edition.
5. ICS Orientation 1-100 October 1994.

SKILLS TEST MATERIALS

1. Completed each objective in NFPA 1051 "Standard for Wildland Firefighter Professional Qualifications" Wildland Firefighter I.
2. Complete 14 skills located on our website @ gfstconline.org under Wildland Firefighter Skill Sheets.

STATE CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

No state certification available

PRO BOARD CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

1. Pass a 70 multiple choice questions written tests with a 70% pass rate.
2. Pass the skills test consisting of fourteen (14) skills.
3. National certification will only be awarded to candidates that have successfully completed both written and skills examinations.