

Red Card Certification Class

The Red Card is part of the fire qualifications system used by all federal and many state/ private wildland and prescribed fire management agencies. All firefighters assigned to a fire being managed by a federal agency are required to have one. The Red Card functions like a drivers' license, showing the card holder has completed the course work and training required for a particular position. This course, together with the fitness test usually administered by your employer, is your ticket to holding a Red Card.

Looking for a summer job or a career with a natural resource agency? Upon completion of the training, you will receive certificates for the following courses:
S-130 Firefighter Training – This course is designed to provide entry-level firefighter skills. Many of the units are set up so they can be taught in either the classroom or the field; field time is encouraged. Length: 30-35 hours.

S-190 Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior – This course provides instruction in the primary factors affecting the start and spread of wildfire and recognition of potentially hazardous situations. It is designed to meet the fire behavior training needs of a firefighter type 2 (FFT2) on an incident as outlined in the PMS 310-1, Wildland Fire Qualification System Guide and the position task book developed for the position. Length: 6-8 hours.

L-180 Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service – This course is designed for new firefighters. Presentation of the course involves a few short lecture segments, but the primary content is delivered by video and supported with small group exercises. Topics include: situation awareness, basic communication responsibilities, attitude and stress barriers, decision-making process, and teamwork principles. Length: 4 hours.

Saturday March 9th
Sunday March 10th
Saturday March 16th
Sunday March 17th

Classes begin at 8am

Location:

Tecumseh Fire Hall
1110 Buffalo Dr.
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