

U.S. FOREST SERVICE JOB CORPS



FIRE WE LEARN, WE WORK, WE HELP SERVE OUR FORESTS





WHAT'S THE NEED?

WILDLAND MANAGEMENT

The Forest Service has been managing wildland fire on National Forests and Grasslands for more than 100 years. Job Corps students are trained and equipped to help with assisting the Forest Service with managing the profoundly changing wildland fire environment.

HOW WE CAN HELP!

PROJECT ASSISTANCE

All 24 Job Corps Centers have a fire militia program. Students are prepared to help with camp crews, prescribed fire and serve directly on the fire line. Job Corps is increasing its Advanced Fire Trade at Schenck Job Corps and two more advanced trades are under development in Regions 1 and 2. Also, a Dispatch Training program has been developed and will be housed at Weber Basin Job Corps Center in Ogden, UT.



TRAINING WE PROVIDE

In addition to project assistance, Job Corp students will train with Forest Partners on using the Incident Command System (ICS), completing prescribed burns, tree felling, building fire line and safety (OSHA, First Aid, CPR and operational tactics). Students are also trained in safety protocols and proper use of fire tools (chain saws, drip torches, axes and more) normally used by fire crews.

CONTACT THESE JOB CORPS CENTERS FOR FIRE PROJECT ASSISTANCE

Forestry/Fire Fighting:

Curlew, WA
Oconaluftee, NC
Timber Lake, OR
Trapper Creek, MT
Weber Basin, UT
Wolf Creek, OR

Advanced Fire:

Schenck, NC

Dispatch Training:

Weber Basin, UT





LET'S BUILD TOGETHER

WORK BASED LEARNING INTERNSHIPS

Job Corps students with certifications are more valuable candidates for fire management positions on public lands. Help mitigate or eliminate potential fire hazards and fight fires while giving trained students career opportunities working in the fire industry.

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