



## WildFire Safety Training Courses

- S100
- S100 Online Recertification
- S185

The **S-100, Basic Fire Suppression and Safety training** is a two-day course, one full day of classroom and a field component the following day with an exam at the end of day one. BC WildFire Service provides trainers with the training material, including the exam, a power point, and student manual. The S-100 and S-100A are required to meet the training requirements under Section 26.3.1 Forestry Operation Fire Fighting of B.C.'s Occupational Health and Safety Regulation.



## Learning Objectives:

- Having a safety-first attitude on WildFires.
- Fire entrapment avoidance procedures.
- The LACES safe work protocols.
- Understanding situational awareness and the critical factors.
- Recognizing when it is time to disengage.
- Surviving in a fire entrapment scenario.

The annual **S100 refresher** is a one-day, four-hour course and does not include a field component. Both the S-100 and S-100A are good for one year from date of delivery. If a person has taken either course within the last five years, they would only need to take the S-100A to be considered trained for the following year. If more than five years have passed since a person has taken either course, they would need to re-take the two-day, S-100 course again.

The **S185** is a non-expiring supplemental course to the S100 course, and focuses on entrapment avoidance. Due to unexpected conditions, wind direction changes, and limited escape routes, fire entrapment situations can occur unexpectedly, making this training essential for safety.

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