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Volunteer Hunter Education Instructor Position Description 2021

Position Summary

Wyoming's volunteer instructors are a vital component of the Game and Fish's hunter education program. Certified Volunteer Instructors are living examples of how each hunter should demonstrate ethics, behavior and responsibility to themselves, landowners, other hunters and our natural resources.

Volunteering to be a hunter education instructor is not a typical volunteering role. It takes a fair amount of time and commitment. Every instructor accepts responsibilities for all volunteer agreements as listed in the Instructor Policy Manual. These policies can change to help the efficiency and quality of the Hunter Education Program.

Qualifications

- Must be an adult, 18 years or older.
- Complete all applications and pass all background checks.
- Have a valid Hunter Education card (from Wyoming or another state).
- Must have an email address and access to a computer
- Have experience in the use of firearms, hunting, and outdoor skills.
- Having skills in public speaking and teaching are beneficial.

Time Commitment

- Volunteer instructors are required to teach or help teach at least one hunter education class every two years.
- Game and Fish recommends working with a team of certified instructors to help distribute the workload and provide quality instruction for the participants.
- Certified instructors may expect to host or assist with a 12-18 hour traditional in-person course as well as submitting paperwork for HE classes both before and after a class.

Benefits

- Positively influence the members of your community while passing on Wyoming's hunting heritage
- Assist/mentor new hunters about firearm safety, responsibility, respect and ethics.
- Support and network with other hunter education instructors
- FREE Subscription to *Wyoming Wildlife* magazine
- Earn awards based on hours and years of service volunteered
- Qualify for discount programs for merchandise through multiple retail companies

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