



WELCOME

EXPLORER PROGRAM
POST 400

LEARNING FOR LIFE PARTNERSHIP

- ▶ Wheatland Fire Authority partners with Learning for life to offer participants the opportunity to explore the career of a firefighter.
- ▶ Participants are given the opportunity to train and work side by side with fire service professionals while being mentored.





14-20 years of age

2.0 GPA with no (F)

In good health

Willingness to work as a team member

Not for the lazy

Explorers are required to invest in their development by meeting certain milestones

LIFE AS AN EXPLORER IS A COMMITMENT

LIFE AS AN EXPLORER

- ▶ Attend bi-monthly meetings
- ▶ First Aid & CPR Training
- ▶ Be an active member of Post 400 and participate in community events, as needed
- ▶ Monthly ride-along requirements
- ▶ Actively work to complete Task Book
- ▶ Have Fun and A Positive Attitude
- ▶ Make School and Family Your Priority



ENGAGING IN THE FIRE SERVICE

- ▶ Designed to prepare young people for careers in the fire service and to help develop life skills, leadership, and citizenship.
- ▶ Explorers maintain a high level of physical fitness and are required to perform heavy lifting, carry fire equipment, and perform other physical tasks.
- ▶ Explorers receive training similar to entry-level firefighters, including classroom instructions and real-life Incidents.
- ▶ Engage in six experience areas: Career, Fitness, Leadership, Outdoors, Service, Social Interaction.





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THANK YOU

- ▶ Chief Paquette
- ▶ Wheatland Fire Authority Crew
- ▶ Explorers Post 400