



STUDENT WORKBOOK

Wildland Fire Leadership Development Professional Reading Program

Overview:

Professional development is an essential part of a wildland firefighter's job. The goal of the WFLDP Professional Reading Program is to provide a set of tools to firefighters and leaders. The books found in the Professional Reading Program list are tools that can be used to sharpen our skills and help us become better firefighters and leaders.

Exercise Instructions:

Technology has changed the way we do many things, including how, when, and where we read. How has technology changed your reading habits? Has it made it easier to take books with you when traveling on assignment? Have other entertainment options on tablets and smartphones stolen attention from reading?

Are reading lists with discussion guides tools that you use, or will use in the future? Why or why not?

Check out the new Professional Reading Program website and reading list - http://www.fireleadership.gov/toolbox/PRP_library/pro_reading_program.htm.

What do you think about it? Any ideas for improvements? What do you like or dislike about the site and the reading program?

Do you have any book ideas to share?



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Send comments and suggestions to Justin at BLM_FA_Leadership_Feedback@blm.gov
