

DESCRIPTION

Learn to navigate using topographic and other maps used with the compass and Global Positioning Systems (GPS). Discusses topography contours, map scales, and map projections. Navigate in the field using inexpensive modern compass and GPS receiver to define desired directions of travel and use them on the ground. Discussion of different hand-held GPS receivers, their usefulness, accuracy, and important features for use in the field. Students will learn how to use the GPS receiver and/or compass with map to determine accurate altitude information in land navigation and how to minimize navigation errors caused by the effects of weather and other natural interference. There will be a \$5.00 student materials fee for student manual.

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FS-85 UNDERSTANDING MAPS, COMPASS AND GPS (BASIC LAND NAVIGATION)

DATE(S): APRIL 4-5, 2025
FRI, SAT 8:00AM - 5:50PM
18 TOTAL HOURS = 0.5 UNITS

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