



NEW DOCENT TRAINING SCHEDULE 2022 *TENTATIVE*

All training is from **9:00 am – 12:00 pm**
– in the Stone House/Hulbert Center at KPBS headquarters
Enter at the lower level by the picnic tables

Spring training:

- March 1st** - Orientation to the Konza Prairie Docent Program
Overview of Konza Prairie Biological Station
- March 2nd** - Tour of Konza Prairie
- March 3rd** - Role of bison on the prairie – Jeff Taylor, bison herd mgr.
- March 4th** – Bison Loop tour
- March 8th** - Geology of the Flint Hills
- March 9th** – Fire on the prairie – Patrick O’Neal, KPBS fire chief
- March 10th** – Nature Trail hike – the trail and how to work with groups
- March 11th** – Interpretation – speaking to groups and finding your place

Autumn Training:

- August 23rd** - SLTER - Survey of Grasshoppers on the prairie
- August 24th** - SLTER - Stream Chemistry and
Macroinvertebrate exercises
- August 25th** - SLTER – Role of fire on the prairie. Grass identification
- August 26th** - Hike Godwin Hill Trail with experienced docents

Docent Graduation will be at the Friends of Konza Prairie Annual Meeting at the end of September. More information on times will be presented as we get closer to the date.