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## **Burn SMART – planned burning resources for small landholders**

Volunteers and staff are encouraged to continue to promote Burn SMART this burning season.

Burn SMART was launched as a resource package in 2020 to inform and support landholders preparing for and undertaking planned burns. The resources include:

- Burn SMART A planned burning guide for small landholders (Burn SMART Guide)
- Burn SMART checklist
- Leaf moisture method
- Planned burning fact sheet

In 2021 a four-part video series was released to bolster the Burn SMART toolkit. Watch the planned burning how-to videos here.

The series covers the six stages of preparing for and conducting a planned burn, as outlined in the Burn SMART Guide.

The videos are designed to be watched in conjunction with reading the Burn SMART Guide to give landholders a visual understanding of all necessary steps.

Volunteers and staff can help their community be better prepared to undertake a planned burn by sharing the Burn SMART resources and including the videos in engagement and education activities.

All of the resources, including imagery for your social media pages and talking points to guide your conversations, are available on the <u>Volunteer Hub</u>, <u>Intranet</u>, and <u>DFES</u> website.

An email signature has been created that can be used until early July.

To obtain printed copies of the resources, please email a <u>Resource Order Request</u> Form to CommunityPreparedness@dfes.wa.gov.au.

For more information, get in touch at <a href="mailto:BushfireCoE@dfes.wa.gov.au">BushfireCoE@dfes.wa.gov.au</a>.

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