



## 2022 Deer Hunting 101- Mentor/Youth/Apprentice

### Application Deadline

No deadline

### Requirements

- South Dakota Resident
- Mentor hunters must be 10+ years old.
- Parent or Guardian present during the education and hunt with youth or mentor hunters.
- Parent or Guardian written permission
- Accompanied by a GFP employee/volunteer
- Attend a Range day to demonstrate shooting proficiency
- Purchase a \$5 mentor, youth, or apprentice Permit
- Fill out a questionnaire after the hunt

### Other FAQs

- Season Dates: September 10 – January 1, 2023
- **This unique opportunity is available for both youth and adults.**
- Applicants will have to qualify with a rifle after some lessons and instructions from GFP Staff prior to the hunt.
- After the hunt we will help process your harvest or drop off at a locker at your expense.
- Permit can be purchased online or at the Sioux Falls Regional office after September 10.
- **All necessary gear will be provided by SD GF& P.**

### The Hunt

Will be for antlerless deer only. All the hunts will take place on private land. Will coordinate the hunt according to your availability. We hunt both weekdays and weekends.

Will include time at the gun range, education on safety, deer hunting tactics, how to properly care for and process a deer, and the hunt. We hunt in all types of weather conditions. Be sure to dress accordingly.

## Application Instructions

1. Fill out the attached Application and Questionnaire
2. Email the application to Derek Klawitter ([Derek.Klawitter@state.sd.us](mailto:Derek.Klawitter@state.sd.us))

Or

Return to the Region 3 Game, Fish, and Parks Office addressed as follows:

Game, Fish, and Parks  
ATTN: Hunting 101 program  
4500 S. Oxbow Avenue  
Sioux Falls, SD 57106

**Region 3 Office Hours:**  
Monday – Friday 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.

**Contact us with questions:**  
Phone: 605-362-2777



## Deer Hunting 101 Application

Participant's Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Participant's Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: (\_\_\_\_) - \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you completed hunt safe (check one):  yes  no

### Mentor/Youth applicants ONLY

Guardian's Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

### Questionnaire for Participant:

1. Why do you want to participate in this hunting opportunity?
  
  
  
  
  
2. What are you hoping to gain from this experience?

I affirm that I am eligible for this type of hunt and that the information above is true.

Participant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Guardian's Signature (For Youth Hunt Only): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_