





Course #203

Wastewater Laboratory

This course is a hand-on approach that combines laboratory and lecture. The student will learn proper sampling techniques, how to perform wastewater treatment lab analyses, lab recordkeeping, and calibration and maintenance of laboratory equipment. A student study guide will be provided at the beginning of class. Please wear proper attire when working in the lab. Refrain from wearing shorts, sandals, or open-toed shoes.

It is intended for individuals who are currently working toward obtaining a certification in wastewater treatment and for certified wastewater treatment operators who want to have a better understanding of laboratory proceedures and equipment.

General Topics

- Dissolved Oxygen
- E. coli
- ▶ BOD
- Total Suspended Solids
- **▶** pH
 - ► QA/QC

Operating Experience

Grades 1, 2, 3 wastewater treatment: three (3) months

Grade 4 wastewater treatment: five (5) months

Continuing Education

Grades 1 or 2 wastewater treatment: six (6) hours

Grades 3 or 4 wastewater treatment: twelve (12) hours

Board Sanctioned Training: 30 hours