

Quick Answers to Appleseed Questions

What is Project Appleseed? It's a program to train people in basic rifle marksmanship using rack-grade rifles and surplus ball ammo. A program to revitalize the tradition of the Rifleman.

Who should attend? Appleseed is perfect for teaching brand new or experienced shooters. There is something for all to learn.

Why "Appleseed"? "Appleseed" comes from Johnny Appleseed, the American folk hero who toured the country, planting appleseeds, not for himself, but so future generations would benefit.

What's your real agenda? Teaching Marksmanship and the Rifleman Tradition, and respect for our Rev War history. That's all we are about.

What kind of rifle do I need? You can use any safe firearm which can be accurately shot from the shoulder, from a .22 to a .32 (8mm). While semi-auto friendly, we're not unfriendly to bolt guns.

What kind of sights are allowed? Appleseed is content-free so far as *sights* - you can use ANY.

What caliber is best? They all are. Appleseed is not caliber specific .308, .30-06, .223, 7.62X39, 8mm, .303 - even .22 rimfire is fine.

How much ammo do I need? It's best to bring 200 rounds per person per day.

How much does it cost to attend? \$70 for 2 days which includes a free t-shirt, \$45 for only one day, plus any additional range fees, usually between \$5-\$10 a day. Children 20 and younger shoot for free, as well as active or reserve military and guardsmen with military ID. Elected officials and candidates for office can also shoot free!

Why military rifles? Because they are fast and easy to reload, but you can if pinched bring a hunting rifle just be sure to practice reloading it fast!

Do I need a sling? Yes. Military style web sling. Nothing fancy is required.

Can I use a bipod? No. We teach the basic shooting positions, using a sling.

Do you have a checklist of things to do in preparation? Yes, you can find that information [here](#) and go to the forum. There is a great deal of information under the Appleseed Project thread and FAQ's

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Can Kids come? Yes, and under 20 years old, shoot for free.

Can I sign up. and be squadded with my buddies? Of course you can. You can even be squadded with your internet buddies you've never met.

Where can I get more information? Go to [www.appleseedproject.com](#), or check out Fred's article in the Shotgun News, at any Walmart, under Fred's M14 Stocks.

Are there other shoots coming up? Yes, in Utah, Washington, Georgia - and we are looking for more places in the Southwest. Louisiana is also in the works.

Can I just show up and sign-up then? Yes, but we would prefer that you pre-register if at all possible by going to [www.appleseedproject.com](#), clicking on "Forum", then "Appleseed Event Schedule" and print out the application form. If you can't get on-line, send name, address, phone number and shirt size, entry fee of \$45 or \$70, and the date and place you are signing up for, to RWVA, POB 756, Ramseur, NC 27316.