



Qualifying Details

The standards for the Certified Park and Recreation Executive (CPRE) are as follows. The CPRE must:

- Hold a current CPRP Certification AND
- Candidate must hold a bachelor's degree from a regionally accredited education institution and no less than 5 years full-time manager experience to sit for the CPRE examination; OR
- Candidate must hold a master's or higher degree from a regionally accredited education institution and no less than 4 years full-time manager experience to sit for the CPRE examination.

Work Experience Details

Work experience is defined by your employer. Alternatives to full-time employment include the following:

- Part-time Employment - 1 year of employment is equivalent to 6 months of full-time employment
- Consultants – experience should be accompanied by three letters of reference
- Seasonal/temporary work not accepted