

The National FAA Safety Team Presents

Topic of the Month – March Pilot Proficiency and *WINGS*

Presented to: FSFC and Friends

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Welcome

- **Drew Myers, AOPA Manager of Flying Clubs Initiative**
 - Safety Officer, Free State Flying Club
 - FAASTeam representative, Baltimore FSDO
- **Our monthly in-and-out safety meeting using the FAASTeam Topic of the Month**
- **Sponsor Acknowledgment – FSFC, AOPA, FAASTeam, Baltimore FSDO**
- **WINGS Credit: Yes...but give me a day...**
- **Probably no time for questions, but send email:
drew.myers@aopa.org**



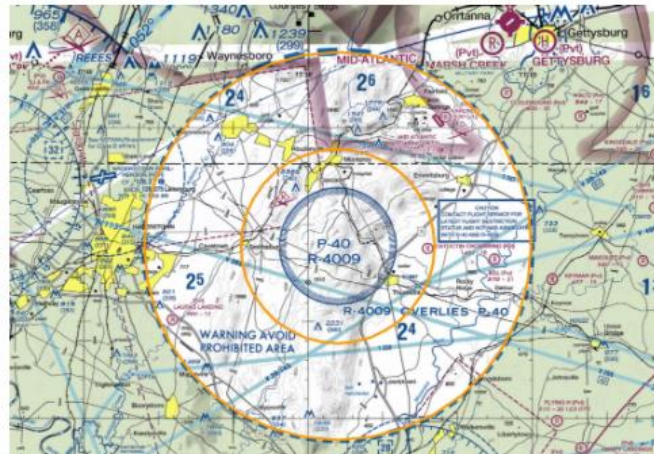
Check NOTAMS!



VIP TFR OVER WILIMINGTON, DE BEGINNING TODAY SATURDAY, MARCH 6, 2021



VIP TFR OVER HAGERSTOWN/THURMONT, MD BEGINNING FRIDAY, APRIL 2, 2021
(((CHANGE IN DEPARTURE TIME)))



Overview

- **A *WINGS* presentation about the *WINGS* program**
 - A GA pilot proficiency program...a gift from the FAA!
- **Top 5 reasons to be a *WINGS* Pilot**
- **Getting started with *WINGS***
- ***WINGS* Topic of the Quarter**
- **Do it!**
- **Call me!**



FAASTeam Mission Statement

Lower the Nation's aviation accident rate by conveying safety principles and practices through training, outreach, and education, while establishing partnerships and encouraging the continual growth of a positive safety culture within the aviation community

Fly more, fly better, fly safer



General Aviation Vs. The Pros

- **It doesn't make sense...**
 - Airline pilots - flying regularly - every 6-months
 - GA pilots - flying infrequently - every 24-months



Topical Examples...



Proficiency

“Proficiency does not come on its own. It is defined as a deep competence in terms of knowledge, skill, (aptitude) and experience *through practice and education*.

It is the *ability to act* with determined results”

RADEK WYRZYKOWSKI, EAA MANAGER OF FLIGHT PROFICIENCY. EAA SPORT PILOT, JANUARY 2021



Current vs. Proficient (Legal Vs. Safe)

- **Currency: What the FAA regulations are concerned with:**
 - Flight review – 61.56
 - Recent Flight Experience – 61.57
 - 90-day passenger *currency*
 - 90-day night *currency*
 - 90-day tailwheel *currency*
 - IPC
- **Nothing about how well you did it...**
- **Proficiency is what we are really after...**
 - Level of performance
- **Currency is NOT a surrogate for Proficiency**
 - Just like airspeed is NOT a surrogate for angle of attack
 - You'll likely be current if you fly enough to be proficient



What we need is a GA pilot proficiency program!!!

- Let's all rush off and invent one...
- Oh...wait...the FAA has already provided the solution = **WINGS!**
 - A general aviation pilot proficiency program
 - Proficiency though evaluated achievement
 - Knowledge
 - Risk management
 - Airmanship/skill

} The trifecta of the ACS



Top Five Countdown on why *WINGS* is for you...

5...4...3...2...1 = Take-off!



#5. *WINGS* training yields awards

- ***WINGS* for health**
 - Proficiency training keeps you alive
- ***WINGS* for recognition**
 - Part of the GA safety community
 - *WINGS* logbook
 - *WINGS* pin
- ***WINGS* for rewards**
 - Earn a flight review and CFI renewal
 - *WINGS* insurance discounts. It works!



#4. Proficiency training works!

- Sports
- Medicine
- Aviation



Umm...

- **You: When did you last perform this operation?**



- **Doctor: Oh, I haven't done this one before, but I did one like it 23-months ago...it'll be okay...trust me...I'm a doctor**



Umm...

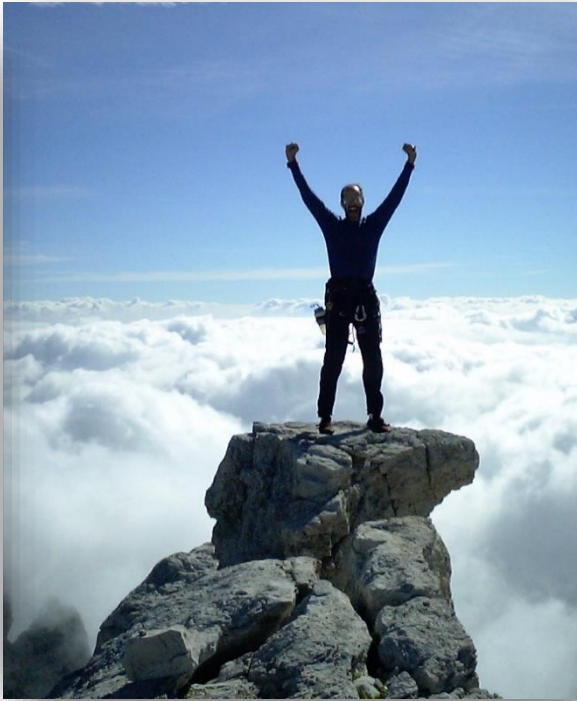
- **You: When did you last fly this type of aeroplane?**



- **Pilot: Oh, I haven't flown one like this, but I did one like it...about 23-months ago...it's okay, I'll remember...trust me...I'm a pilot**



The Path to Proficiency



***The path to proficiency doesn't end with a check-ride. It continues throughout your flying career
There is always more to do. We can always be better.***



We hire coaches for our careers, our workouts, our financial management...

- **Have a plan**
 - What do you expect
 - What you're going to do
 - Acceptable performance standards to know you are there
- **Document your results**
 - Progress monitor
 - Set progressive goals and standards
 - Review
- **Want more bang for your time/buck?**
 - Hire a coach, personal trainer, financial advisor...

SO...DO IT FOR YOUR FLYING!

- **Want more results and good value for money?**
 - Hire a flight instructor and follow the *WINGS* program!




#3. *WINGS* coaching gets results!

- **Rated and skilled in that airplane**
- **Familiar with the coaching environment**
 - Keen observer
 - Teacher
 - Motivator
- **Develop your flying**
 - Go beyond the boring flight review
 - Not the same hour, hour after hour...yawn...
 - Do something different or...
 - Do familiar things, differently
 - Follow a program
 - *WINGS* includes **flight activities** as well as courses, seminars...



Register for knowledge credits



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Searches Only Learning Center and Document Library

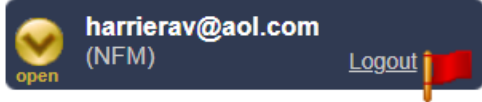
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Event Details and Registration

Below you will find the details for this seminar or webinar. You may register by clicking the "Register" link. ([Print-friendly version](#).)

Title: Fuel Mismanagement
Topic: Fuel Mismanagement leading to fuel starvation
Date and Time: Tuesday, April 17, 2018, starting at 19:00 Pacific Daylight Time [Download Calendar File](#)



Credit Applicability: 1 Credit for Basic Knowledge Topic 3


FAAS Team Project Information:

National Project: **WINGS**

Additional Event Documents: [WP2182456F.pdf](#)



Request flight credits

Flight Activities 

| TOPIC | TYPE | TITLE | STATUS | MORE |
|----------------------------|----------------------|---|--|------------------------|
| Flight Topic 1 1 Credit | Flight A070405-89 | ASEL-Takeoffs, Landings, Go-arounds (ATP, Comm'l, Pvt) Advance... | When Complete Request Credit | Search |
| Flight Topic 2 1 Credit | Flight A070405-08 | ASEL-Slow Flight, Stall, Basic Instruments (Pvt, Comm'l, ATP) | When Complete Request Credit | Search |
| Flight Topic 3 1 Credit | Flight A100125-07 | ASEL-Airport Operations (Pvt, Comm'l, ATP) | When Complete Request Credit | Search |



Use flight activities to calibrate yourself

| My Short Field Performance | | | | | |
|----------------------------|--|-----------------|--|----------------|--|
| Aircraft | | Gross Weight | | Test Weight | |
| Airfield | | Elevation | | Density Alt. | |
| Wind Direction | | Wind Speed | | X-Wind Comp | |
| IAS | | Landing Dist. | | Flap Setting | |
| | | | | | |
| Takeoff Flap | | Rotation Speed | | | |
| Rotation Speed x.70 | | V _x | | V _y | |
| Distance to Rotation | | Distance to 50' | | | |



#2. *WINGS* expands your horizons



- Use *WINGS* flights for:
 - Appropriate response to startles
 - Expanded envelope exercises
 - Doing familiar maneuvers, differently
 - Transition training
 - Perhaps even spin and aerobatic training



#1. *WINGS* pilots are:

- **Competent**
- **Confident**
- **Safe**
- **Always climbing the incline of experience**

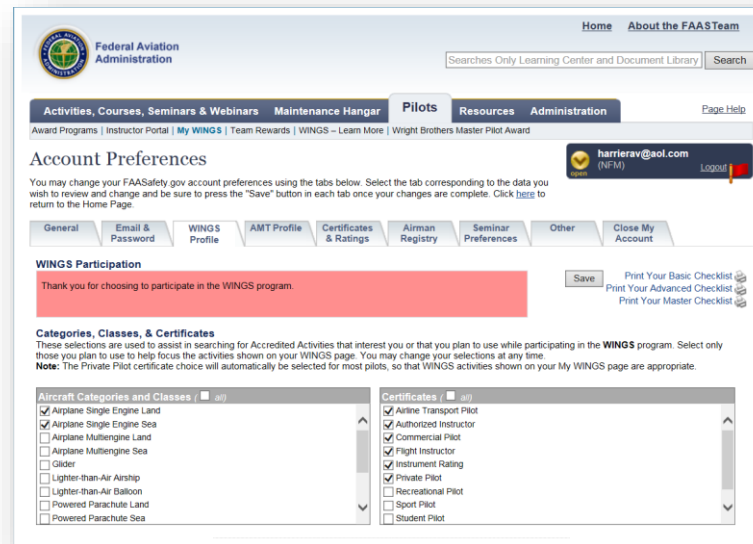


Okay, I'm sold. How do I get started with *WINGS*?



WINGS – easy as 1, 2, 3

1. Create an account on <http://faasafety.gov>
2. Complete your *WINGS* Pilot Profile
3. Attend *WINGS* seminars/courses and take *WINGS* flight activities



WINGS Levels and Phases

- **Levels:**
 - Basic
 - Advanced
 - Master
- **Phase:**
 - Three knowledge and three flight activities at given level = a phase
 - Flight activities based on accident casual factors
 - Can earn as many phases as you like, when you like
 - Can tackle any level but must do at least one basic phase, every year
- **Earn a phase in 12-months = flight review**
 - When properly documented, endorsed and validated



Document your training

- **WINGS** Pilot Proficiency Program
 - Online records retention
 - Tailored to common GA accident precursors
 - Seminars and Webinars near you
 - Like this ToM
 - ASI and FAA courses
 - “Third-party” courses (watch out for costs)
 - Also need to fly!
- **A phase of WINGS:**
 - Three knowledge activities
 - Three flight activities

<http://faasafety.gov>



faasafety.gov

- Not the easiest to navigate...but don't whine about it...have a click fest and learn it
- Lots of gems, sometimes hidden
- Use MY WINGS to get ideas for knowledge and flight activities
- Flight activities must be flown with a CFI and then validated
- Call me if you need something validated...

The screenshot shows the faasafety.gov website. At the top left is the Federal Aviation Administration logo. The main navigation bar includes: Activities, Courses, Seminars & Webinars, Maintenance Hangar, Pilots, Resources, Administration, and Page Help. The header features the FAA Safety Team logo and the slogan "Safer Skies Through Education".



Key sections visible include:

- Featured Courses:** Earn WINGS or AMT Credit by completing one of our featured online courses! Includes links for "A Case For Non Technical Training (AMT Core Course for 2021)", "The Buck Stops with Me", "Part 107 Small Unmanned Aircraft Systems (small UAS) Recurrent", and "DC SFRA".
- Hot Topics:** "FLY SAFE" logo and "General Aviation Safety Enhancement Topics".
- AMT Awards Program:** Encourages AMTs and employers to take advantage of initial and recurrent training by issuing awards based on training received. Includes "Tutorial for Individuals" and "Tutorial for Employers".
- WINGS:** "Flight Review Expiration Date: May 31, 2021". Lists "Basic WINGS", "Advanced WINGS", and "Master WINGS" with "None" as an option. Includes a "Quick WINGS" button.
- Instructor Portal:** "By virtue of holding instructor privileges, instructors can validate or give immediate WINGS credit through this portal." Includes a "WINGS Flight Instructor Guide" link.
- WINGS Achievements:** "We are excited to report that 43,820 pilots have earned at least one phase in the WINGS - Pilot Proficiency Program, and these pilots have earned a total of 180,595 phases." Includes a "See the list and find your name" link.
- FAA YouTube:** Features a video player with the FAA logo and a YouTube icon.
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- Footer:** A vertical "LINKS" menu on the left and a grid of links on the right including: Offices (Flight Standards District Offices, Runway Safety), FAA For... (Pilots, Mechanics, Other Aviation Professionals, Educators & Students), Forms (FAA Forms), Handbooks & Manuals (Aircraft, Aviation, Examiner & Inspector), Aircraft Certificates (Type Certificate Data Sheets, Supplemental Type Certificates), Accidents & Incidents (Accident & Incident Data, Preliminary Accident & Incident Data), Aeronautical Navigation Products (Airport Diagrams, d-CS formerly the Airport/Facility Directory, Terminal Procedures (d-TTP)), Regulations & Guidelines (Advisory Circulars, Airworthiness Directives, Federal Aviation Regulations (FAR), Orders & Notices, Temporary Flight Restrictions), and Other Popular FAA Sites (Airmen Inquiry, Airmen Online Services, FAA Registry Aircraft Inquiry).

MY WINGS

- Suggests knowledge and flight activities for you
- Change as you wish

| Knowledge Activities  | | | | |
|--|---|--|------------------------|--------|
| TOPIC | TYPE | TITLE | STATUS | SEARCH |
| Knowledge Topic 1 1 Credit | Course ALC-62 | Aeronautical Decision Making for VFR Pilots | ✓ Completed 7/4/2020 | |
| Knowledge Topic 2 1 Credit | Seminar  EA07102493 | Tailwheel Ground School | ✓ Completed 11/12/2020 | |
| Knowledge Topic 3 ½ Credit | Seminar  EA0799293 | Westminster Aerobats Flying Club - Monthly Safety Meeting (KFDK) | ✓ Completed 3/9/2020 | |
| Knowledge Topic 3 1 Credit | Seminar  EA6199737 | I Have a Question - More on Charts and Airspace - 2020 | ✓ Completed 3/25/2020 | |

| Flight Activities  | | | | |
|---|--|---|--|---|
| TOPIC | TYPE | TITLE | STATUS | SEARCH |
| Flight Topic 1 1 Credit | Flight FFR Instrument Proficiency | AOPA Focused Flight Review Instrument Proficiency | When Complete Request Credit | Find Alternate Activities |
| Flight Topic 2 1 Credit | Seminar  EA2779494 | NTSB Safety Seminar | Request Credit | Find Alternate Activities |
| Flight Topic 3 1 Credit | Flight A100125-10 | ASEL-Emergency Operations (Pvt, Comm'l, ATP) | When Complete Request Credit | Find Alternate Activities |



Flight Activities

- Something for everyone!

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Activities

Search Activities | Activity History

sbateman7799@gmail.com (Lead Representative) Logout

There are hundreds of activities featured on the FAASafety.gov website to augment your training experience. The search tool below furnishes users with a convenient way to find activities and includes the specific WINGS or AMT credits that apply. To search for activities, specify your search parameters below and press "Search".

Search Activities [Close](#)

Keywords:

Activity Type: Seminars Other Activities Courses Flight Activities

Program: WINGS AMT WINGS and AMT Rep Training

WINGS Level: Basic Advanced Master Knowledge 1 Flight 1 Knowledge 2 Flight 2 Knowledge 3 Flight 3

Perform Search

RESULTS 1 - 50 OF 319. PER PAGE

| Activity Type | Date | Activity Name | Cost | Credit i | Export |
|-------------------------------|------|--|------|-----------------------------------|--------|
| Flight Activity A100125-08 | | ASEL - Air Work - Performance Flight and Ground Reference Maneuvers (Pvt, Com... | Free | 1 Credit for Basic Flight Topic 3 | |
| Flight Activity A100125-14 | | ASEL - Air Work (Rec Pilot) | Free | 1 Credit for Basic Flight Topic 3 | |
| Flight Activity A100125-17 | | ASEL - Air Work (Sport Pilot) | Free | 1 Credit for Basic Flight Topic 3 | |
| Flight Activity A100125-07 | | ASEL - Airport Operations (Pvt, Comm'l, ATP) | Free | 1 Credit for Basic Flight Topic 3 | |
| Flight Activity A100125-13 | | ASEL - Airport Operations (Rec Pilot) | Free | 1 Credit for Basic Flight Topic 3 | |
| Flight Activity | | ASEL - Airport Operations (Sport Pilot) | Free | | |

Other ways to earn *WINGS* credit

- **Earn a new certificate or rating**
 - For example, PPL package is activity A071102-02
 - COM, CFI, tailwheel endorsement, seaplane, etc.
- **Do an actual flight review – document inside *WING***
- **Or...do a flight review activity**
 - One activity, three knowledge and three flight credits = phase *WINGS*
- **Same with IPC**
- **CFI renewal counts for credit**
- **Can earn the CFI renewal by participating in *WINGS* as a CFI**
 - Conduct 15 flight activities, with 5 different pilots
 - More business for you and safer pilots for everyone

Accredited Activity Information

Name: [Initial Certification - Private Pilot \(print friendly\)](#)

Credits: As of 3/12/2022, Does a Credit Apply to Stephen Bateman?

| Basic WINGS | |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 1 Credit for Basic Flight Topic 1 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 1 Credit for Basic Flight Topic 2 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 1 Credit for Basic Flight Topic 3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1 Credit for Basic Knowledge Topic 1 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 1 Credit for Basic Knowledge Topic 2 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 1 Credit for Basic Knowledge Topic 3 |

Activity Number: A071102-02

Syllabus: [S-BF1-W1.00-080123-002-01](#)
Takeoffs, Climbs, Approaches, Landings, Go-Arounds - WINGS
[S-BF2-W1.00-091201-002-01](#)
Positive Aircraft Control, including Loss of Control Issues
[S-BK1-W1.00-080126-002-01](#)
Aeronautical Decision Making, including Runway Safety Issues
[S-BF3-W1.00-080128-002-02](#)
Basic Flying Skills
[S-BK2-W1.00-080129-002-01](#)
Performance and Limitations, including Loss of Control Issues
[S-BK3-W1.00-080129-002-02](#)
Elective Subjects for Activities/Events/Seminars

Satisfactory completion of a Practical Test for the initial issuance of a Private Pilot Certificate within the last 2 years meets the requirements for the Basic Level of the *WINGS* - Pilot Proficiency Program.



WINGS Topic of the Quarter

- **Easiest way to work with *WINGS***
- **Three knowledge activities and three flight activities chosen for you**
- **Do one per quarter – gets you a phase of *WINGS* with all the rewards**

- **NEW! Two ToQ plans to choose from: Alpha and Bravo**



WINGS Topic of the Quarter – Alpha Knowledge

WINGS Topics of the Quarter



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Knowledge Topics:

Plan Alpha

Spring
Knowledge Topic

Follow the QR code or link below to take a course on **Aeronautical Decision Making**. (ALC-62)



<https://bit.ly/2G0TY0r>

Date Completed _____

WINGS flying is more than half the fun. Turn the page and complete your Spring WINGS Flight Activity with your CFI.

Basic Knowledge Topic 1

Summer
Knowledge Topic

Follow the QR code or link below to take a course on **Positive Aircraft Control** (ALC-36)



<https://bit.ly/2L1HnbX>

Date Completed _____

It's time to apply your WINGS knowledge in flight! Plan to complete the Summer WINGS Flight Activity that will keep you flying at the top of your game!

Basic Knowledge Topic 2

Fall
Knowledge Topic

Follow the QR code or link below to take a course on **Inflight Icing** (ALC-33)



<https://bit.ly/2EtqExj>

Date Completed _____

Enough of the bookwork. Now it's time to fly! Complete the rewarding Fall WINGS Flight Activity on the back of this page.

Basic Knowledge Topic 3

Winter
Knowledge Topic



Follow the QR code or link below to take a course on **Avoiding Loss of Control** (ALC-214)



<https://bit.ly/1q0cP8T>

Date Completed _____

It's time to spread your WINGS and broaden your horizons. Schedule your Winter WINGS Flight Activity with your CFI.

Elective Topic

WINGS Tips →

- Complete at least the spring, summer, and fall items on each side of this sheet every twelve months to stay current in WINGS.
- Once you have registered on FAASafety.gov, successful completion of these courses will automatically be credited to your My WINGS account.

Need Help? Ask a Pro!
Search the FAASafety directory to find a WINGSPro near you!



PLEASE NOTE: THIS FORM IS FOR YOUR RECORDS ONLY!

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- Easy to do the three knowledge activities
- Online proficiency courses
 - Self-paced
 - Do it at home
 - Build solid decision-making skills on the ground



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WINGS Topic of the Quarter – Alpha Flights

WINGS Topics of the Quarter



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Flight Activities For ASEL:

Plan Alpha

Spring Flight Activity

Flight Activity: A070405-07
Takeoffs, Landings, Go-Arounds



<https://bit.ly/2L1WceL>

Objective: To develop, review, or improve the airman's knowledge, airmanship and understanding the importance of maintaining positive aircraft control during takeoff, landing, and go-arounds.

Summer Flight Activity

Flight Activity: A070405-08
Slow Flight, Stalls,
Basic Instruments



<https://bit.ly/2AZZNFM>

Objective: To develop, review, or improve the airman's knowledge, airmanship and understanding the importance of performing intentional stalls to familiarize the airman with the conditions that produce stalls.

Fall Flight Activity

Flight Activity: A100125-07
Airport Operations



<https://bit.ly/2G5Ybjl>

Objective: To develop, review, or improve the airman's knowledge, airmanship and understanding the importance of knowing and abiding by the rules and general operating procedures applicable to airports.

Winter Flight Activity



Flight Activity: A100125-08
Air Work – Proficiency Maneuvers
& Ground Reference Maneuvers



<https://bit.ly/2Ei2rL0>

Objective: To develop, review, or improve the airman's knowledge, airmanship and understanding the importance of mastering the ability to control the airplane, and recognize and correct for the effect(s) of wind.

I certify that
holder of pilot certificate # _____
has satisfactorily demonstrated proficiency
in the required tasks as outlined in the
WINGS - Pilot Proficiency Program, for
activity #A070405-07 on _____

CFI Printed Name: _____

CFI # / Expiration: _____

CFI SIGNATURE: _____

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in the required tasks as outlined in the
WINGS - Pilot Proficiency Program, for
activity #A100125-08 on _____

CFI Printed Name: _____

CFI # / Expiration: _____

CFI SIGNATURE: _____

- Easy to do these rewarding light activities
 - With your CFI
 - At least 3 times a year!
 - Go on...do the bonus 4th!



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WINGS Topic of the Quarter – Bravo Knowledge

WINGS Topics of the Quarter



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Knowledge Topics:

Plan Bravo

Spring
Knowledge Topic

Follow the QR code or link below to take a course on **Avoiding Pilot Deviations** (ALC-636)



<https://bit.ly/309rqsG>

Date Completed _____

WINGS flying is more than half the fun. Turn the page and complete your Spring WINGS Flight Activity with your CFI.

Basic Knowledge Topic 1

Summer
Knowledge Topic

Follow the QR code or link below to take a course on **Positive Take-Off, Landing, and Aircraft Control** (ALC-485)



<https://bit.ly/307Leg4>

Date Completed _____

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Basic Knowledge Topic 2

Fall
Knowledge Topic

Follow the QR code or link below to take a course on **Airframe Icing** (ALC-190)



<https://bit.ly/3uMBztB>

Date Completed _____

Enough of the bookwork. Now it's time to fly! Complete the rewarding Fall WINGS Flight Activity on the back of this page.

Basic Knowledge Topic 3

Winter
Knowledge Topic



Follow the QR code or link below to take a course on **Beechcraft Cold Weather Operations** (ALC-541)



<https://bit.ly/381IEwo>

Date Completed _____

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Elective Topic

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**Need Help?
Ask a Pro!**

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 - Self-paced
 - Do it at home
 - Build solid decision-making skills on the ground and in the air



WINGS Topic of the Quarter – Bravo Flights

WINGS Topics of the Quarter

Flight Activities For ASEL:

Plan Bravo



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Spring
Flight Activity

Flight Activity: A210119-01
Tarmac Tales (RIRTP)



<https://bit.ly/3l164HN>

OBJECTIVE – Importance of learning to recognize the importance and meaning of airport signage, runway markings, correct ATC communications, and operational pre-taxi, and taxi procedures that will mitigate a pilot from causing a runway incursion.

Summer
Flight Activity

Flight Activity: A070405-08
Slow Flight, Stalls, Basic Instruments



<https://bit.ly/3uNNdEv>

OBJECTIVE – Importance of performing intentional stalls to familiarize the airman with the conditions that produce stalls; to assist in recognizing an approaching stall by sight, sound, and feel, and to develop the habit of taking prompt preventive or corrective action.

Fall
Flight Activity

Flight Activity: A100125-10
Emergency Operations



<https://bit.ly/3qAlmEv>

Objective: Importance of mastering soft-field takeoff, climb operations, rejected takeoff procedures, attitude instrument flying while recovering from unusual attitudes solely by reference to instruments, and emergency descent, approach and landing.

Winter
Flight Activity



Flight Activity: A100125-08
Air Work - Performance Flight and Ground Reference Maneuvers



<https://bit.ly/3b9uoDW>

Objective: Importance of mastering the ability to control the airplane, and recognize and correct for the effects of wind while dividing attention among other matters.

- Easy to do these rewarding light activities
 - With your CFI
 - At least 3 times a year!
 - Go on...do the bonus 4th!

I certify that _____
holder of pilot certificate # _____
has satisfactorily demonstrated proficiency in the required tasks as outlined in the WINGS - Pilot Proficiency Program, for activity #A210119-01 on _____

CFI Printed Name: _____

CFI # / Expiration: _____

CFI SIGNATURE: _____

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has satisfactorily demonstrated proficiency in the required tasks as outlined in the WINGS - Pilot Proficiency Program, for activity #A070405-08 on _____

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CFI # / Expiration: _____

CFI SIGNATURE: _____

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CFI Printed Name: _____

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CFI SIGNATURE: _____



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Spring Training (Knowledge) – Alpha or Bravo

Spring Knowledge Topic

Follow the QR code or link below to take a course on **Aeronautical Decision Making**. (ALC-62)



<https://bit.ly/2G0TY0r>

Date Completed _____

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Basic Knowledge Topic 1

Spring Knowledge Topic

Follow the QR code or link below to take a course on **Avoiding Pilot Deviations** (ALC-636)



<https://bit.ly/309rqsG>

Date Completed _____

*WINGS flying is more than half the fun. Turn the page and complete your Spring **WINGS Flight Activity** with your CFI.*

Basic Knowledge Topic 1

- Refresh your knowledge with these online course:
 - ALC 62 Aeronautical Decision Making for VFR Pilots
 - ALC 636 Avoiding Pilot Deviations
- Build solid decision-making skills
 - For on the ground and in the air



Spring Training (Flights) – Alpha or Bravo

Spring Flight Activity

Flight Activity: A070405-07
Takeoffs, Landings, Go-Arounds



<https://bit.ly/2L1WceL>

Objective: To develop, review, or improve the airman's knowledge, airmanship and understanding the importance of maintaining positive aircraft control during takeoff, landing, and go-arounds.

Spring Flight Activity

Flight Activity: A210119-01
Tarmac Tales (RIRTP)



<https://bit.ly/31164HN>

OBJECTIVE – Importance of learning to recognize the importance and meaning of airport signage, runway markings, correct ATC communications, and operational pre-taxi, and taxi procedures that will mitigate a pilot from causing a runway incursion.

I certify that

holder of pilot certificate # _____
has satisfactorily demonstrated proficiency in the required tasks as outlined in the WINGS - Pilot Proficiency Program, for activity #A070405-07 on _____

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• Hone your flying skills with these flight activities

- Normal Takeoff & Climb
- Normal Approach & Landing
- Soft-Field Takeoff & Climb
- Soft-Field Approach & Landing
- Short-Field Takeoff & Maximum Performance Climb
- Short Field Approach & Landing
- Forward Slip to a Landing
- Go-Around / Rejected Landing
- Emergency Descent, Approach & Landing
- Systems and Equipment Malfunctions

| WINGS Flight Activity # A070405-07 Worksheet ASEL - Takeoffs, Landings, and Go Arouns | | | DATE: | | |
|---|------------------------------|----------------------|---|-------------------|-----|
| | | | LOCATION: | | |
| AIRMAN: | AIRMAN CERTIFICATE #: | AIRMAN EMAIL: | TYPE AIRCRAFT/SIMULATOR USED | BLOCK TIME | |
| CFI: | CFI CERTIFICATE #: | CFI EMAIL: | WINGS Flight Activity Completed: <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO | | |
| <p>NOTE: The Flight Instructor will ensure the airman possesses the knowledge, ability to manage risks, and skills consistent in the performance of flight maneuvers specifically listed in the Areas of Operation for Takeoffs, Landings and Go-Arounds; Emergency Operations, and Night Operations (as applicable) to the ACS completion standards. While this WINGS Flight Activity targets specifically the Takeoff, Landing, and Go-Around Area of Operation, Airmen should satisfactorily demonstrate all pertinent parts of the ACS in their Preflight, Flight, and Post Flight activities consistent with their certificate or rating. For WINGS credit, the airman will satisfactorily demonstrate the maneuvers and procedures listed in bold text below, using both outside visual references and cross checked with the flight instruments, for the privileges of the certificate or rating being exercised in order to act as Pilot-in-Command (PIC).</p> | | | | | |
| Principal ACS Areas of Operations for this WINGS Flight Activity (Bold Items Required): | | | | | |
| AREA OF OPERATION | GRADE | | AREA OF OPERATION | GRADE | |
| | FM | SRM | | FM | SRM |
| I. PREFLIGHT PREPARATION | | | V. PERFORMANCE AND GROUND REFERENCE | | |

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References

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