FIRE 102 – Firefighter I & II

Course Information Guide

Course Description

FIRE 102 – Firefighter I & II introduces students to the basics of firefighting through a combination of lecture and hands-on learning, and provides the opportunity to earn state certification.

FIRE 102 is sanctioned by the Michigan Fire Fighters Training Council (MFFTC), the firefighter certification agency for the State of Michigan.

Eligibility Process

Students interested in registering for FIRE 102 must first participate in an eligibility process. Class size is limited to 30 students. As part of the eligibility process, applicants consent to provide (at their expense) the following:

- Interview with program manager.
- Review of driving record and criminal history background check.
- Obtain respirator physical, pulmonary function test, 12-lead EKG, and 10-panel drug screen.
- Provide proof of health insurance or obtain temporary policy.

FIRE 102 applications come out February 1. The Fire 102 class meets on Tuesday and Thursday nights from 6pm -10pm. Classes start the 2nd week of August and finish the 3rd week of December. Fire 102 is a 12 credit course.

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