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CONNECTICUT FIRE ACADEMY



TRAINING CALENDAR

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A LETTER FROM THE DIRECTOR OF TRAINING



On behalf of the dedicated instructors and staff, I am honored to share the 2023 training calendar with you.

As you have come to expect and deserve, we offer balanced programs to meet your training and educational needs. Our programs represent a balance of theory, practical application, and, where possible, incorporate hand-on training evolutions to simulate real-life conditions to enhance the individual learning experience.

The fire service continues to evolve and improve each day. The CT Fire Service saves thousands of lives, protects homes, businesses, recreation areas and more in the 3.5 million acres that comprise this great state. The CT Fire Service, through training and education, is ready and prepared to respond to all hazards in each community.

The CT Fire Academy provides the foundational training along with certification-based education, skill improvement, and mastery for all levels and job responsibilities of every firefighter. This training is provided so you can be ready to meet the expected needs of your customers and handle the diverse emergencies every day. In 2022, our mobile ventilation and SCBA Confidence maze were delivered and utilized in departments every month, enhancing the ability of the members of those departments. Also in 2022, we saw a unique partnership with the CT State Police. The Academy instructors provided forcible entry training for our valuable state troopers to enhance their ability to deal with active shooter incidents in occupied, secured buildings.

In 2023, we will have additional training opportunities that we will be able to bring to your department. Including, a FAAC Pump Simulator and a FLAIM VR Simulator. The FLAIM System combines technology and science to replicate the stress and uncertainty of real-world emergencies safely and cost-effectively. Additionally, the FLAIM system is a valuable resource for recruitment efforts in your community.

The staff of the CT Fire Academy includes fire service representatives from every rank and thousands of years of experience. We offer all training, from entry level to chief officer. The 2023 calendar represents only a small percentage of the training we provide.

Every class you see on the calendar can be and is often delivered to departments that are not published. If there is a class listed or a specific need for your department, we can customize or create a class to meet your needs. The Academy has the absolute best instructors in the state who offer the most up-to-date training backed by thousands of years of first-hand experience.

Regardless of whether you are an entry level firefighter or a chief officer, we have programs for you that will enhance your ability to deliver high quality emergency services in your community.

I, along with all the staff and instructors, am once again humbled to bring to you the best emergency service education training for you and your departments.

P.J. Norwood
Director of Training
Connecticut Fire Academy

WEATHER CANCELLATIONS
For weather cancellation information call
the Connecticut Fire Academy
Weather Cancellation Hotline updated at 6:30 am
860-627-6363 or 877-528-3473 ext. 450.

Cancellation information will also be available via television on WFSB Channel 3, WTNH Channel 8, and WVIT Channel 30 the morning of the class.

CPAT Test Status Hotline 860-627-6363 or 877-528-3473 ext. 415.

STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION
Office Hours are M—F 8:30 a.m. — 4:30 p.m.
Main Phone Number (860) 627-6363
In-State Toll-Free 1-877-528-3473
Fax (860) 654-1889

Program Hours

Day programs are from 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Evening programs are from 6:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Please refer to your confirmation for specific times.

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Please note that some locations, times, and dates are subject to changes without notice. Registered students will be notified if any changes occur.

Connecticut Fire Academy Acceptance Notices and Refund / Cancellation Policy Acceptance notices with directions will be mailed as soon as

programs are filled or approximately two weeks prior to the start of all programs. Applicants not accepted in a program will generally be notified within a week of our receiving their application.

Seating is limited for many Connecticut Fire Academy programs. Please notify the Training Registrar promptly in the event of a need to cancel your registration. Not only will your refund be processed in a timely manner, but your seat can be offered to someone on the waiting list. Students canceling at least seven days in advance of a program will receive a full refund. Please note that refunds are processed by the state Comptroller's Office and may take up to 30 Days. CPAT has a unique refund policy on page 35.

Effective January 1,2016 cash is longer be accepted as a method of payment for training, certification, lodging and Candidate Physical Ability Test (CPAT) related activities. This proposal does not impact CFA book store operations where cash will continue to be accepted.

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	Hartford County Fire School	246		
MISCELLANEOUS				
	Bradley Airport Fire Department		860-292-2160 or 860-292-2162	
Class Cancellation	Weather Notification	450	updated 6:30 am	
CPAT Test	Status Hotline	415		

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IMPORTANT FIRE SERVICE DATES 2023

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EVENT	DATE(S)	LOCATION
Post Pandemic Leadership	January 24-25	CFA
Post Pandemic Leadership	February 11-12	New Haven FS
CT Fire Officers Weekend	March 24-26	Emmitsburg, MD
CSFA Hall of Fame Dinner	April 6	Aqua Turf, Southington
Fire Service College Fair	April 15	CFA
National Fallen Firefighters Weekend	May 6-7	Emmitsburg, MD
National Fire Symposium	May 22-23	Washington, D.C.
Introduction to the Fire Service (Session 1)	June 26- July 1	CFA
National Honor Guard Academy	July 9-14	CFA
Introduction to the Fire Service (Session 2)	July 17-22	CFA
ITTFS: Advanced Skills and Concepts	August 7-12	CFA
Public Fire & Life Safety Educator's Conference	August 24	CFA
CT State Firefighters Convention	September 16-17	Thomaston
CT Firefighters Memorial Ceremony	September 24	CFA
New England Fire Chief's Show	October 3-6	Mohegan Sun, Uncasville
Fire Prevention Week	October 8-14	USA

For the latest fire service news and information, follow the Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection's Commission on Fire Prevention and Control – Facebook ctfireacademy, Twitter @CTCFPC or Instagram ct.fireacademy.

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CFA ANNOUNCES ACADIS; A NEW SYSTEM TO SCHEDULE, PLAN, REGISTER FOR, AND TRACK ALL OF YOUR TRAINING.

The Connecticut Fire Academy has been awarded a grant through the Assistance to Firefighters Grant (AFG) program to purchase a new Learning Management System (LMS) to handle all aspects of our training courses. We will be putting this multi-faceted program in place starting in early 2023. As each portion of this program comes online, we will be sending out notices on the listserv and other Social Media resources. We ask for your patience as we move forward with this process. The new system will go online in early January. One of the first tasks students should watch for is how to go online and create an account. This will be the first step in signing up for classes and tracking all your training.

The Listserv is a daily email sent from CFA that brings news of Fire Service and other Emergency services related news and information. This is a free service and a great way to stay up to date on various items.

To subscribe to the listserv:

- 1. Compose an email to **listserv@list.ct.gov** from the email address you wish to have added.
- 2. Leave the subject line blank and in the body of the message type: Subscribe LISTSERV NAME YourFirstName YourLastName (FOR EXAMPLE: Subscribe CFPC_news John Doe)
- 3. You will receive an e-mail confirmation request. Follow the directions to confirm your email address
- 4. You will then receive an e-mail that you have successfully subscribed to the listserv.

Special Classes Scheduled for 2023

The Connecticut Fire Academy is offering several special classes during 2023. Most of these are listed in the Calendar but we wanted to showcase these new offerings here as well.

- 1. Two offerings of the Post Pandemic Leadership class will be offered. The first of these two days classes will be at CFA on Jan 24–25 and the second will be held February 11–12 at the New Haven Fire school.
- 2. The Connecticut Weekend at the National Fire Academy will be March 24–26. 6 Courses will be offered, and details will be sent out in the beginning of the year.
- 3. NFA will be offering two courses at CFA this year. Preparing for Initial Company Operations, May 6-7, CFA and Fire Investigation: First Responders, Sep 14-15, CFA.

Written Certification Exam Scheduling

Certification testing will continue using the same system as in 2022. Written exam dates will be scheduled at various locations and dates each month, and these will be listed on the website at ct.gov/cfpc under the certification tab. When a student completes any certification course and his or her record is updated, he or she will be able to register to take the final written exam and any available upcoming date and location. In most classes, you will choose your written exam date on the first or second day of class. Day Exams begin at 9:30 am and evening exams begin at 7:00 pm. Be sure you arrive about one half hour early to ensure you can sign in prior to the exam starting.

Locations and Addresses

Connecticut Fire Academy
Danbury Fire Department
Eastern CT Fire School
Fairfield Regional Fire School
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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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Fire Service Instructor II – Lebanon			Fire Service instructor II – Fairfield			
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Post Pandemic Leadership —	Fire Officer I — Middlebury	Fire Officer II — Enfield	Fire Officer I — Middlebury	Fire Officer II — Enfield		Cold Water Rescue — East Thompso
New Haven	20	21	22	23	24	25
	WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY State Holiday NO CLASSES					
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		Fire Officer II — Enfield				

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			Fire Service Instructor I — West Haven			Public Fire & Life Safety
Pump Operator — Darien			Fire Officer I & II — South Windsor			Educator I — Wolcott
Q Endorsement: Train the Trainer CFA (8 am- 12 pm)	Fire Officer I & II — South Windsor	Hazardous Materials Inc	ident Safety Officer – CFA		Fire Officer III - Stamford	Pump Operator – Darien
Public Fire & Life Safety Educator I — Wolcott	20	21	Fire Service Instructor I — West Haven PCE	23	24	Pump Operator - Darien
Pump Operator — Darien	Fire Officer I & II — South Windsor		Fire Officer I & II — South Windsor			Rescue Technician: CORE – Bolton
Rescue Technician: CORE – Bolton		Aerial Operator — East Lyme	(Virtual)		CT Fire Officers Weekend	l: NFA — Emmitsburg, MD
Public Fire & Life Safety	27	28	29	30	31	
Educator I — Wolcott						
Pump Operator — Darien			Fire Officer I & II — South Windsor (Virtual)			
Rescue Technician: CORE – Bolton	Fire Officer I & II — South Windsor		Youth Fire Setter Intervention Specialist – Fairfield			

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			Pump Operator — E Hartford			Basic Pump Operation — Wine
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Pump Operator — Gales Ferry		Rescue Technician: CORE – Fairfield				Pump Operator — Gales Fer
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		Advanced Fire Investi	gation School — CFA		Fire Officer III – Stamford	NFA: Preparing for Initial Company Operations — CFA
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Pump Operator — Gales Ferry						Fire Service Instructor I — East Lyme
Health & Safety Officer – Windsor		Fire Service Instructor I — Middletown (South District)	Engine Co. Operations - Norwich	Engine Co. Operations - Norwich		Q Endorsement — CFA
NFA: Preparing for Initial Company Operations — CFA	Aerial Strategy & Tactics — Enfield	Aerial Strategy & Tactics — Enfield		Aerial Operator — Fairfield		Health & Safety Officer – Windsor

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		Fire Service Instructor I — Middletown (South District)			Truck Company Operations — Norwalk	
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Strategy & Tactics: Fundamentals Wolcott						Pump Operator — Southbury	
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Rescue Technician: Rope – CFA			Rescue Technician: Trench – Branford		Rescue Technician: Trench — Branford PCE	Rescue Technician: Rope – CFA	

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Pump Operator — Southbury Rescue Technician: Rope – CFA					Fire Officer III – Stamford	Pump Operator — Southbury Rescue Technician: Rope – CFA
18	19 JUNETEENTH DAY State Holiday NO CLASSES	20	21	22	23	24
Incident Safety Officer: Fire Suppression — ECFS Pump Operator — Southbury Rescue Technician: Rope – CFA						Incident Safety Officer: Fire Suppression — ECFS Rescue Technician: Rope – CFA
25 Incident Safety Officer: Fire	26	27	28	29	30	
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		National Honor Gu	ard Academy — CFA			
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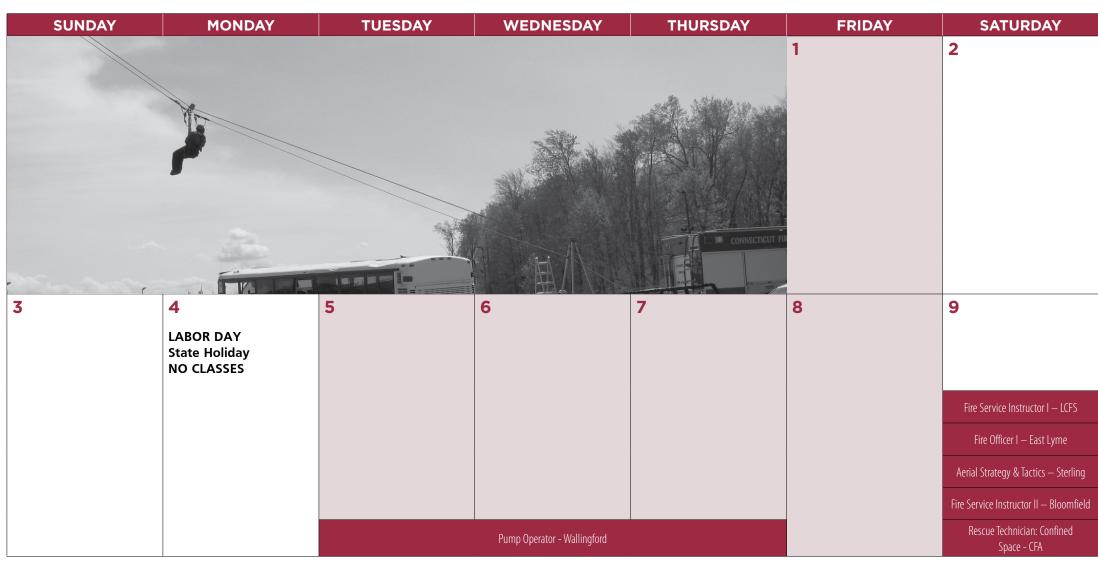
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Fire Officer I — East Lyme (Virtual)		Fire Officer I — West Haven	Public Fire & Life Safety Educator I — Mohegan Tribal	Fire Officer I — West Haven (Virtual)		Aerial Operator — Wolcott		
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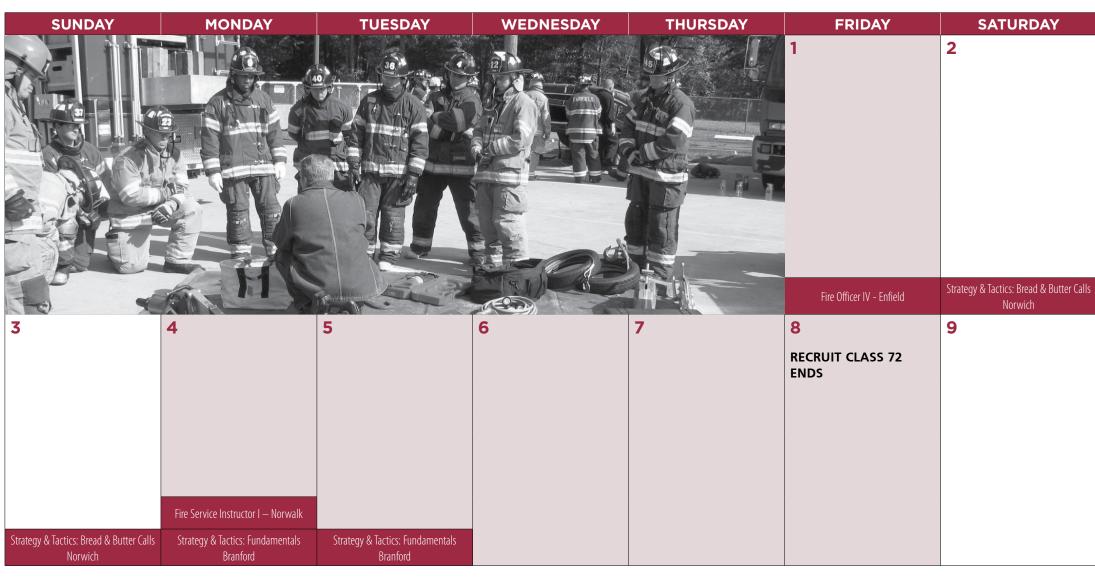
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					Fire Officer IV - Enfield	
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Certification examination reference materials may be found at www.ct.gov/cfpc in the "Certification" section. Only those students meeting certification prerequisites will be allowed to test.

APPARATUS PROGRAMS

Aerial Operator

This six-day course meets NFPA Standard 1002 for the driver/operator section, which addresses aerial devices.

Instruction will be given on aerial ladders, and tower ladders. Course content will prepare the student for the practical and written examinations for Aerial Operator certification. This course is designed for the driver/operator of aerial equipment. The course begins with road handling and moves on to apparatus placement, mobilization and stabilization, elevation, various aerial operations, and apparatus readiness. It is required that each student has access to the manufacturer's reference manual for their department aerial device. This course alone is not designed to produce expert aerial operators. Students must apply the basics learned from this course with continued hands-on practical applications with apparatus in their department to build and maintain proficiency in aerial apparatus operations.

Full protective clothing (No SCBA) is required. Class size is limited to 16 students.

Training Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter I and Connecticut Driver's license with a "Q" Endorsement, a Class A or B Commercial Driver's License (CDL); proof must be submitted with the application.

Required Text: IFSTA Pumping and Aerial Apparatus Driver/Operator Handbook, 3rd Edition. The IFSTA Pumping and Aerial Apparatus Driver/Operator 3rd Edition Exam Prep book is highly recommended.

Certification Examination Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter I, or member of a fire department on or before July 1, 1977 and legally licensed to drive emergency apparatus. Candidates for certification to this level must be in possession of a Connecticut Driver's license with a "Q" Endorsement, a Class A or B Commercial Driver's License (CDL) or shall provide proof that the Driving/Operating requirements of NFPA Standard 1002, Chapter 4, have been satisfactorily completed.

Certification testing time: requires an additional date for the certification written exam.

Class Hours: 48 Course Fee: \$450.00

Aerial Strategy and Tactics

This course will cover, in detail, general aerial safety issues, rescue priorities, ventilation operations, elevated master streams and general aerial use in both emergency and non-emergency situations. Topics include basic tactical options for aerial use and limitations, apparatus placement, stabilization systems, and elevation. Students will review the major responsibilities of an aerial apparatus operator including positioning, spotting, and staging apparatus for incident operations.

Hands-on exercises will reinforce recommended safe practices in the areas of raising, rotating, and extending an aerial device, ladder tip placement for various situations and operating aerial master streams.

Training Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter I; or have been a member of a Fire Department on or before July 1, 1977. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Class Hours: 16 Course Fee: \$150.00

Basic Pump Operation

This course examines the components and controls used in the operation of a fire pump. The internal parts of a fire pump are examined with the goal of having the student fully understand how the fire pump moves water. Pump panel controls are discussed in relation to the specific function and use of each device. The process and specific functions involved in drafting and hydrant operations are explained in detail. Students will practice setting up for pumping operations. Participants will learn how to determine and overcome friction loss, how to calculate theoretical pump pressure and how to apply easy-to-use "rule of thumb" principles of relay pumping, operating handlines, supplying sprinklers and standpipe systems. On the training ground each student will apply practical applications while flowing water at prescribed pressures.

Full protective clothing (No SCBA) is required.

Training Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter I; or have been a member of a Fire Department on or before July 1, 1977.

Proof must be submitted with the application.

Class Hours: 16 Course Fee: \$150.00

Pump Operator (SERTIFIES)

This course is designed to prepare the student for the practical skills and written examinations for Pump Operator certification. Class work will include: safe driving techniques, preventive maintenance, pump operations, hydraulic calculations, water supply and apparatus systems. The course begins inside the classroom and ends outside with pumping apparatus. The main emphasis is on "hands-on" exercises using various types of pumps, hose sizes and nozzles. This course alone is not designed to produce expert pump operators. Students must apply the basics learned from this course with continued hands-on practical applications with apparatus in their departments to build and maintain proficiency in pump apparatus operations. Class size is limited to 20 students.

Full protective clothing (No SCBA) is required.

Training Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter I and Connecticut Driver's License with a "Q" endorsement, a Class A or B Commercial Driver's License (CDL); proof must be submitted with the application.

Required Texts: IFSTA Pumping Apparatus Driver/Operator Handbook, 3rd Edition; IFSTA Pumping Apparatus Driver/ Operator Handbook Study Guide are required. The IFSTA Pumping and Aerial Apparatus Driver/Operator 3rd Edition Exam Prep book is highly recommended.

Certification Examination Prerequisite: Certified Firefighter I or a member of a fire department on or before July 1, 1977. Candidates for certification to this level must be in possession of a Connecticut Driver's License with a "Q" endorsement, a Class A or B Commercial Driver's License (CDL) or shall provide proof that the Driving/Operating requirements of NFPA Standard 1002, Chapter 4, have been satisfactorily completed.

Certification testing time: requires an additional date for the certification written exam.

Class Hours: 48 Course Fee: \$450.00

O Endorsement

The Q Endorsement course is designed to prepare the potential fire apparatus operator for the testing requirements established by the State of Connecticut Department of Motor Vehicles. This training course will consist of classroom and extensive practical sessions conducted throughout the length of the course culminating with practical testing administered a designee of the Connecticut Department of Motor vehicles on the final day of the class. Students should plan to practice pre-trip and driving skills at their own firehouse during non-class hours to be more successful with driving test.

Topics covered in the classroom portion of the course include testing requirements; inspection methods; speed and braking distances; night driving; driving and alcohol; emergencies; accidents; and air brakes. Topics covered in the practical portion of the course include pre-trip inspection; static course; and over the road skills.

Training Prerequisites: Applicants must possess a valid operator's license. Proof must be submitted with application.

Class Hours: 32 Course Fee: \$325.00

Tanker Shuttle Operations

This course is designed to make the student aware of the importance of preplanning water sources and operations for rural water supply tanker transfers prior to the need arising. This course covers the following components: safe tanker operations, driving, filling and dumping; compare and contrast tanker design and efficiency; recognizing proper water sources; evaluating and developing proper dump sites; and organizing mutual aid for tanker task force concepts.

These components are met through the following course goals and objectives: identify apparatus requirements for a water shuttle; identify the requirements for setting up a shuttle operation; describe fill and dump site operations for a water shuttle; describe how to evaluate tanker performance; and demonstrate tanker operation in practical evolutions. On the final day of class students will incorporate information given and resources provided to supply a continuous 750 gallon per minute flow rate of water for a minimum of two hours. Successful application of the course information may lead to the enhancement of the ISO rating for your community. Completion of this course allows for students to apply for "Tanker Operator" Certification if currently certified as a Pump Operator.

Full protective clothing (no SCBA) is required.

Training Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter I; proof must be submitted with the application.

Certification Prerequisites: Firefighter I or continuous member of fire service since prior to July 1977 and CDL or Q Endorsement License and Certified Pump Operator. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Certification testing time: requires an additional date for the certification written exam.

The Department of Energy & Environmental Protection, Division of Forestry, has special grant funds available to pay for a limited number of the Tanker Shuttle Operations classes. Tanker Shuttle classes will be offered at no charge each year until these grant funds are exhausted. Funding Questions can be directed to: Helene Hochholzer, Forest Protection Supervisor, Division of Forestry, at helene.hochholzer@ct.gov

Class Hours: 16 Course Fee: \$110.00

EMS PROGRAMS

Emergency Medical Responder Refresher (Hybrid)

The Connecticut Fire Academy will offer a national "continued competency" program that includes a core educational plan and a flexible continuing educational model. The Connecticut Fire Academy will offer 4 EMR continuing education classes (previously called EMR-Refresher) during the 2023 calendar year. The course will remain as 16 hours either spent **traditionally in a**

classroom (2, 8-hour days) or students can select a hybrid version where 8 hours will be completed online using CAPCE approved topics plus 8 hours will be spent in the classroom.

Students will continue to log their medical education hours and CPR renewal will still be included (providing there has not been a lapse in the CPR card). If selecting the Hybrid course, students must contact CFA to get their access code 1 month before the class starts so online topics are completed prior to the classroom session. At the conclusion of the course, students will receive a certificate of completion and will be responsible for uploading to OEMS and/or the National Registry if they hold national registration certification.

Training Prerequisite: EMR

Class Hours: 16 Course Fee: \$250.00

Emergency Medical Technician Refresher (Traditional)

The EMT NCCP (Emergency Medical Technician National Continued Competency Program) will follow the NREMT guidelines by having three categories of learning: National, Local and Individual. The state written exam has been eliminated and students will log their continued medical education hours and classes whether nationally registered or not. BLS Healthcare provider CPR refresher will continue to be offered (providing the CPR card has not lapsed) as part of the recertification.

All classes will follow a 40 hour, 2 year cycle and students will have the option of completing a traditional classroom only recertification consisting of 5, 8-hour classes or students can choose a hybrid class where 24 hours of online material will be assigned using CAPCE approved courses plus attend 16 hours of classroom time where verification of skills will be observed in addition to covering State OEMS approved topics. If selecting the Hybrid course, students must contact CFA to get their access code one month before the class starts so online topics are completed prior to the start of the in person sessions. All of our Instructors are POST certified for people in law enforcement who require certification for their employment. We can also tailor EMS classes to meet your department's specific needs.

For more detailed information on the breakdown of the National/State/Local content, please visit the NREMT.org website under EMT recertification information.

Training Prerequisite: EMT

Class Hours: 16 Course Fee: \$275.00

IMPORTANT NOTE FOR EMS STUDENTS

Effective Jan. 1, 2022, all applicants for renewal of certification as an EMR or EMT must demonstrate that they have completed a training program in Mental Health First Aide, such as QPR (Question, Persuade and Refer) Institute Gatekeeper Training, as an example, and also participate in an approved educational program for accurate and prompt identification and reporting of suspected human trafficking. The Connecticut Fire Academy will offer a QPR training and Introduction to Human Trafficking for First Responders class.

QPR Institute Gatekeeper Training:

This training consists of 2 hours and will cover specific topics such as warning signs of suicide, common causes of suicidal behavior, how to get help for someone in crisis, how to get help for yourself or learn more about preventing suicide and how to Question, Persuade and Refer someone who may be suicidal.

Introduction to Human Trafficking for First Responders:

This training consists of 2 hours and will cover specific topics such as what is human trafficking, what is the prevalence in Ct versus nationwide, what are the pathways to victimization and what is the impact of human trafficking and how to recognize it.

Both classes are available upon request and need a minimum of 12 -15 people to run.

FIRE OFFICER PROGRAMS

Fire Officer I and II

This course combines both Fire Officer I and II into one comprehensive program for both aspiring and senior officers. Emergency and routine duties will be discussed, along with human resource management, community and government relations, and public education. Students will also cover group behavior issues, employee evaluations, report preparation, pre-fire planning, fire investigation, and inspections. Emergency service delivery skills for both company officers and multiple company supervisors are also covered at

Maximum Class Size: 24

Training Prerequisites: Certified Fire Service Instructor I. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Required Text: IFSTA Company Officer 6th Edition.

length, including exercises in the fire command simulator.

Certification Exam Prerequisites: Firefighter II or continuous member of Fire Service prior to July 1, 1977 and Certified Fire Instructor I.

Certification testing time: requires an additional date for the certification written exam.

Class Hours: 128 Fire Marshal Credit: 63
Course Fee: No Charge, Funding is provided by the FEMA/NFA State Fire Training Grant.

Fire Officer I

Fire Officer I is a comprehensive course designed to strengthen the new or aspiring fire officer's supervisory and leadership skills. Emergency and routine duties of the company officer will be discussed. Oriented to the level of Lieutenant, topics covered in this course include: human resource management, community and government relations, public education, safety, inspection and investigation and emergency service delivery. Students will spend limited time in a fire command simulator during the emergency service delivery section of the course.

Maximum Class Size: 24

Required Text: IFSTA Company Officer 6th Edition

Certification Prerequisites: Firefighter II or continuous member of Fire Service prior to July 1, 1977 and Certified Fire Instructor I.

Certification testing time: requires an additional date for the certification written exam.

Class Hours: 88 Fire Marshal Credit: 33

Course Fee: \$440.00

Fire Officer II

This course is designed for those fire officers or aspiring officers that need the skills to supervise multiple companies. Generally, this level involves the management of company supervisors involved in the operational aspects of a fire station. Oriented to the level of Captain, topics covered in this course include: human resource management, group behavior, employee evaluation, communication skills, report preparation, fire investigation, administrative responsibilities, risk management, safety and emergency services delivery. Students will spend limited time in a fire command simulator during the emergency service delivery section of this course.

Maximum Class Size: 24

Required Text: IFSTA Company Officer 6th edition

Certification Examination: Fire Service Instructor I and Certified Fire Officer I.

Certification testing time: requires an additional date for the certification written exam.

Class Hours: 80 Fire Marshal Credit: 45

Course Fee: \$385.00

Fire Officer III

Organizational Administration is a non-traditional course offered to individuals currently holding or aspiring to the rank of shift commander or chief officer. It is designed to enhance the skills of the chief officer by providing a group of peers with a progressive learning environment. This semi-independent study

course includes a balance of regularly scheduled peer group discussion sessions and the development of individual projects. Areas covered in the discussions and projects will focus heavily on human resource management, community relations, administration, inspection and investigation, emergency services delivery and safety.

Maximum Class Size: 24

Training Prerequisites: Certified Fire Officer II. Proof must be submitted with initial application.

Required Text: The reference books used for this course will be the current edition of the IFSTA Chief Officer 4th Edition, other texts may be recommended in class.

Certification Examination Prerequisites: Certified Fire Officer II.

Certification will be achieved through a project based assessment method, and written examination.

Class Hours: 48

Fire Marshal Credit: 45

Course Fee: \$410.00

Fire Officer IV

This semi-independent study course consists of a balance of regularly scheduled peer group discussion sessions and the development of individual projects. Areas covered in the discussions and projects will focus heavily on human resource management, administration, multi-agency emergency services delivery and safety. Areas specifically covered will include: grievance administration, training and educational goal setting and planning, employee assistance programs, incentive programs, community event planning, long-range planning, and civil disturbance and disaster planning. In order to project a professional image in the classroom, students should wear appropriate attire or their department daily uniform.

Maximum Class Size: 24

Training Prerequisites: Certified Fire Officer III. Proof must be submitted with initial application.

Required Text: The reference books used for this course will be the current edition of the IFSTA Chief Officer 4th Edition, other text may be recommended in class.

Certification Examination Prerequisites: Certified Fire Officer III. Proof must be submitted with initial application.

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Certification will be achieved through an oral board interview, and written examination.

Class Hours: 48

Course Fee: \$375.00

Fire Service Instructor I

This course is designed to meet the first level of Fire Service Instructor as identified in the NFPA 1041 standard. Topics covered during the course include: adult learning and communication, understanding performance objectives, evaluation, and methods of instruction. Students will present from a prepared lesson plan. Study and support materials are online. Access to a computer with internet access is mandatory. Homework assignments and formative assessments will be completed and submitted online.

Successful completion of this course will prepare the student to take the Fire Service Instructor I Practical Skills and Written Certification Examinations.

Maximum class size: 18

Training Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter II. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Required Text: IFSTA, Fire and Emergency Services Instructor, 9th Edition

Certification Examination Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter II; or have been a member of a Fire Department on or before July 1, 1977. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Certification testing time: requires an additional date for the certification written exam.

Class Hours: 48 Fire Marshal Credit: 32

Course Fee: \$430.00

Fire Service Instructor II

Designed for the Fire Service Instructor I, Fire Service Instructor II is a comprehensive course designed to meet the requirements of NFPA 1041. Topics covered include: managing instructional resources, development of instructional materials, supervising other instructors, and evaluation. Students will complete an extensive training project and deliver a 20 minute presentation. Access to a computer with internet access is mandatory. Homework assignments will be completed and submitted online. Study and support materials are online. Formative assessment will be completed and submitted online.

Maximum class size: 18

Training Prerequisites: Certified Fire Service Instructor I. Proof must be submitted with application.

Required Text: IFSTA Fire and Emergency Services Instructor, 9th Edition

Certification Examination Prerequisites: Certified Fire Service Instructor I. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Certification testing time: requires an additional date for the certification written exam.

Class Hours: 40 Course Fee: \$330.00

Fire Service Instructor III

This course is designed to meet the third level of instructor as identified in NFPA 1041. Topics include administration, records, policies, supervising instructors, analysis, evaluation and program development. This course is designed for Training Chiefs, and other positions who have responsibility for setting up overall Training programs in their departments.

The course is blended learning, with only one class meeting. Access to a computer with internet is mandatory to complete the course. After all class assignments are completed the student will be able to schedule a written certification exam with the certification division.

Maximum Class Size: 24

Training Prerequisites: Certified Fire Service Instructor II. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Required Text: IFSTA Fire and Emergency Services Instructor, 9th Edition

Certification Examination Prerequisites: Certified Fire Service Instructor II. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Certification testing time: requires an additional date for the certification written exam.

Class Hours: 8 Course Fee: \$65.00

Health and Safety Officer

This course examines the Health and Safety Officer's role with the identification, evaluation and implementation of policies and procedures that affect the health and safety aspects for emergency responders.

Through the use of case studies, small group workshops and instructor facilitation of safety concepts, participants will gain a thorough understanding of risk management; wellness issues; incident safety functions; regulatory requirements and their impact on increasing the survivability of fire department personnel. This course is designed for individuals who have department level health and safety responsibilities. Attendees should have a working knowledge of ICS, applicable NFPA and OSHA requirements, and responsibility for setting policy for their department on such issues.

Maximum Class Size: 24

Training Prerequisites: None

Required Text: IFSTA Occupational Safety, Health and Wellness, 4th Edition Certification Examination Prerequisites: Direct Entry

Certification testing time: requires an additional date for the certification written exam.

Class Hours: 24 Course Fee: \$140.00

Incident Safety Officer: Fire Suppression

The goal of this course is to provide students with the knowledge and skills needed to perform the duties of the Incident Safety Officer (ISO) during incident operations and training evolutions.

This course is designed for fire and emergency medical services (EMS) responders who may be designated by the Incident Commander (IC) as an ISO while working within an Incident Command System (ICS). These assignments may occur during firefighting, EMS, special operations type incidents, and training evolutions.

This course is an incident-specific, scenario-oriented course designed to teach students what an ISO needs to know at an incident. The course uses instructor-led discussion, multimedia activities, and small group discussions to convey instructional points.

Maximum Class Size: 24

Training Prerequisites: None

Required Text: Jones & Bartlett, Fire Department Incident Safety Officer, Revised 3rd Edition.

Certification Examination Prerequisites: Certified Fire Officer I, or have been a Fire Officer with a department on or before July 1, 1986. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Certification testing time: requires an additional date for the certification written exam.

Class Hours: 24 Fire Marshal Credit: 4

Course Fee: \$140.00

Strategy and Tactics: Bread and Butter Calls

This two-day course takes the experienced firefighter through the basics of fireground decision-making. These are the "room and contents", everyday calls that any fire department should be able to control even with limited resources. This course teaches the student to formulate an overall strategy, and to then employ the appropriate tactics to support that strategy using time-tested models. In-class scenarios will take place throughout the course to give students opportunities to work a simulated fire incident.

Maximum Class Size: 24

Class Hours: 16 Course Fee: \$85.00

Strategy and Tactics: Everyday Emergencies

This two-day course takes the firefighter and company officer through the everyday calls that take up the majority of fire service responses. These are the most common calls where the responder deals with the citizens and public the most. These calls are often referred to as "nuisance" calls by first responders but to the occupant or those effected by it, the incident could be a crisis. Common calls involve utility issues: gas, electric, water; carbon monoxide detector activations; oil burners and heating units; auto accidents and fires; elevator emergencies; dumpster fires; auto fires; and automatic alarm activations.

Maximum Class Size: 24

Class Hours: 16 Course Fee: \$85.00

Strategy and Tactics: Fundamentals

This two-day course introduces the officer candidate to the philosophy and tools required for leadership decision making during emergencies. Subjects covered will be a review of the National Incident Management System (NIMS), Incident Priorities and Decision making, the basics of fire behavior and building construction, "size-up", evaluation and assessment. Also covered are the differences between "strategy and tactics" using such tools as Layman's Tactical Model and RECEO VS, Terpak's COAL TWAS WEALTHS or Norman's version COAL WAS WEALTH and offensive versus defensive operations.

Maximum Class Size: 24

Class Hours: 16 Course Fee: \$85.00

FIRE FIGHTING PROGRAMS

Building Construction

This course details the components of building construction that relate to fire and life safety and how understanding the building types and construction principles will improve fire suppression and fireground safety. The emphasis of this course is on firefighter safety. The elements of construction and design of structures are shown to be key factors when inspecting buildings, pre-planning fire operations, and operating at emergencies.

This two-day course will also describe the benefits of cross-disciplinary cooperation among fire protection and design professionals. The course will explain the elements of building construction as they apply to construction codes. It will help to understand the elements of building construction as they apply to firefighter safety, how to anticipate fire behavior based on structural elements of, and thermal effects. The course will also explain how design elements and emerging building methods and materials affect fire behavior and structural performance.

Maximum class size: 24

Class Hours: 16 Fire Marshal Credit: 12

Course Fee: \$65.00

Engine Company Operations (NEW)

This course introduces students to engine company operations. The class offers firefighters and Officers an opportunity to either sharpen their current skills or learn new and efficient skills for the all-important task of getting water on the fire. This course includes a classroom component and can be customized to include numerous drills. These can include hose loads, establishing water supply advancing lines through a variety of objectives including stairways, ground level and basement deployment, and other skills vital to the engine company. The course also covers engine company responsibilities regarding rescue, and other tactical priorities are presented and practiced.

Course Prerequisites: Firefighter 1

Class Hours: 16 Hours Course Fee: \$ 250.00

Recruit Firefighter

The Connecticut Fire Academy's Recruit Firefighter Program provides the Initial Firefighter Training for a sponsoring Fire Department. The 70-day resident course that focuses on developing the knowledge, skills and abilities needed for the newly hired career firefighter or for the volunteer firefighter to perform entry-level tasks under direct supervision. The training consists of theory and practical skills development delivered on an incremental basis that will develop the maximum retention of job knowledge, skill competency, and safe practices.

The recruit will establish a strong will for teamwork, company morale, self-discipline, and orderliness, precision and conduct to be a firefighter. Participation in daily Physical Fitness Training is required. Recruits will reside at the Connecticut Fire Academy weekdays throughout the course. The recruits are expected to satisfactorily perform both academically and physically to established standards while strictly adhering to and maintaining decorum of conduct, discipline and mutual respect.

Recruits participate in over 600 of Theory, Practical Skills and Testing hours during training. Recruits may dedicate over 750 hours over the 14 weeks learning to be a firefighter. The program's content is developed with cooperation and approval of the Connecticut Career Fire Chief's Association.

The Recruit Firefighter Program reservations are accepted from a sponsoring Fire Department's Chief Officer, including self-pays and candidates using their G.I. Bill. Class sizes are limited, and preference is given to those candidates who have been hired by or are employees of the sponsoring Fire Department.

NFPA 1971 compliant Structural Firefighting Protective Clothing (PPE), compliant SCBA with cylinder and 2 additional spare cylinders is required.

The Recruit Firefighter Program's prerequisites consist of:

- The applicant is at least 18 years of age, has a high school diploma or GED, and has the general capacity for adult learning.
- The applicant is an employee of the Fire Department or affiliated as a member or volunteer of the Fire Department for a minimum of 6
- The applicant has documented proof of meeting the fire department's Medical and Physical Fitness requirements.
- The applicant has a valid IAFF/IAFC Candidate Physical Abilities Test (CPAT) card dated within 2 years prior to the programs start date.
- The applicant is emotionally fit to perform firefighting evolutions

without special considerations, and where applicable, to meet the 29 CFR 1910.134 standard for the use of respirators (Self Contained Breathing Apparatus).

Recommended prerequisites:

- EMR/MRT minimum EMS training
- (Required EMS training for Rescue Tech CORE / Medical training is offered at CFA if needed)
- NIMS: IS 700 An Introduction to the National Incident Management System, IS-100 Introduction to the Incident Command System and ICS-200 Basic Incident Command System for Initial Response (NIMS related courses can only be delivered online through the NFA web site)
- Meet the Baseline Physical Fitness Standards outlined in the Connecticut Firefighters Physical Fitness Assessment and Preparation Guide.

The course fee includes tuition, student manuals, lodging, required clothing, breakfast and lunch. The Recruit Firefighter Program has also been approved for Veterans Educational Benefits.

Applications for the Program are provided directly to the sponsoring Fire Department representative one month prior to the scheduled start of the Recruit Class.

Visit the Recruit Firefighter Program web page, go to: Commission on Fire Prevention and Control web site: http://www.ct.gov/cfpc/site/default.asp Recruit Firefighter Program (on left tab)

This is a two-hour refresher and a confidence builder for those who are

For questions; Email: CFPCRecruit@ct.gov

Course Fee: \$ 7085.00 (for Spring class) \$ 7485.00 (for Fall class)

SCBA Maze

required to wear an SCBA as part of their duties. An important aspect of firefighting operations is the ability to enter a dark, smoke-filled environment to conduct search and rescue or firefighting operations. Individual confidence is one of the leading factors in reducing firefighter air consumption while using SCBA, but the confidence gained in initial training can degrade over time. The Connecticut Fire Academy's SCBA Maze Trailer and our team of trained instructors can be the key to building and maintaining this confidence. The Trailer is a self-contained maze that includes two levels and allows firefighters to move through tubes, to ascend and descend through ceiling/ floor hatches, to navigate low profile openings, and more. Training is conducted in a dark, smoke-filled environment. While students are in the maze, they are in direct contact with an instructor in a control room who is monitoring their every move through infrared lighting and cameras.

Training Prerequisites: Certified Firefighter I with medical clearance to don an

Class Hours: 8 Course Fee: \$ 75.00

HAZARDOUS MATERIALS PROGRAMS

The Connecticut Fire Academy can provide Hazardous Materials training courses upon request. Some of the courses which can be requested are:

- 1. Hazardous Materials / Weapons of Mass Destruction Awareness based
- Hazardous Materials / Weapons of Mass Destruction Awareness / Operational with Mission Specifics based on NFPA 1072
- Hazardous Materials / Weapons of Mass Destruction Operational
- Hazardous Materials Technician based on NPFA 1072, 96 hour program
- 5. Hazardous Materials Technician Refresher
- Hazardous Materials Technician based on 40 Hour EPA program
- Hazardous Materials Incident Safety Officer
- 8. Hazardous Material Incident Commander
- We can also customize training to meet specific department needs.

Hazardous Materials Incident Safety Officer

The Hazardous Materials Incident Safety Officer is a 2-day class that prepares the student to serve as an Incident Safety Officer for a hazmat incident or as the Safety Officer of a hazmat team serving in a division or branch in a larger incident. The class is based on N.F.P.A. 472- 2018. This class uses scenarios as method of engaging the student to solve problems and identify common safety issues as they relate to hazardous materials response.

Maximum class size: 24

Training Prerequisites: Certified Hazardous Materials Technician. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Required Text: IFSTA Hazardous Materials Technician, 2nd Edition Certification Examination Prerequisites: Certified Hazardous Materials

Technician. Proof must be submitted with the application.

Certification testing time: Requires an additional date for the certification written exam.

Class Hours: 16 Course Fee: \$ 140.00

PUBLIC EDUCATION PROGRAMS

Public Fire and Life Safety Educator I

This is an entry-level course that will prepare anyone who performs public education duties to present existing programs to all audiences. The course addresses fire prevention activities, the major causes of unintentional injury, characteristics of learning, evaluation of lesson plans, presentation methods, effective usage of audiovisual aids, dealing with the media and recordkeeping. This course meets the requirements of NFPA 1035, "Professional Qualifications for Public Fire and Life Safety Educator I". Reference material is required for the class.

Maximum class size: 24

Training Prerequisites: None

Required Text: IFSTA Fire and Life Safety Educator 3rd Edition.

Other required materials: One other historical fire book will be assigned by Instructor prior to the class.

Certification testing time: Requires an additional date for the certification written exam.

Class Hours: 32

Fire Marshal Credit: 24

Course Fee: \$275.00

Public Information Officer

This two-day course is designed to instruct participants in the basic methods for establishing and maintaining a positive relationship with the news media. Fire department activities; including public fire education programs, manmade and natural disasters and emergencies, developing policies and training for dealing with the news media are essential. Discussion topics will cover: public disclosure laws; media relations; and news releases. Participants will learn the basics of preparing news releases, setting up press conferences, and the responsibilities of the Public Information Officer (PIO) at the scene of an emergency. Students will participate in a discussion with reporters from media sources.

Maximum class size: 24

Training Prerequisites: None

Required Text: IFSTA Public Information Officer (2nd Edition)

Class Hours: 16 Fire Marshal Credit: 8

Course Fee: \$165.00

Youth Firesetter Intervention Specialist

The goal of the course is to provide the skills and tools necessary to become a Youth Firesetter Intervention Specialist. The class will address the NFPA 1035 Youth Firesetter Intervention Specialist including: Introduction; Primary Prevention; Identification and Intake; Who Sets Fires and Why?, Interviewing and Intervention Strategies. Students will be introduced to NPFA 1035 Youth

Firesetter Intervention Specialist Professional Standard. The individual will learn to conduct an interview with a firesetter and their family using prepared forms and guidelines. They will also learn who, based on recommended practice, may determine the need for referral for counseling and/or implement educational intervention strategies to mitigate effects of firesetting behavior.

This course is designed for individuals that have responsibilities related to Youth Firesetting Intervention, interviewing, and prevention. The target audience includes practitioners who interact with children who are involved in firesetting and/or arson behavior and their families. In addition to the fire service, professionals from a myriad of fields including Mental Health, Law Enforcement, Education, Counseling Services, and Social Services can benefit from the training.

Maximum class size: 24

Training Prerequisites: None

Required Text: IFSTA Fire and Life Safety Educator, 3rd Edition

Certification Prerequisite: Direct Entry

Certification testing time: requires an additional date for certification written

Course Fee: \$100.00

Class Hours: 16

Fire Marshal Credit: 16

RESCUE PROGRAMS

NOTE: The programs listed in the calendar as Rescue Technician are currently being updated to the latest NFPA 1006 standards. Therefore the class description, contact hours, and course fee are subject to change. When available, updates will be posted on the CFPC website.

Cold Water Rescue

This two-day course meets the requirements of Chapter 20 of NFPA 1006, Technical Rescue Personnel Professional Qualifications, 2023 edition course, and is designed for first responders operating at the scene of an ice rescue incident. Topics covered include: pre-planning bodies of water within your jurisdiction; water rescue equipment; incident size-up; triangulation for victim location; victim / rescuer risk assessment; ice types and how they form; hypothermia and cold water drowning; and rescue options and operations. Participants will perform simulated water and ice (if available) rescues using cold water entry suits and associated equipment.

Training Prerequisites: Firefighter 1

Maximum class size: 16

Course Fee: \$90.00 Class Hours: 16

Rescue - Confined Space Technician

This six-day course meets the requirements of Chapter 7, Technician level of NFPA 1006 Technical Rescue Personnel Professional Qualifications, 2013 edition and OSHA 1910.146. Students will learn to preplan, evaluate atmospheres, use protective equipment related to confined spaces, and implement and terminate an incident management system for a confined space. Students will exercise their previous knowledge for victim management and rope rescue techniques to remove a victim from a confined space. PPE required: rope rescue gloves, eye protection, hard hat with chin strap or tech rescue helmet, ankle height footwear, long pants or coveralls. No Shorts.

Maximum class size: 16

Training Prerequisites: Rescue Technician Core and Hazardous Materials Operational; proof must be submitted with the application.

Certification Examination Prerequisites: Rescue Technician Core.

Required Text: CMC Confined Space and Entry Rescue Manual Revised 2nd edition

Certification testing time: requires an additional date for the certification writ-

Course Hours: 56 (6 training days plus 1 practical skills examination day) Course Fee: \$525.00

Rescue – Core

This course is designed to train the rescuers to the Operational level job performance requirements of Chapter 5 of NFPA 1006 Technical Rescue Personnel Professional Qualifications, 2013 edition. Students will learn how to: size-up rope rescue incidents and maintain rescue related equipment; construct single and multi-point anchor systems; conduct a system safety check; construct and operate single and twin tensioned lowering and hauling (simple and compound mechanical advantage) systems; and operate as part of a team in a low angle rescue operation.

At this time, this program is a prerequisite for all technical rescue certification courses.

PPE required: rope rescue gloves, eye protection, hard-hat with chin strap or tech rescue helmet, ankle height footwear, long pants or coveralls. No Shorts.

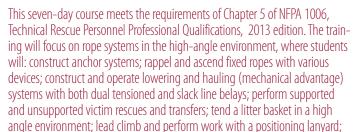
Maximum class size: 16

Training Prerequisite: Firefighter I, Hazardous Material Operational and minimum EMR

Required Texts: IFSTA Fire Service Search and Rescue 8th Edition, and Technical Rescue Operations Field Guide 4th Edition.

Class Hours: 48 Course Fee: \$465.00

Rescue – Rope Technician



demonstrate the ability to free jammed / malfunctioning equipment; construct

and operate tensioned high-lines; and problem solve different rescue scenari-

PPE required: rope rescue gloves, eye protection, hard hat with chin strap or tech rescue helmet, ankle height footwear, long pants or coveralls. No Shorts.

Required Text: Jones and Bartlett, High Angle Rope Rescue Techniques - 4th Edition

Training Prerequisite: Rescue Core

Maximum class size: 16

Certification Examination Prerequisite: Rescue Core

Certification testing time: requires an additional date for the certification written exam.

Class Hours: 64 (7 training days plus 1 practical skills examination day) Course Fee: \$600.00

Rescue - Trench Operational (NEW)

This four-day course meets the requirements of Chapter 12, NFPA 1006 Technical Rescue Personnel Professional Qualifications, 2013 edition and OSHA 1926. This course will train the students to perform Operational level trench rescue scenarios, where they will: size-up trenches; evaluate soil types and conditions; build trench protection systems with pneumatic shoring in straight trenches up to 8' deep; dig down to remove dirt and install supplemental shoring; perform lifting operations inside the trench using various means and equipment; use several techniques to fill the gap behind protective mechanisms; and develop action plans to manage and remove a victim from a trench

PPE required: work gloves, eye protection, hard hat with chin strap or tech rescue helmet, ankle height footwear, long pants or coveralls. No Shorts.

Maximum class size: 16

Training Prerequisites: Rescue Core and Hazardous Materials Operational; proof must be submitted with the application.

Suggested Text: Jones & Bartlett, Trench Rescue Principles and Practices to NFPA 1006 & 1670, 3rd edition.

Class Hours: 48 Course Fee: \$300.00 (4 training days)

Rescue - Trench Technician



This six-day course meets the requirements of Chapter 12, NFPA 1006 Technical Rescue Personnel Professional Qualifications, 2013 edition and OSHA 1926. This course will train the students to perform technician level trench rescue scenarios, where they will: size-up trenches; evaluate soil types and conditions; build trench protection systems with pneumatic shoring in straight and intersecting trenches; dig down to remove dirt and install supplemental shoring; perform lifting operations inside the trench using various means and equipment; use several techniques to fill the gap behind protective mechanisms; and develop action plans to manage and remove a victim from a trench acci-

PPE required: work gloves, eye protection, hard hat with chin strap or tech rescue helmet, ankle height footwear, long pants or coveralls. No Shorts.

Maximum class size: 16

Training Prerequisites: Rescue Core and Hazardous Materials Operational; proof must be submitted with the application.

Required Text: Jones & Bartlett, Trench Rescue Principles and Practices to NFPA 1006 & 1670, 3rd edition.

Certification Examination Prerequisite: Rescue Core

Certification testing time: requires an additional date for the certification written exam.

Class Hours: 56 (6 training days plus 1 practical skills examination day) Course Fee: \$550.00

Rescue – Vehicle Technician



This five-day course meets the requirements of Chapters 8 and 9 of NFPA 1006 Technical Rescue Personnel Professional Qualifications, 2013 edition. Through classroom and practical sessions the student will plan for vehicle incidents; conduct a size-up; establish scene safety zones; control hazards; perform required stabilization; create access and egress points; disentangle victims; remove the packaged victims; and terminate the incident.

PPE required: Full fire fighter PPE (No SCBA) or coveralls with ankle high foot ware, extrication gloves, eye protection, hard hat with chin strap or tech rescue helmet, ankle height footwear. No Shorts.

Maximum class size: 16

Training Prerequisites: Rescue — Core

Required Text: IFSTA Principles of Vehicle Extrication 4th Edition

Certification Examination Prerequisite: Rescue — Core

Certification testing time: requires an additional date for the certification written exam.

Class Hours: 48 (5 class days plus 1 practical skills examination day) Course Fee: \$550.00

SPECIAL PROGRAMS

Mastering CPAT: Lungs Legs and Grip

This half day course will focus on coaching beyond just the physical training, but how to recognize overtraining, refueling and rehydrating properly for optimal results, mentally and physically preparing yourself to meet or exceed what it takes to pass the Candidate Physical Ability Test. The timed test can be very difficult for some people to pass, so this course was designed to showcase best practices by individuals who have passed the CPAT as well as possess a proven track record of successfully training others to pass.

Maximum Class Size: 25

Class Hours: 4

Course Fee: \$ 50.00

Post Pandemic Leadership

As a result of the past Covid pandemic the strain on our service providers has been immense and non-stop. It continues to challenge us daily. We are now faced with a new world: in some cases, clearly different but manageable, and in others completely outside our current life and job experiences.

This workshop focuses on skill and experiences specific to those faced in the role of the officer. While the technical skills of the job continue to be developed and constantly improved upon, the people skills, the interpersonal stuff, are often neglected. During this seminar we will employ the Socratic approach to adult learning. Individual, small, and large group activities will be employed to address the issues today's officers face on the real, often unaddressed interpersonal challenges that impact the overall effectiveness of our responders. The topics include, but are not limited to: Listening to empower; Interacting with our peers; Interacting with the public; The formal and informal roles of the officer; Leader/leader interactions; "Why" we do what we do...and why we don't all agree; Transitional Leadership; Motivating different generations; New ways of connecting with our communities.

Class Hours: 16 Course Fee: \$ 100.00









CONNECTICUT FALLEN FIREFIGHTERS MEMORIAL

Located on the grounds of the Connecticut Fire Academy in Windsor Locks, stands the Connecticut Firefighters Memorial dedicated to Connecticut Firefighters who have lost their lives in the line of duty.

The Memorial was first envisioned in 1992 with the establishment of a Memorial Committee by the Connecticut State Firefighters Association. A ground breaking was held on June 12, 2001. The Memorial is the first of its kind in the state honoring Connecticut Firefighters who gave the ultimate sacrifice. There are currently 350 names engraved on the granite panels that surround the Memorial.

The design of the Memorial was conceived by the Connecticut Firefighters Memorial Committee incorporating a plaza-like setting, featuring a brick patio in the form of the Maltese Cross, the universal symbol of the fire service. The centerpiece of the Memorial is a six foot by twelve-foot polished impala black granite stone bearing the likeness of four firefighters fighting a blaze; Retired Deputy Chief Paul Walsh of the New Britain Fire Department designed the artist's rendition of the firefighters. The centerpiece rests upon a base of concrete and gray granite to which are affixed plaques with the engraved names of those who have lost their lives. The plaques are numbered with roman numerals

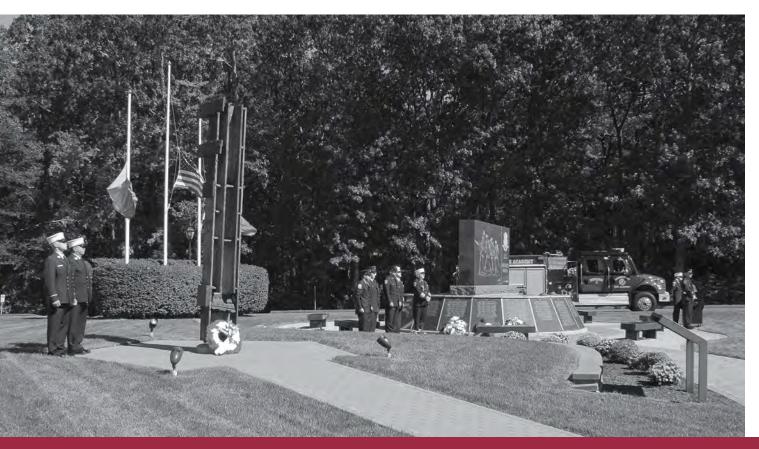
to ease the task of locating names. Atop the base, in front of the centerpiece is an eternal flame to acknowledge and honor this group of brave and noble firefighters. Surrounding the centerpiece are eight granite sitting benches representing the eight counties in Connecticut.

On September 25, 2011, the Memorial site saw the addition of a steel artifact from the World Trade Center. The nearly twelve foot tall beam weighing 1200 pounds is a lasting memorial to the 343 FDNY firefighters, other first responders and civilians who perished as a result of the terrorist attacks on September 11, 2001.

The 2023 CSFA Fallen Firefighters Memorial Ceremony is scheduled for Sunday, September 23, 2023, and the annual memorial fundraiser dinner is November 1, 2023. Please attend and honor Connecticut's Bravest!

The Memorial Site is accessible 24 hours a day for the public to pay tribute to Connecticut's Fallen.

For more Information for donations and upcoming Memorial events please go to The Connecticut Firefighter's Memorial Web site, https://ctffm.net/



CPAT

DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY SERVICES AND PUBLIC PROTECTION CONNECTICUT FIRE ACADEMY WWW.CT.GOV/CFPC

CPAT (All testing done at CPAT Center Meriden, CT located at 2014 North Broad Street)

Orientation & Physical Conditioning

The Candidate Physical Ability Test (CPAT) consists of eight separate events. CPAT is a sequence of events requiring you to progress along a predetermined path from event to event in a continuous manner. The events include: Stair Climb, Hose Drag, Equipment Carry, Ladder Raise and Extension, Forcible Entry, Maze Search, Victim Drag and Ceiling Breach and Pull. This test was developed to allow fire departments to obtain pools of trainable candidates who are physically able to perform essential job tasks on the fire scene. This is a pass/fail test based on a validated maximum total time of 10 minutes and 20 seconds.

During the events, you wear a 50-pound vest to simulate the weight of a self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) and firefighter protective clothing, a helmet and gloves. An additional 25 pounds, using two 12.5- pound weights which simulate a high-rise pack (hose bundle), is added to your shoulders for the stair climb event only. Throughout all events, you must wear long pants, footwear with no open heel or toe, a provided hard hat with chinstrap, and provided work gloves. Watches and loose or restrictive jewelry are not permitted. All props are designed to obtain the necessary information regarding your physical ability. The tools and equipment were chosen to provide the highest level of consistency, safety and validity in measuring your physical abilities. The events and distances between events are always the same.

The events are placed in a sequence that best simulates fire scene events while allowing an 85-foot walk between events. To ensure the highest level of safety and to prevent exhaustion, no running is allowed between events. This walk intentionally allows you approximately 20 seconds to recover and regroup before each event.

The history of Candidate Physical Ability Testing in Connecticut has shown beyond a doubt that preparation is the key to success. CPAT is extremely demanding. CPAT tests your strength, agility, balance and ability to follow directions while under physical and emotional stress. Many have made the error in believing they can pass without proper preparation. The Connecticut Fire Academy is required to offer detailed Orientations and two Practice Tests prior to the administration of CPAT. The orientations include a review of all materials within the Candidate Guide booklet. More importantly, the orientations give the candidate the opportunity to perform a self-evaluation by physically reviewing and using the same equipment used in the testing process. The Practice Tests allow candidates to run the test course under timed conditions. If the Practice Test is conducted under "CPAT Conditions" and the candidate passes, it will be counted as passing CPAT. Attending the orientations and practice tests is highly recommended. The CPAT certificate has a date of completion but does NOT have an expiration date. The hiring authority for the fire department you are applying to will set the expiration for applicants with a CPAT certificate. This can range from 6 months to two years from the date of application, exam or job offer. Please consult the job posting for the department you are applying to for specific requirements.

To allow for the required eight week CPAT preparatory period as well as the time to process the CPAT applications, all applications must be received at least five days prior to the testing cycle starting. Applications received after that will not be accepted and you will not be able

to test during that cycle. Those who have been accepted into the CPAT testing process will receive a confirmation email that lists the dates and times for their orientations, practice tests and the CPAT test. If you do not receive this Email within two weeks following your application, it is your responsibility to contact the Connecticut Fire Academy immediately to verify you are registered and that we have your correct contact information. Inquiries made after the testing cycle begins will not be acted on and you will not be allowed to participate in that CPAT testing cycle.

Please refer to our website at www.ct.gov/cfpc for a listing of the CPAT application details and for the link to apply. Only online applications will be accepted. It is also highly recommended that you download and review the Candidate Preparation Guide and the Candidate Orientation Guide.

The CPAT 5-day testing fee is \$175.00 for in-state candidates and \$200.00 for out-of-state candidates and the CPAT Special Session (test day only) fee is \$125 for in-state candidates and \$175 for out-of-state candidates, of which \$50 is a non-refundable processing fee. Registered candidates who wish to withdraw from the CPAT testing process must do so via email to support@ct.gov. This communication must be received at least two days prior to the candidate's first scheduled orientation. Requests for refunds received on or after the candidate's first orientation date will not be considered.

CPAT Cancellations by the Connecticut Fire Academy

CPAT CPAT may be cancelled due to a number of conditions affecting testing. The main reason for cancellation is adverse weather. The weather can be very unpredictable, do not rely on your local weather reports, as the conditions may be different at the test site. It is highly recommended that you call 860-264-9240 prior to traveling to the testing site. There will be a prerecorded message stating that the test is either running or has been cancelled. Unfortunately, the test can be cancelled at the last minute. If you are traveling a long distance we encourage you to call extension 415 several times during your travel.

If the CPAT test is cancelled you will receive an Email stating so and you will be notified of the rescheduled CPAT test date. Except for test cancellations as indicated above your assigned practice tests and CPAT test will not be rescheduled for any reason. You will not be able to change your dates after you have registered.

Watch the CFA List Serve for information about special sessions that may be offered during the summer.

2023 CPAT SCHEDULE

The Connecticut Fire Academy offers a spring and fall testing cycle. Candidates will receive their assignments via email after a successful registration. Any questions with the registration process should be directed to CPAT@ct.qov.

Watch the CFA website for future information regarding online registration for CPAT.

The CPAT Center - 2014 North Broad Street in Meriden CT, 06450. DO NOT go to the Connecticut Fire Academy in Windsor Locks.

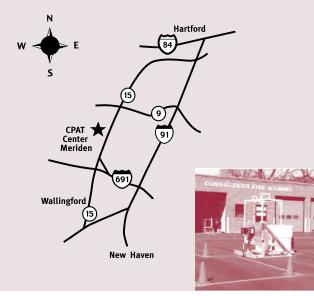








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NATIONAL PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS STANDARDS

The State of Connecticut Commission on Fire Prevention and Control is pleased to offer Fire Service Certification to the members of Connecticut's fire service. Certification is an excellent means by which an individual may measure his/her knowledge, skills, and abilities against a national standard.

As indicated below, the Commission currently offers 28 levels of certification. The National Fire Protection Association Professional Qualifications Standard against which the examination is based is noted below. The Commission has adopted the most current edition of the noted Standards as the Standards for Certification.

The certification examination process for each level consists of a written and a practical skills examination. The levels of Firefighter I and Firefighter II also require verification of live fire suppression activities

All of the Commission's Certification levels have been accredited by the National Board on Fire Service Professional Qualifications and the International Fire Service Accreditation Congress.

This summary is designed to provide an overview of the Commission on Fire Prevention and Control's Certification Process. For more detailed information, including the specific examination requirements for each level, please contact the Certification Division at (860) 264-9225.

INDEMNIFICATION OF INSTRUCTORS

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

Section 1. Section 7-323q of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective October 1, 2010):

The state shall save harmless and indemnify any person certified as a fire service instructor by the Commission on Fire Prevention and Control under section 7-323I from financial loss and expense, including legal fees and costs, if any, arising out of any claim, demand, suit or judgment by reason of alleged negligence or other act resulting in personal injury or property damage, which acts are not wanton, reckless or malicious, provided such person, at the time of the acts resulting in such injury or damage, was acting in the discharge of such person's duties (1) as an employee or member of a municipal, state or tribal nation fire department to provide fire service training and instruction for the other members or employees of such municipal, state or tribal nation fire department, (2) as a fire service instructor employed by said commission to provide fire service training and instruction on behalf of said commission, or (3) as a fire service instructor employed by a regional fire school to provide fire service training and instruction on behalf of such school.

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1006 2013 Edition	Rescue Technician- Trench I/II	Connecticut Rescue Technician Core
1006 2013 Edition	Rescue Technician- Vehicle I/II	Connecticut Rescue Technician Core
1006 2013 Edition	Rescue Technician- Confined Space I/II	Connecticut Rescue Technician Core
1021 2020 Edition	Fire Officer I	Firefighter II or continuous member of fire service prior to July 1, 1977 and Fire Service Instructor I
1021 2020 Edition	Fire Officer II	Fire Officer I and Fire Service Instructor I
1021 2020 Edition	Fire Officer III	Fire Officer II
1021 2020 Edition	Fire Officer IV	Fire Officer III
1031 2014 Edition	Fire Inspector I	OEDM sponsor
1033 2014 Edition	Fire Investigator	OEDM sponsor
1035 2015 Edition	Fire and Life Safety Educator I	Direct Entry
1035 2015 Edition	Youth Firesetter Intervention Specialist	Direct Entry
1041 2019 Edition	Fire Service Instructor I	Firefighter II or continuous member of fire service prior to July 1, 1977
1041 2019 Edition	Fire Service Instructor II	Fire Service Instructor I
1041 2019 Edition	Fire Service Instructor III	Fire Service Instructor II
1072 2017 Edition	Hazardous Materials Awareness / Operational / WMD	29 CFR 1910.134
1072 2017 Edition	Hazardous Materials Technician	29 CFR 1910.134 and Haz-Mat Operations
1521 2020 Edition	Health and Safety Officer	Direct Entry
1521 2020 Edition	Incident Safety Officer- Fire Suppression	Fire Officer I or Fire Officer in fire department on or before July 1, 1986 with continuous service
472 2018 Edition	Hazardous Materials Safety Officer	Hazardous Materials Technician

Candidates must meet all prerequisites prior to applying for examination						
As of December 2022						
NFPA Standard	Certification Title	Prerequisite				
1001 2019 Edition	Firefighter I	Member of a Connecticut Fire Department				
1001 2019Edition	Firefighter II	Firefighter I or continuous member of fire service prior to July 1, 1977				
1002 2017 Edition	Pump Operator	Firefighter I or continuous member of fire service prior to July 1, 1977 and CDL, Q Endorsement or proof of Q Training				
1002 2017 Edition	Aerial Operator	Firefighter I or continuous member of fire service prior to July 1977 and CDL, Q Endorsement or proof of Q Training				
1002 2017 Edition	Tanker Operator	Certified Pump Operator				
1006 2013 Edition	Rescue Technician- Structural Collapse I/II	Direct Entry (USAR) with Connecticut Rescue Technician Core				

The Training Division of the State of Connecticut Department of **Emergency Services and Public Protection/Commission** on Fire Prevention and Control has streamlined the process by which individuals may participate in certain training programs by eliminating as training prerequisites certification examination requirements. The responsibility for ensuring that individuals are qualified to participate in a certification examination now shifts from the Training Registrar to the individual certification candidate. Candidates for Certification are now personally required to ensure that they have met all prerequisites prior to submitting an examination application and are required to submit any required documentation prior to the examination. Failure to do so will result in rejection of the examination application. After 12 months of completing a class candidates must restart the Certification process if they have not yet taken and/or passed all testing requirements for that course.

Additionally, State of Connecticut Regulations require that candidates for certification be 18 years of age and be a member of a fire department with the exception of Public Fire & Life Safety Educator I, Youth Fire Setter Intervention Specialist I and Health and Safety Officer which allow direct entry into those levels. A recent policy change by the Commission on Fire Prevention and Control will permit individuals, at least 17 years of age, to complete testing requirements for Firefighter I certification. Certification will become valid upon turning 18 years of age.

CERTIFICATION DIVISION

ACCOMMODATIONS FOR CANDIDATES WITH LEARNING/READING DISABILITIES PARTICIPATING IN WRITTEN CERTIFICATION EXAMINATIONS FOR FIREFIGHTER I ONLY

I. General Policy

A. In accordance with Section 7–323I–95 (d) of the Regulation of the State of Connecticut, all examinations and/or components of examinations shall be structured and administered in accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act. The Certification Division will make reasonable accommodations to the known learning/reading disabilities of candidates to the extent feasible. Accommodating the individual handicapped candidate's needs while maintaining the integrity of the certification testing process will be of primary consideration.

II. Reasonable Accommodations

Reasonable accommodations to be made in test administration are specified below in Section V. One or a combination of accommodations may be necessary for individual candidates according to their needs and the requirements of the test material to be presented to them. The Director of Certification may allow other accommodations on a case-by-case basis.

III. Documentation

Each candidate requesting accommodations that effect actual test conditions will be required to furnish documentation supporting the accommodation(s) requested. Documentation must be sent to the Director of Certification. The proper individual examination application form and testing fees must accompany the above documentation. All documentation submitted shall remain confidential.

IV. Testing Location

Administration of examinations for individuals with accommodation will be at the offices of the Commission on Fire Prevention and Control in Windsor Locks.

V. Accommodation Options

The following are the accommodation options which may be afforded to the candidate. Other accommodations may be made available to the candidate based upon the individual needs. The Commission may or may not be fiscally responsible for accommodations made.

- A. Additional time
- B. Individual monitor or special attention to assure the candidate has understood instructions
- C. Oral examination

IV. Exception

The expectation for a first responder will be to read and write in American English at Hazardous Materials incidents. Therefore, no accommodations can be made during any hazardous materials Awareness, Operational or Technician Level cognitive or psychomotor Certification examination.

CT Certification on the Web

Please refer to the Certification Division Page of the CFPC website at http://www.ct.gov/cfpc for up-to-date certification examination information, certification rules and regulations, examination schedules, and downloadable examination applications for all currently offered examinations.

National Fire Service Certification

The Commission is proud to offer National Fire Service Certification as an accredited agency under the National Board on Fire Service Professional Qualifications and the International Fire Service Accreditation Congress for selected levels.

All individuals who successfully attain state certification will be automatically registered for national certification with the National Board on Fire Service Professional Qualification and/or the International Fire Service Accreditation Congress for the levels accredited by either of those bodies.

COMMON CERTIFICATION QUESTIONS:

1. If I take an online course, can I take the certification exam?

Answer: Online courses currently offered by outside agencies are designed to complement traditional classroom instruction and may not be equivalent to the training offered by the Connecticut Fire Academy. The Commission does not currently recognize any online course of instruction as a self-contained training program for the purposes of certification. Individuals considering online courses should contact the Director of Certification **before** enrolling in an online course.

2. Can I challenge a certification exam?

Answer: Individuals can challenge exams by completing required certification documentation, if they meet one of the following criteria:

- 1– Pro Board or IFSAC certification at the level from another state.
- 2- Previous training and education that satisfies current NFPA Standard JPRs.
- 3- Documented education, training, and experience that satisfy current NFPA Standard JPRs.

3. Can I transfer my certifications from another state?

Answer: Certifications do not "transfer." The Commission recognizes certifications with Pro Board or IFSAC seal numbers for reciprocity. Reciprocity enters you in the Connecticut system at an advanced level to meet the prerequisites for the next level(s).

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COURSETITLE	DATES	LOCATION	FEES	COURSE #	HOURS	TRAINING PREREQUISITE	CERTIFICATION PREREQUISITE	FM CREDITS
AERIAL OPERATOR	MAR 20-22, 27-29	EAST LYME	\$450.00	23200	48	FIREFIGHTER I OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1977 AND CDL OR Q ENDORSEMENT LICENSE	FIREFIGHTER I OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1977 AND CDL OR Q ENDORSEMENT LICENSE, OR PROOF OF Q TRAINING.	
AERIAL OPERATOR	MAY 10-12, 17-19	FAIRFIELD	\$450.00	23201				
AERIAL OPERATOR	OCT 7, 8, 14, 15, 21, 22	WOLCOTT	\$450.00	24000				
AERIAL STRATEGY AND TACTICS	MAY 8, 9	ENFIELD	\$150.00	23202	16	FIREFIGHTER I OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1977 AND CDL OR Q ENDORSEMENT LICENSE	N/A	
AERIAL STRATEGY AND TACTICS	SEP 9, 10	STERLING	\$150.00	24001				
BASIC PUMP OPERATION	APR 15, 16	WINDSOR	\$150.00	23203	16	FIREFIGHTER I OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1977 AND CDL OR Q ENDORSEMENT LICENSE	N/A	
BASIC PUMP OPERATION	AUG 26, 27	E. THOMPSON	\$150.00	24002				
BASIC PUMP OPERATION	NOV 4, 5	WOODSTOCK	\$150.00	24003				
BUILDING CONSTRUCTION FOR FIRST RESPONDERS	APR 22, 23	DAYVILLE	\$65.00	23204	16	NONE	N/A	12
BUILDING CONSTRUCTION FOR FIRST RESPONDERS	OCT 17, 18	NORWALK	\$65.00	24004				
COLD WATER RESCUE	JAN 30, 31	NORWALK	\$90.00	23205	16	NONE	N/A	
COLD WATER RESCUE	FEB 4, 5	WOLCOTT	\$90.00	23206				
COLD WATER RESCUE	FEB 18, 19	E. THOMPSON	\$90.00	23207				
COLD WATER RESCUE	FEB 25, 26	NORWICH	\$90.00	23208				
CT FIRE OFFICERS WEEKEND	MAR 24-26	EMMITSBURG, MD	\$165.00		16			
EMR REFRESHER (HYBRID)	FEB 28	CFA	\$250.00	23209	8	EMR		
EMR REFRESHER (TRADITIONAL)	SEP 19, 20	CFA	\$250.00	24005	16	EMR		

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EMT REFRESHER (HYBRID)	APR 4, 11, 18, 25 (EVENINGS)	CFA	\$275.00	23210	16	EMT		
EMT REFRESHER (HYBRID)	MARCH 1, 2	CFA	\$275.00	23211	16	EMT		
EMT REFRESHER (TRADITIONAL)	OCT 19, 26, NOV 2, 9, 16	CFA	\$275.00	24006	40	EMT		
ENGINE COMPANY OPERATIONS NEW	MAY 10, 11	NORWICH	\$250.00	23212	16	FIREFIGHTER I		
ENGINE COMPANY OPERATIONS NEW	OCT 23, 24	NORWALK	\$250.00	24007				
ENGINE COMPANY OPERATIONS NEW	OCT 28, 29	NEWTOWN	\$250.00	24008				
FIRE OFFICER I	JAN 21, 22, 28, 29 FEB 4, 5, 11, 12, 18, 19, 25 PCE	WINSTED	\$440.00	23213	80	INSTRUCTOR I, NIMS 700, ICS 100, 200	FIREFIGHTER II OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1977 AND CERTIFIED FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	33
FIRE OFFICER I	JAN 23, 25, 30 FEB 1, 6, 8, 13, 15, 22, 27 MAR 1 PCE	MIDDLEBURY	\$440.00	23214				
FIRE OFFICER I	IN PERSON: SEP 9, 10, 16, 23, 30 OCT 7, 8 OCT 14 PCE VIRTUAL: SEP 17, 24, OCT 1	EAST LYME	\$440.00	24009				
FIRE OFFICER I	IN PERSON: SEP 12, 14, 19, 26, OCT 3, 10, 12, 17 PCE VIRTUAL: SEP 21, 28, OCT 5	WEST HAVEN	\$440.00	24010				
FIRE OFFICER I & II	IN PERSON: MAR 13, 15, 20, 27, APR 3, 10, 17, 24, 26 MAY 1 PCE VIRTUAL: MAR 22, 29, APR 5, 12, 19	S. WINDSOR	N/C	23215	144	INSTRUCTOR I, NIMS 700, ICS 100, 200	FIREFIGHTER II OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1977 AND CERTIFIED FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	63
FIRE OFFICER II	FEB 7, 9, 14, 16, 21, 23, 28 MAR 2, 7, 9 PCE	ENFIELD	\$385.00	23216	80	FIRE OFFICER I	FIRE OFFICER I AND FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	45
FIRE OFFICER II	OCT. 14, 15, 21, 28, NOV 4, 12, 18 PCE VIRTUAL: OCT 22, 29, NOV 5	DAYVILLE	\$385.00	24011				
FIRE OFFICER III	FEB 24, MAR 17, APR 14, MAY 5, 26, JUN 16	STAMFORD	\$ 410.00	23217	56	FIRE OFFICER II	FIRE OFFICER II	45
FIRE OFFICER IV	SEP 15, OCT 6, 27 NOV 17, DEC 1, 22	ENFIELD	\$375.00	24012	56	FIRE OFFICER III	FIRE OFFICER III	5
FIRE SERVICE COLLEGE FAIR	APR 15	CFA	N/C					
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	JAN 21, 28, FEB 4, 11, 18, 25 PCE	EASTERN CT FS	\$430.00	23219	48	FIREFIGHTER II	FIREFIGHTER II OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1977	32
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	FEB 15, 22, MAR 1, 8, 15, 22 PCE	WEST HAVEN	\$430.00	23220				
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	APR 15, 22, 29, MAY 6, 13, 20 PCE	EAST LYME	\$430.00	23221				
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	MAY 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, JUN 6 PCE	MIDDLETOWN	\$430.00	23222				
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	SEP 9, 16, 23, 30, OCT 7, 14 PCE	LITCHFIELD COUNTY FS	\$430.00	24013				

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FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	NOV 6, 13, 20, 27, DEC 4, 11 PCE	NORWALK	\$430.00	24014				
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR II	JAN 8, 22, FEB 5, 19, MAR 5 PCE	LEBANON	\$330.00	23223	40	FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR II	JAN 11, 25, FEB 8, 22, MAR 8 PCE	FAIRFIELD	\$330.00	23224				
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR II	AUG 26, SEP 9, 23, OCT 7, 21 PCE	BLOOMFIELD	\$330.00	24015				
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR II	SEP 17, OCT 1, 15, 29, NOV 12 PCE	BURLINGTON	\$330.00	24016				
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR III	APR 6	CLINTON	\$65.00	23225	8	FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR II	FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR II	
HAZARDOUS MATERIALS INCIDENT SAFETY OFFICER	MAR 14-15	CFA	\$140.00	23226	16	HAZARDOUS MATERIALS TECHNICIAN	HAZARDOUS MATERIALS TECHNICIAN	
HEALTH & SAFETY OFFICER	MAY 6, 7, 13	WINDSOR	\$140.00	23227	24	NONE		
HEALTH & SAFETY OFFICER	NOV 14, 15, 16	BRIDGEPORT	\$140.00	24017				
INCIDENT SAFETY OFFICER - FIRE SUPPRESSION	APR 11, 12, 13	STAMFORD	\$140.00	23228	24	NONE	FIRE OFFICER I OR FIRE OFFICER IN FIRE DEPARTMENT ON OR BEFORE JULY, 1, 1986 WITH CONTINUOUS SERVICE.	4
INCIDENT SAFETY OFFICER - FIRE SUPPRESSION	JUN 18, 24, 25	EASTERN CT FS	\$140.00	23229				
INCIDENT SAFETY OFFICER - FIRE SUPPRESSION	NOV 1, 2, 3	MIDDLETOWN	\$140.00	24018				
INTRODUCTION TO THE FIRE SERVICE: SESSION 1	JUN 26 - JUL 1	CFA	\$850.00	23230	6 DAYS	AFFILIATED WITH FIRE DEPARTMENT		
INTRODUCTION TO THE FIRE SERVICE: SESSION 2	JUL 17 - 22	CFA	\$850.00	24019				
ITTFS: ADVANCED SKILLS & CONCEPTS	AUG 7 - 12	CFA	\$850.00	24020	6 DAYS	GRADUATE OF ITTES		
MASTERING CPAT: LUNGS, LEGS AND GRIP	MAR 11 (8 AM - 12 PM)	MERIDEN	\$50.00	23231	4			
MASTERING CPAT: LUNGS, LEGS AND GRIP	AUG 5 (8 AM - 12 PM)	MERIDEN	\$50.00	24021				
NFA: FIRE INVESTIGATION FIRST RESPONDERS	SEP 14, 15	CFA	\$65.00	24022	16			16
NFA: PREPARING FOR INITIAL COMPANY OPERATIONS	MAY 6, 7	CFA	\$65.00	23232	16			
POST PANDEMIC LEADERSHIP	JAN 24-25	CFA	\$100.00	23233	16			
POST PANDEMIC LEADERSHIP	FEB 11-12	NEW HAVEN	\$100.00	23234				
PUBLIC FIRE & LIFE SAFETY EDUCATOR I	MAR 18, 19, 26, APR 2	WOLCOTT	\$275.00	23235	32	DIRECT ENTRY	N/A	24
PUBLIC FIRE & LIFE SAFETY EDUCATOR I	SEP 20, 21, 27, OCT 4	UNCASVILLE	\$275.00	24023				
PUBLIC FIRE & LIFE SAFETY EDUCATOR'S CONFERENCE	AUG 24	CFA	\$30.00	24024	8			TBD
PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER	MAR 9, 10	CROMWELL	\$165.00	23236	16	NONE	N/A	8
PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER	SEP 23, 24	COLUMBIA	\$165.00	24025				

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PUMP OPERATOR	MAR 11, 12, 18, 19, 25, 26	DARIEN	\$450.00	23237	48	FIREFIGHTER I OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1977 AND CDL OR Q ENDORSEMENT LICENSE	FIREFIGHTER I OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1977 AND CDL OR Q ENDORSEMENT LICENSE, OR PROOF OF Q TRAINING.	
PUMP OPERATOR	APR 4-6, 11-13	EAST HARTFORD	\$450.00	23238				
PUMP OPERATOR	APR 29, 30, MAY 6, 7, 20, 21	GALES FERRY	\$450.00	23239				
PUMP OPERATOR	JUN 3, 4, 10, 11, 17, 18	SOUTHBURY	\$450.00	23240				
PUMP OPERATOR	AUG 29-31, SEP 5-7	WALLINGFORD	\$450.00	24026				
Q ENDORSEMENT	MAY 13, 20, JUN 3, 10	CFA	\$325.00	23241				
Q ENDORSEMENT — TRAIN THE TRAINER	MAR 12 (8 AM - 12 PM)	CFA	\$35.00	23242				
Q ENDORSEMENT — TRAIN THE TRAINER	SEP 16 (8 AM- 12 PM)	BURLINGTON	\$35.00	24027				
RECRUIT FIREFIGHTER (CLASS 71)	FEB 14 - MAY 24	CFA	\$7,085.00	23243	644	NONE	NONE	
RECRUIT FIREFIGHTER (CLASS 72)	AUG 28 - DEC 8	CFA	\$7,485.00	24028				
RESCUE - CONFINED SPACE TECHNICIAN	JUL 5-7, 10-12, 13 PCE	WATERBURY	\$525.00	24029	56	RESCUE TECH CORE	CONNECTICUT RESCUE TECH CORE AND CURRENT EMR	
RESCUE - CONFINED SPACE TECHNICIAN	AUG 19, 20, 26, 27, SEP 9, 10, 16 PCE	CFA	\$525.00	24030				
RESCUE - CONFINED SPACE TECHNICIAN	SEP 19-21, 25-27, 28 PCE	DAYVILLE	\$525.00	24031				
RESCUE - CORE	MAR 19, 25, 26, APR 1, 2, 8	BOLTON	\$465.00	23244	48	FIREFIGHTER I, EMR AND HAZ MAT OPERATIONAL		
RESCUE - CORE	APR 17-19, 24-26	FAIRFIELD	\$465.00	23245				
RESCUE - CORE	JUL 30, AUG 5, 6, 12, 13, 19	LEDYARD	\$465.00	24032				
RESCUE - ROPE TECHNICIAN	JUN 3, 4, 10, 11, 17, 18, 24, 25 PCE	CFA	\$600.00	23246	64	RESCUE TECH CORE	CONNECTICUT RESCUE TECH CORE	
RESCUE - ROPE TECHNICIAN	OCT 17-20, 23-25, 26 PCE	NEW HAVEN	\$600.00	24033				
RESCUE - TRENCH OPERATIONAL (NEW)	APR 22, 23, 29, 30	CHESHIRE	\$300.00	23247	48	RESCUE TECH CORE AND HAZ MAT OPERATIONAL		
RESCUE - TRENCH TECHNICIAN	MAY 30, 31, JUN 1, 6-8, 9 PCE	BRANFORD	\$550.00	23248	56	RESCUE TECH CORE AND HAZ MAT OPERATIONAL	CONNECTICUT RESCUE TECH CORE	
RESCUE - TRENCH TECHNICIAN	OCT 3-5, 10-12, 13 PCE	MERIDEN	\$550.00	24034				

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RESCUE - VEHICLE TECHNICIAN	JUL 31, AUG 1, 2, 8, 9, 10 PCE	FAIRFIELD	\$550.00	24035	48	RESCUE TECH CORE	CONNECTICUT RESCUE TECH CORE	
RESCUE - VEHICLE TECHNICIAN	NOV 1-3, 7, 8, 9 PCE	BRANFORD	\$550.00	24036				
SCBA MAZE	JUN 3	WOODSTOCK	\$75.00	23249	8			
SCBA MAZE	SEP 16	WOLCOTT	\$75.00	24037	8			
STRATEGY & TACTICS - BREAD & BUTTER CALLS	DEC. 2, 3	NORWICH	\$85.00	23038	16	NONE	N/A	
STRATEGY & TACTICS - EVERYDAY EMERGENCIES	NOV. 18, 19	BOLTON	\$85.00	24039	16	NONE	N/A	
STRATEGY & TACTICS - FUNDAMENTALS	JUNE 3, 4	WOLCOTT	\$85.00	23250	16	NONE	N/A	
STRATEGY & TACTICS - FUNDAMENTALS	DEC. 4, 5	BRANFORD	\$85.00	24040				
TANKER SHUTTLE OPERATIONS	APR 22, 23	WINDHAM	\$110.00	23251	16	FIREFIGHTER I OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1977 AND CDL OR Q ENDORSEMENT LICENSE	FIREFIGHTER I OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1977 AND CDL OR Q ENDORSEMENT LICENSE, OR PROOF OF Q TRAINING.	
TANKER SHUTTLE OPERATIONS	AUG 26, 27	BERLIN	\$110.00	24041				
TRUCK COMPANY OPERATIONS NEW	MAY 25, 26	NORWALK	\$250.00	23253	16	FIREFIGHTER I		
TRUCK COMPANY OPERATIONS NEW	SEP 18, 19	MIDDLETOWN	\$250.00	24042				
YOUTH FIRESETTER INTERVENTION SPECIALIST	MAR 29, 30	FAIRFIELD	\$100.00	23254	16	DIRECT ENTRY	N/A	16
YOUTH FIRESETTER INTERVENTION SPECIALIST	SEP 30, OCT 1	WOLCOTT	\$100.00	24043				

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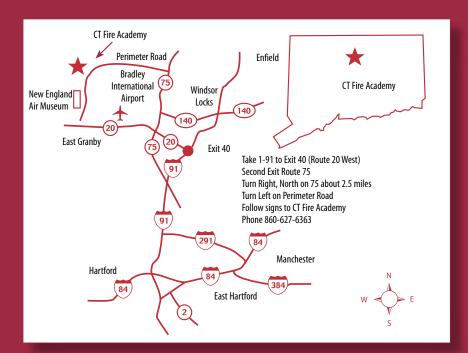
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I-91 North or South to exit 40 (Route 20, Bradley Connector). Follow Route 20 West 1.7 miles to the exit for Route 75. Take a right off the exit onto Route 75 North and follow 2.5 miles. Take a left onto Perimeter Road (see sign for the CT Fire Academy and the New England Air Museum). Continue 1.4 miles to the Academy, which will be on your right. Parking is available at the rear of the building.



WEATHER CANCELLATIONS

call the Connecticut Fire Academy

at 6:30 am 860-627-6363 or 877-528-3473 ext. 450.

Cancellation information will also be available via television on WFSB Channel 3. WTNH Channel 8, and WVIT Channel 30 the morning of the class.

CPAT Test Status Hotline 860-627-6363

For weather cancellation information

Weather Cancellation Hotline updated

or 877-528-3473 ext. 415.

LODGING - SINGLE OCCUPANCY DAILY RATE

- *Governmental/Municipal (In-state) \$20.00
- *Private Business/Industry/Out-of-State \$30.00
- *Full payment is required at check-in by check or credit card.
- *A 24 hour notice is required for any lodging cancellations in order to receive a refund, please contact Kara Ouellette at 860-264-9231

Guest check-in times are:

- Weekdays anytime before 4:00 p.m. or after 6:00 p.m.
- Weekends as noted upon confirmation of your reservation.

• DISASTER TRAINING CENTER •

The NEDTC is a joint collaboration bringing the states top training and response agencies together using state of the art facilities and equipment to provide challenging rescue scenarios for both the basic and advanced disaster response personnel.

Located at Camp Hartell, in Windsor Locks, CT the NEDTC will offer disaster medical response training, with the ability to work from a mobile field hospital, and search and rescue training on a rubble pile. Advanced trench and train derailment training props will be used to help response personnel meet national standards.

Additional information about the NEDTC can be found at www.nedtc.us











Increasingly, students and instructors are bringing laptop computers to the Connecticut Fire Academy (CFA) especially for officer and instructor classes. The Commission on Fire Prevention and Control (CFPC) offers limited wireless hotspot access to the Internet in some areas of the CFA. This public service is currently available in the following locations: dorm rooms, auditorium, multipurpose room, and the classroom wing.

Users alone are responsible for security and maintenance of your equipment. The Academy cannot provide you with computer software, hardware, or technical support to include disks, printers, scanners, etc. CFPC/CFA staff is not permitted to support user connectivity issues or user computer issues of any type.

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