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# TRAINING CALENDAR

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# A LETTER FROM THE DIRECTOR OF TRAINING



I cannot thank the CT Fire Service, full time staff, adjunct instructors and all of our partners for the warm welcome I have received since being appointed as Director of Training on July 2nd. After a thirty-three year career in the East Haven Fire Department where I climbed through the ranks from a Fire Explorer, Volunteer to Career firefighter and eventually retiring as the Deputy Chief of Training. From my earliest years in the fire service the CT Fire Academy has always been an important part of my career and many of my successes were built on the foundation established

by the rich tradition of attending classes by the absolute best instructors the Fire Service has to offer. I am excited to bring a different perspective to the CT Fire Academy but this perspective will not overlook the history, instructors and staff that shaped my career and built this great institution.

The past few years we have seen challenges that have impacted and changed training which the CT Fire Academy Instructors have handled with grace and ease. The lessons learned have shaped how we continue to deliver high quality, consistent training. You will see additional changes coming this year and, in the years, to come in our approach to training and education. In 2021 we received an Assistance to Firefighter Grant that will bring a new Learning Management System to the CFA. This impact how you register, train and obtain certifications in 2022.

The training staff has some new innovative programs and classes coming this year that will be launched throughout the next twelve months. In addition to our mobile SCBA Confidence maze and mobile ventilation trailer look for more opportunities for the CFA to bring training directly to your department. In addition to the classes contained in this calendar please subscribe to the CT Fire Academy Listserv and follow our social media pages for regular updates on new and exciting programs being offered by the CFA. If there is a class you do not see please contact me directly as we have instructors that can create a program specifically for your departments needs

Be safe.

Respectfully, P.J. Norwood, Director of Fire Training

#### 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 6:30 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		
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	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		

# IMPORTANT FIRE SERVICE DATES 2022

EVENT	DATE(S)	LOCATION
CT Fire Officers Weekend	April 1-3	Emmitsburg, MD
National Fire Symposium	April 6-7	Washington, D.C.
CSFA Hall of Fame Dinner	April 7	Aqua Turf, Southington
June Fire School	June 6-11	CFA
New England Fire Chief's Show	June 23-25	Worcester, MA
Introduction to the Fire Service (14 -15 yr olds)	July 11-16	CFA
Introduction to the Fire Service (16 -17 yr olds)	August 1-6	CFA
National Honor Guard Academy	August 7-12	CFA
ITTFS: Advanced Skills and Concepts (ITTFS Graduates ONLY)	August 15-20	CFA
Public Fire & Life Safety Educator's Conference	August 25	CFA
CT State Firefighters Convention	September 16-18	TBD
CT Firefighters Memorial Ceremony	September 25	CFA
National Fallen Firefighters Weekend	October 7-9	Emmitsburg, MD
Fire Prevention Week	October 9-15	USA
Fire Service College Fair	October 15	CFA
EMS Pro Expo	October 26-29	Foxwoods

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.

# 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 over a series of months. Eventually it will replace all aspects of our training management; scheduling, registration, track records for each student, assign instructors, handle electronic testing and even serve as an online resource for classes run through CFA. This single product will replace several obsolete record systems in place. 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. In the meantime, the current online registration system will continue.

To register online go to: <u>https://ctlms-cfa.ct.gov</u> and follow the directions to create an account. Then you can browse for courses, register and pay online. CFA encourages everyone to sign up for 2022 Training classes using our online system. 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:

Compose an email to listserv@list.ct.gov from the email address you wish to have added.

- 1. Leave the subject line blank and in the body of the message type:
- 2. 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 2022**

The Connecticut Fire Academy is offering several special classes during 2022. Most of these are listed in the Calendar but we wanted to showcase these new offerings here as well.

- 1. Next Gen Tools & Technologies for Fire & EMS Training Symposium Jan 28, 29 at CFA. This free symposium will feature demonstrations of cutting edge training tools. It is open to anyone interested in the future of Firefighter training.
- 2. UL Fire Safety Research Institute: Fire Dynamics Boot Camp Mar 7-9. This class is being offered to an exclusive group but will feature Reviews of Fire Behaviors using experiments, models and ending with full scale burns. The event will be at CFA.
- 3. New Mexico Tech is offering 3 separate courses dealing with differing aspects of bombing incidents. All of these classes are free. Fire Marshal CEU's will be determined soon.

Feb 25

Incident Response to Terrorist Bombing

Medical Preparedness & Response to Bombing Incidents Jun 2, 3

Homemade Explosives: Awareness, Recognition & Response Aug 23

- 4. NFA will be offering three courses at CFA this year. New Fire Chief: Contemporary Issues and Campus Fire, Life Safety III: Codes and Systems and Fire Inspection Principles 2: Inspection of Structures and Systems.
- 5. FDIC Seminars Fire Dynamics and Coordinating Ventilation Mar 26
- 6. Fire Protection Systems Class Jan 15 and Mar 5.

# JANUARY 2022

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			Stop the Bleed – CFA (1 pm – 3 pm)		Fire Protection Systems – Fairfield	Public Fire & Life Safety Educator I Thompson
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Public Fire & Life Safety Educator I Thompson		Fire Officer I – Enfield	Fire Service Instructor I North Haven	Fire Officer I – Enfield	The Future of Fire & EMS	Training Symposium – CFA

# **FEBRUARY 2022**

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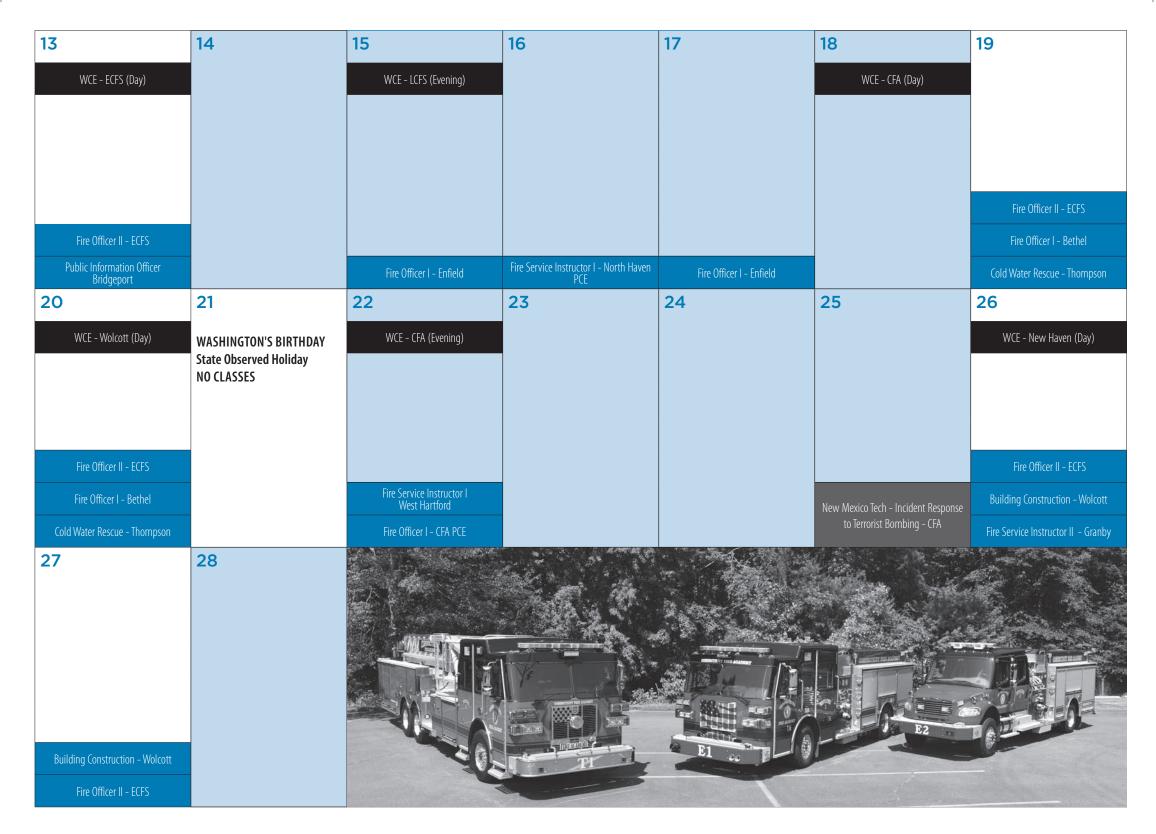
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		Fire Officer I – Enfield	Fire Service Instructor I – North Haven	Fire Officer I – Enfield		Fire Officer I – Bethel
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						Fire Officer II - ECFS
Cold Water Rescue - Norwich						Fire Service Instructor II – Granby
Fire Officer I – Bethel		Fire Officer I - Enfield	Fire Service Instructor I – North Haven	Fire Officer I - Enfield		Public Information Officer Bridgeport



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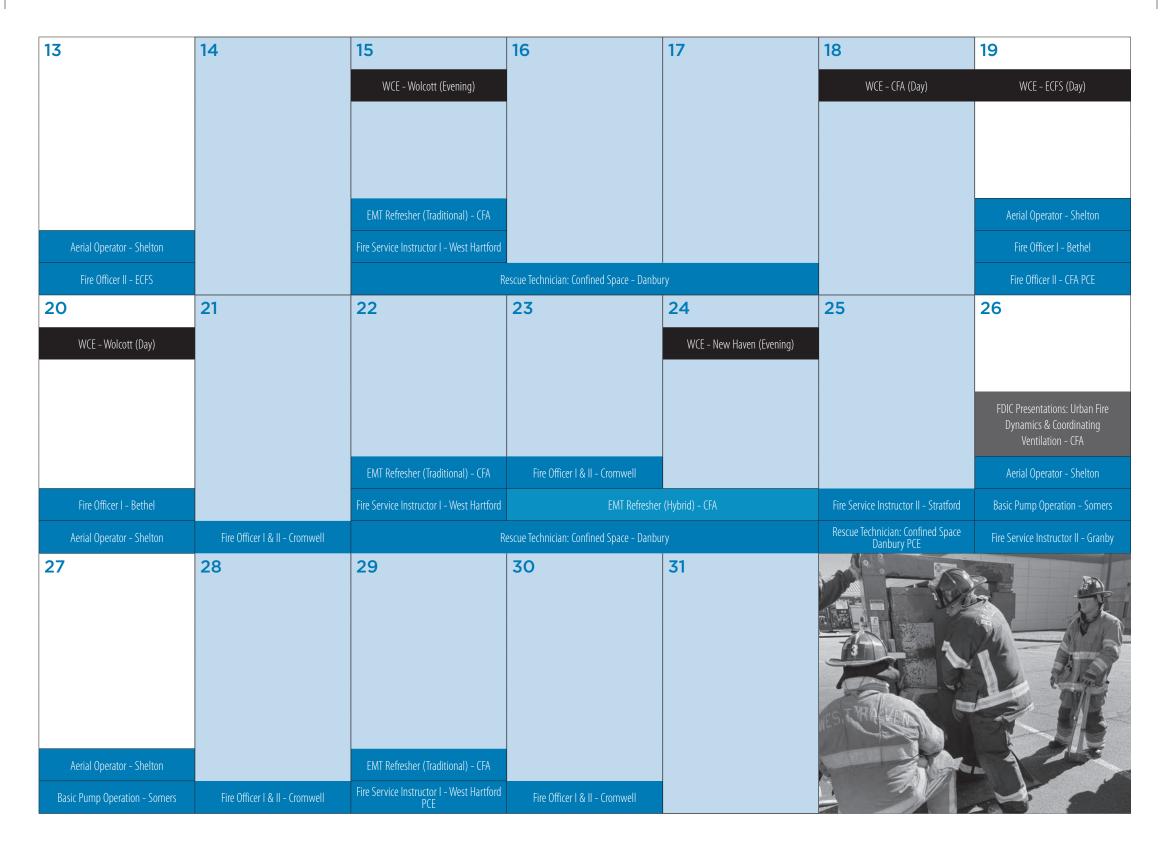
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	-	Fire Service Instructor I – West Hartford	Youth Firesetter Interv	rention Specialist - CFA		Fire Officer II – ECFS
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		EMT Refresher (Traditional) – CFA				
		Fire Service Instructor I - West Hartford				Aerial Operator – Shelton
Fire Officer I – Bethel	Fire	- Safety Research Institute: UL Boot Camp - 	CFA			Fire Officer II - ECFS
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Advanced Vehicle Extrication Fairfield			Fire Officer I & II - Cromwell			
Fire Officer I – Bethel		Fire Protection Systems - CFA	Fire Service Instructor I – Farmington (night)			
CT Fire Officer Weekend		Rescue Technician: Core – Waterford		SCBA Maze – Middletown		Fire Officer I - CFA PCE
CT Fire Officer Weekend Emmitsburg MD	Fire Officer I & II - Cromwell		National Fire Sympos	ium – Washington DC	Fire Service Instructor II – Stratford	Fire Service Instructor II – Granby PCE

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	Fire Officer I & II - Cromwell		Fire Service Instructor I – Farmington			
		Rescue Technician: Core – Waterford	(night)			
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		Pump Operator – Branford		Stop the Bleed - CFA (1pm -3pm)		
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		Rescue Technician: Vehicle – Stamford				EMT Refresher (Traditional) – CFA
		Pump Operator – Branford			Fire Service Instructor II – Stratford	Rescue Technician: Rope – Danbury
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		WCE – New Haven (Day)				
Aerial Strategy & Tactics – Bozrah			Fire Officer I & II - Cromwell			EMT Refresher (Traditional) – CFA
Fire Service Instructor I – ECFS	Fire Officer I & II - Cromwell		Fire Service Instructor I – Farmington (night)			Q Endorsement - Waterford
Rescue Technician: Rope – Danbury	Rescue Technician:	Vehicle – Stamford	Rescue Technician: Vehicle Stamford PCE			Rescue Technician: Rope – Danbury

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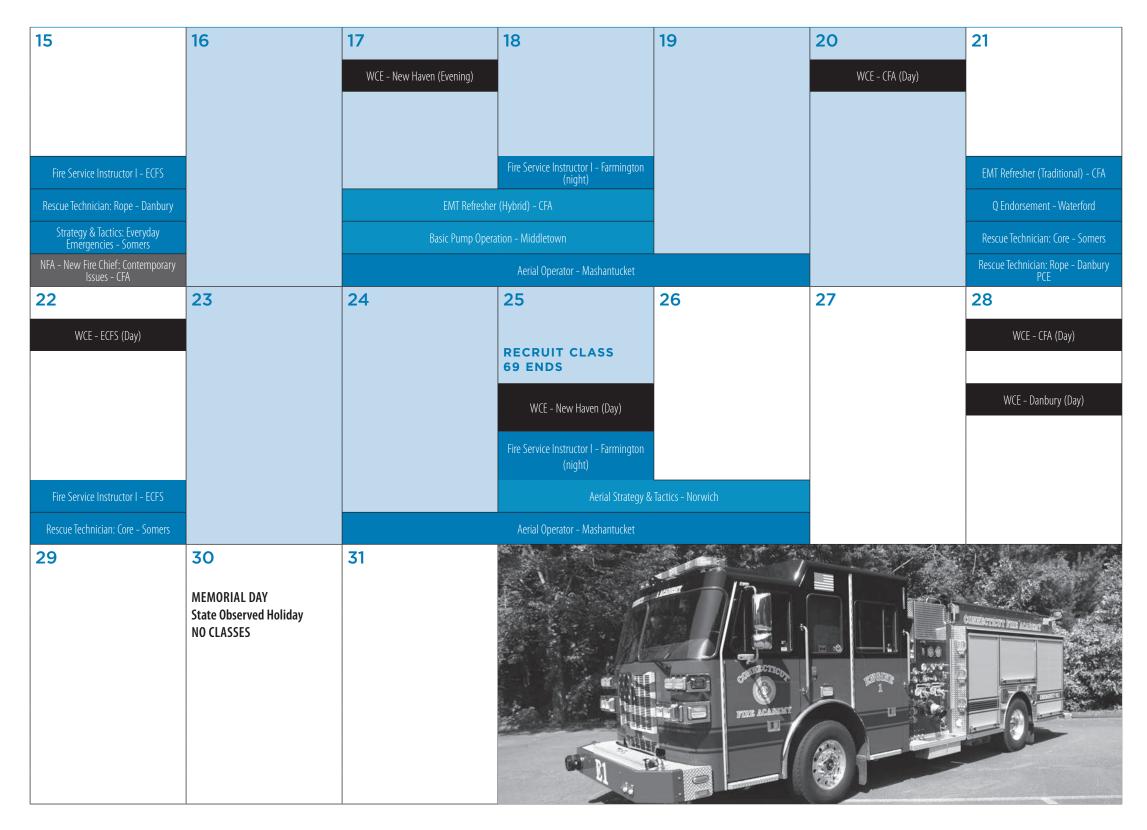
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			Fire Officer I & II - Cromwell			EMT Refresher (Traditional) – CFA
Fire Service Instructor I – ECFS	Fire Officer I & II - Cromwell		Fire Service Instructor I – Farmington (night)			Q Endorsement – Waterford
Rescue Technician: Rope – Danbury		Rescue Technician: Core – Branford			Fire Service Instructor II – Stratford PCE	Rescue Technician: Rope – Danbury
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						Q Endorsement – Waterford
			Fire Officer I & II - CFA PCE			Rescue Technician: Rope – Danbury
	Fire Officer I & II - CFA PCE	EMR Refre	esher – CFA			Strategy & Tactics: Everyday Emergencies – Somers
		Rescue Technician: Core – Branford				NFA – New Fire Chief: Contemporary Issues – CFA



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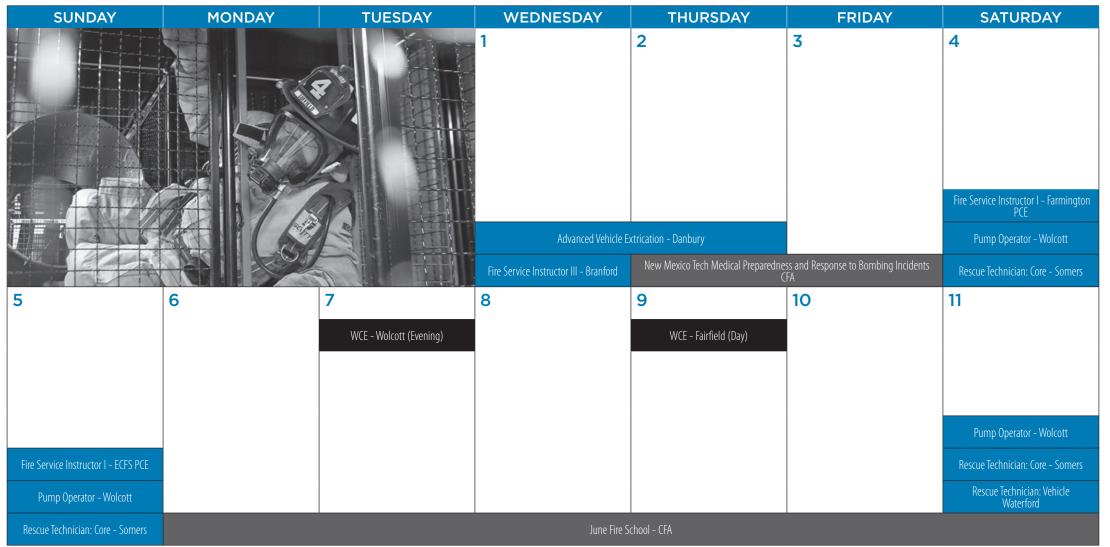
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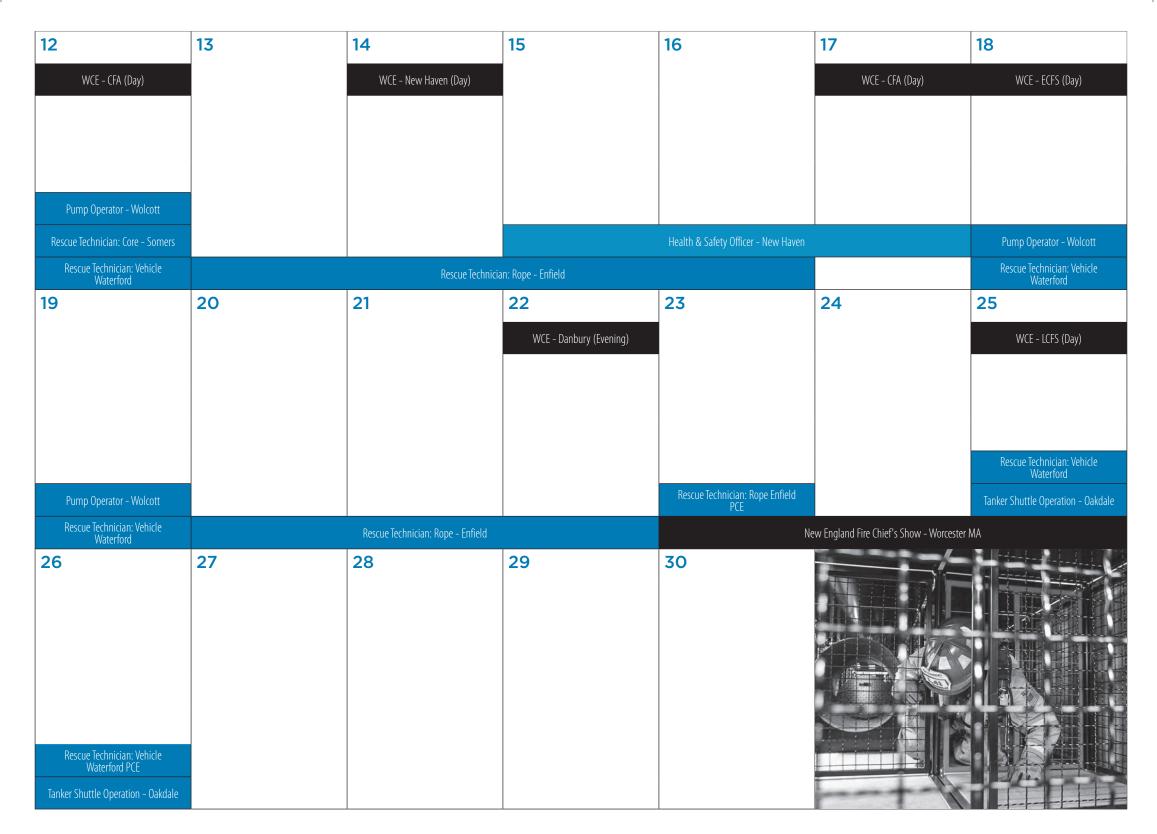
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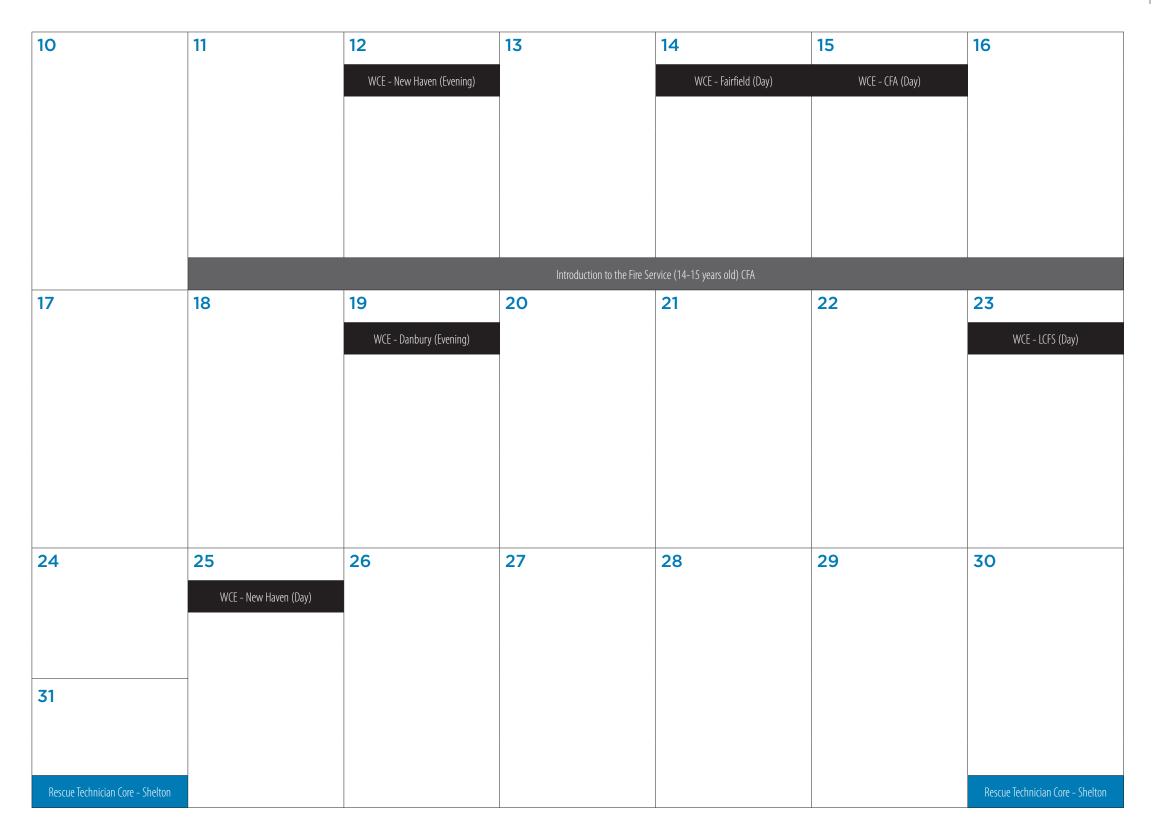
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# AUGUST 2022

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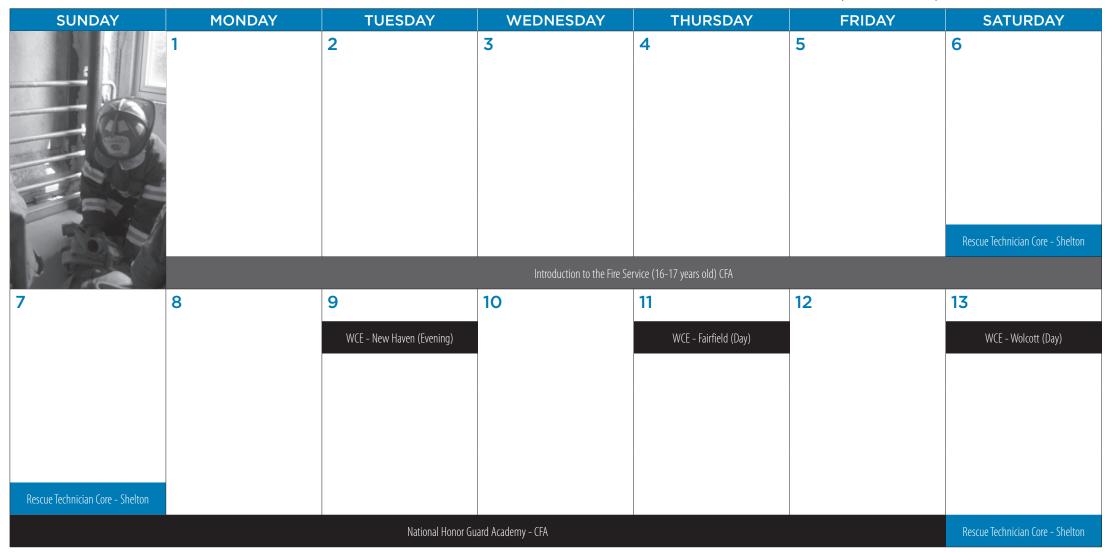
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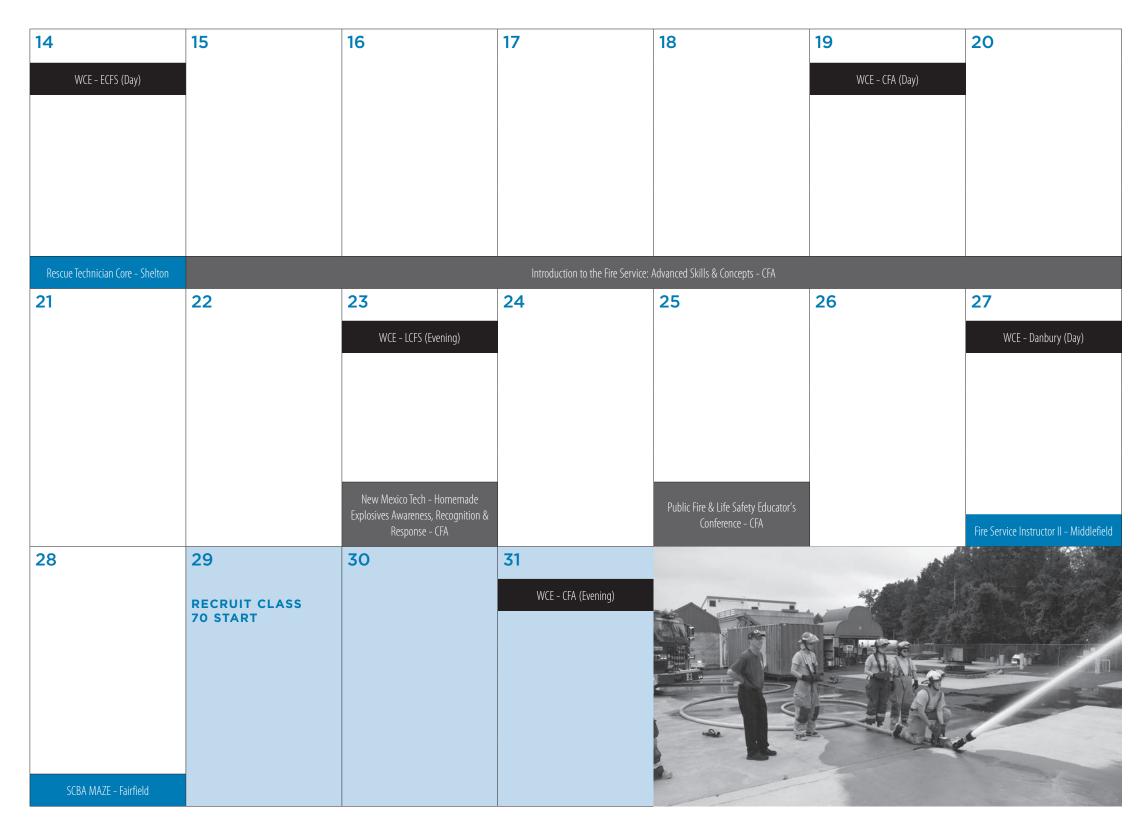
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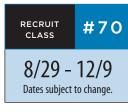
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EMT Refresher (Hybrid) - CFA		Fire Officer II (Hybrid) – Fairfield		Rescue Technician: Trench Stamford PCE		Fire Officer I (Hybrid) - Norwich
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Rescue Technician: Confined Space Ellington		Fire Officer II (Hybrid) – Fairfield	Fire Officer I (Hybrid) – Virtual	Fire Officer II (Hybrid) - Virtual		
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Fire Service Instructor I – Newtown	Fire Officer I (Hybrid) – West Hartford		Rescue Technician :	Rope – West Hartford		Fire Service Instructor II – Middlefield

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Rescue Technician: Core – Oakdale	Fire Officer I (Hybrid) – CFA PCE	Rescue Technician: V	ehicle – West Hartford	Rescue Technician: Vehicle West Hartford PCE		
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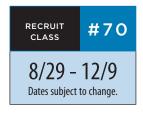
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Pump Operator – Middlefield		Stop the Bleed – CFA (7pm – 9pm)				Pump Operator – Middlefield
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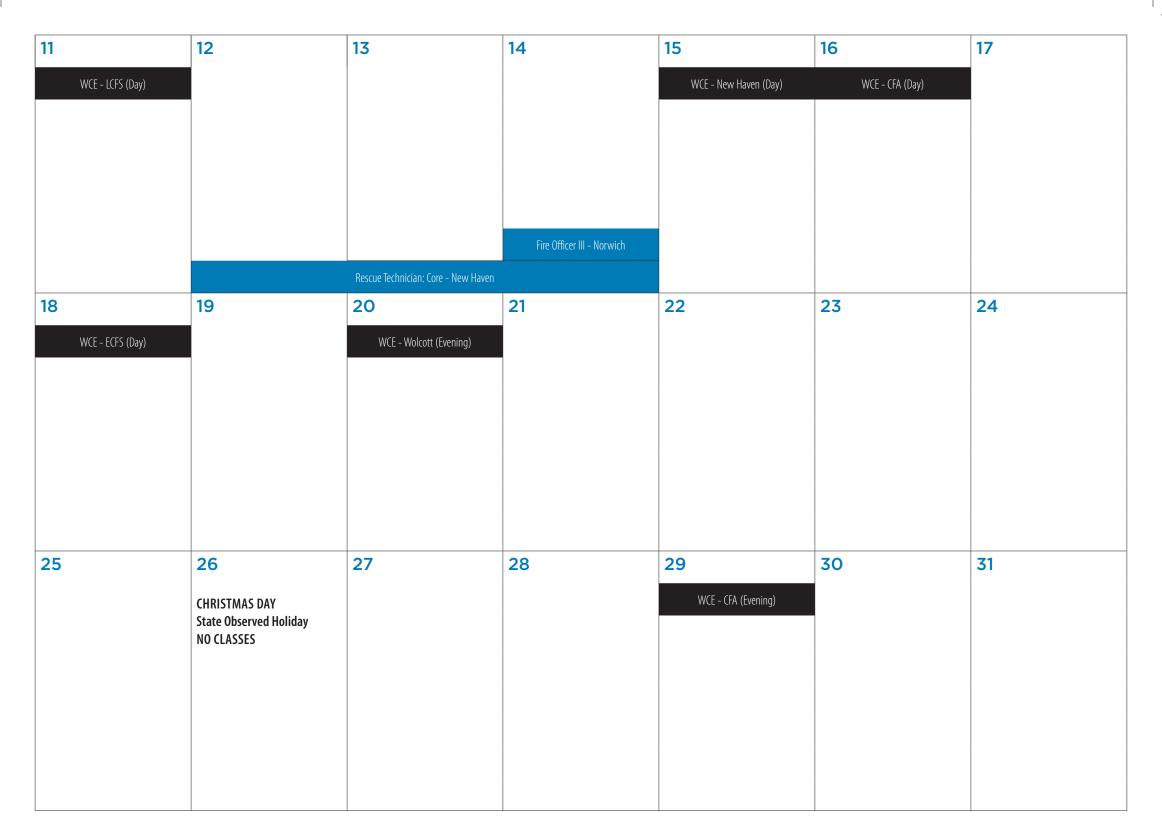
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		Rescue Technician: Core – New Haven				



CERTIFIED: Course addresses National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Professional Qualification System Standards for certification; additional examination required.

Certification examination reference materials may be found at <u>www.ct.gov/</u> <u>cfpc</u> 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.

Maximum class size: 16

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: \$320.00

# 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.

Maximum class size: 20

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: \$100.00

### **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.

Maximum class size: 20

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

Class Hours: 16

Course Fee: \$100.00

# Pump Operator

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. Full protective clothing (No SCBA) is required.

Maximum class size: 20

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: \$320.00

### **Q** 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 make arrangements 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.

Maximum class size: 24

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

#### Class Hours: 32

Course Fee: \$275.00

# Tanker Shuttle Operations

This course is designed to make the student aware of the importance of pre-planning 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.

Maximum class size: 20

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

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 during the 2022 calendar year. The course will remain as 16 hours either spent in a exclusively in a classroom (2 full days) or students can select a hybrid version where 7 hours will be completed online with access to CAPCE approved topics and 9 hours will be spent in the classroom (Day 2). 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 (Traditional) or 8 (Hybrid)

Course Fee: \$200.00

# **Emergency Medical Technician Refresher**

CFA will continue to use the term "EMT Refresher" but CT OEMS now referes to this class as EMT NCCP (Emergency Medical Technician National Continued Competency Program). As in the past, the class will follow the NREMT guidelines by having three categories of learning. OEMS has eliminated the state written exam and students will follow the NREMT guidelines for logging their continued medical education hours and classes whether nationally registered or not. BLS Healthcare provider CPR will continue to be offered as part of the re-certification.

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 additional 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 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 rectification information.

Training Prerequisite: EMT

Class Hours: 40 (Traditional) or 16 (Hybrid)

Course Fee: \$275.00

# Stop The Bleed

This program is designed for lay rescuers and civilians with little or no medical experience and is a collaborative effort by several organizations including The Hartford Consensus, The American College of Surgeons Committee on Trauma, The National Association of Emergency Medical Technicians and The Committee on Tactical Combat Casualty Care. The focus of this 2-hour program is three-fold:

-Knowing the immediate response to bleeding

-Recognizing life-threatening bleeding

-Practicing different techniques for stopping bleeding

The course involves didactic and practical learning including use of direct

pressure and tourniquets to stop bleeding and different hemostatic agents used to stop bleeding At the completion of the course, students will be issued a Stop the Bleed certificate.

Maximum class size: 24

Class Hours: 2

Course Fee: Free

Additional EMS training is available upon request including EMR-Initial classes, CPR/First Aide, FF Rehab, Introduction to Human Trafficking and Stop the Bleed. We can tailor our classes to fit your needs.

# **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 length, including exercises in the fire command simulator.

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.

Certification Exam Prerequisites: Certified Fire Service Instructor I.

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

Class Hours: 144

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: Certified Fire Service Instructor I.

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

Class Hours: 96 Course Fee: \$440.00 Fire Marshal Credit: 33

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 Prerequisites: 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: 56

Fire Marshal Credit: 45

Course Fee: \$410.00

# 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.

Fire Marshal Credit: 32

Class Hours: 48

# 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 a 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 Health and Safety Officer, 2nd 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, 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 Fire Marshal Credit: 12

Class Hours: 16 Course Fee: \$65.00

# Recruit Firefighter

The Recruit Firefighter program is a 70 day, 14-week, residential course that focuses on developing the knowledge, skills, and abilities needed for a new firefighter to perform entry-level tasks under direct supervision. The training

program consists of both theory and practical skills development, and is delivered on an incremental basis to promote the maximum retention of job knowledge, skill competency, and safe practices. The recruit will establish a strong will for teamwork, company morale, self-discipline, orderliness, precision, and conduct necessary to be a firefighter. At the conclusion of this course, the recruit firefighter will be tested to the Firefighter I and Firefighter II and Hazardous Materials — First Responder Awareness, Operational and WMD standard.

Course Curriculum: The course covers a broad range of topics that today's firefighter faces on a daily basis, and includes a complete curriculum to encompass Firefighter I and II based on the NFPA 1001 — Firefighter Professional Qualifications and NFPA 472 — Standard of Competence for Hazardous Materials/Weapons of Mass Destruction. In addition, Recruits will experience and train on Health, Wellness, and Fitness, Cultural Diversity, Employee Assistance Programming, Response and Size-up/Fireground Decision Making, Thermal Imaging for the Fire Service, Basic Pump Operations, Basic Aerial Operations, Introduction to Fire Investigation, Elevator Rescue, Confined Space Rescue, Handling Utility Emergencies, Courage to be Safe, Fireground Survival, Rapid Intervention Teams, Rescue Awareness (NFPA 1670) and Rescue Core (NFPA 1006).

Enrollment: Students who have a current Fire Service employment offer will be given preference, and any other students will be served on a "space-available" basis. If the capped enrollment has been reached, those students whose applications would have exceeded the class size limitation will be given preference in the next scheduled class. There are two (2) classes held per year, one each in the spring and fall.

VA Approval: The Recruit Firefighter training program at the Connecticut Fire Academy has been approved for veteran education benefits.

PPE Requirement: Full NFPA 1971 compliant Personal Protective Equipment and SCBA with 2 spare cylinders.

Training Prerequisites: Training prerequisites and a complete program description are available on the Connecticut Fire Academy web site approximately one month prior to the scheduled start of the recruit class.

Additional Prerequisites:

Must have a valid CPAT card within two (2) years prior to the scheduled Recruit Class start date.

Proof of meeting the respective Fire Department's medical and physical fitness requirements.

Class Hours: 70 Days – nearly 700 hours of comprehensive training.

Course Fee: \$6,685.00 (for Spring class) \$7085.00 (for Fall class)

Course fee includes tuition, student manuals, lodging, breakfast, lunch and dinner.

#### SCBA Maze

This one-day course will serve as a refresher and a confidence builder for those who are 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 movable cameras.

#### Maximum class size: 20

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

Class Hours: 8

Course Fee: \$ 75.00

#### HAZARDOUS MATERIALS PROGRAMS

Hazardous Materials courses provided by the Commission on Fire Prevention and Control are delivered with assistance from the State Emergency Response Commission and the United States Department of Transportation, Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration.

The Connecticut Fire Academy can provide Hazardous Materials training courses upon request. We can also customize training to meet specific department needs.

### **PUBLIC EDUCATION PROGRAMS**

### **BullEx Smart Stove Prop**

The BullEx Smart Stove Prop is a simulator designed to teach various audiences the proper actions to take for a fire in the oven or on the stovetop. The simulator uses a non-toxic smoke and a fire extinguisher prop that uses lasers to determine if the student is using it properly to extinguish the fire. The simulator is reusable for multiple evolutions of training. Although oven and stovetop fires and extinguisher use are the main lessons of the prop other public education messages can be outlined as well. For example; Notifying the Fire Department, proper reaction to smoke detectors, proper storage of combustibles in the stove area and other basic fire safety messages are easy to adapt to the use of the unit.

To reserve the prop, contact Alan Zygmunt, Program Manager at (860) 264–9222 or at alan.zygmunt@ct.gov . Be sure to include the date and time of your event as well as contact information. Allow at least 30 days' notice to ensure that the prop will be available for use.

Fee: No Charge

# 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, man-made 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: Jones and Bartlett Media Relations for Public Safety Professionals by Leo M. Brown.

Class Hours: 16 Course Fee: \$165.00 Fire Marshal Credit: 8

# 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 exam. Class Hours: 16 Fire Marshal Credit: 16

Course Fee: \$100.00

**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.

# Advanced Vehicle Extrication

This two-day program is designed to provide the experienced student with realistic scenarios involving different problematic extrications. The objectives of this course are to provide the student an environment to implement an incident management system at motor vehicle incidents, along with contemporary extrication and stabilization techniques. Vehicles will be in compromising positions providing students with challenging scenarios.

Full protective clothing or jumpsuit, gloves, helmet and eye protection (no SCBA) is required.

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

Maximum class size: 20 Course Fee: \$330.00 Class Hours: 16

# **Cold Water Rescue**

This course is designed for first responders operating at the scene of a cold water or ice rescue. Topics covered include: pre-planning, risk assessment, ice types and how they form, hypothermia, cold water drowning, incident size-up, water rescue equipment, and rescue operations. Participants will perform simulated water and ice (if available) rescues using cold water entry suits and associated equipment.

Training Prerequisites: None

Class Hours: 16

Course Fee: \$90.00

### Rescue Technician – Confined Space

This six-day course meets the requirements of Chapter 7, Levels I and II of the NFPA 1006 Standard for Technical Rescuer 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.

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 written exam.

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

### **Rescue Technician** – Core

This course is designed to meet the job performance requirements in Chapter 5 of NFPA 1006 Rescue Technician. Students will learn the basics of site operations, size-up, resource management, hazard/risk assessment, and incident management as it relates to the rescue environment. Students will also learn the skills required to use rope rescue equipment to manage victims, anchor-rope systems, and build and operate lowering and hauling systems in a low angle environment. Students will be trained to inspect and maintain ropes and related rescue equipment.

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.

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



This seven-day course meets the requirements of Chapter 6, Levels I and II of the NFPA 1006 Standard for Technical Rescuer Professional Qualifications-2013 Edition. The training will focus on rescue situations in the high-angle environment, where students will identify and construct anchoring systems, rappel and belay lines, lowering and hauling mechanical advantage systems, and tensioned highlines.

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 Technician Core.

Certification Examination Prerequisite: Rescue Technician 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

#### GERTIFIED Rescue Technician – Trench

This six-day course meets the requirements of Chapter 8, Levels I and II of the NFPA 1006 Standard for Technical Rescuer Professional Qualifications-2013 Edition and OSHA 1926. This course will train the students to perform technician level trench rescue where they will evaluate trenches, soil conditions and will shore unprotected straight and intersecting trenches with a focus on pneumatic shoring. Students will also develop action plans to manage and remove a victim from a trench accident.

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

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

Required Text: Jones & Bartlett, Trench Rescue Principles and Practices to NFPA1006 & 1670, 3rd edition.

Optional Text: Trench Rescue Operational Field Guide

Certification Examination Prerequisite: Rescue Technician 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 Technician – Vehicle

This five-day course meets the requirements of Chapter 10, Levels I and II of the NFPA 1006 Standard for Technical Rescuer 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 wear, extrication gloves, eye protection, hard hat with chin strap or tech rescue helmet, ankle height footwear. No Shorts.

Training Prerequisites: Rescue Technician – Core

Required Text: IFSTA Principles of Vehicle Extrication 4th Edition

Certification Examination Prerequisite: Rescue Technician – 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**

# **Fire Protection Systems**

Firefighters, Officers, Inspector's and Fire Marshal's will get a thorough review of the operation of various Fire Protection System's including: Wet Systems, Dry Systems, Pre-action Systems, Gaseous Systems, Standpipe Systems, Fire Pumps /Water Supplies, etc. Class will explain when and why these systems are installed. Class will attempt to make sense out of the Building Code and NFPA requirements, Basic system operation and support operations will also be discussed. Students will have the availability to influence those that design and specify these systems, in order that we may create "firefighter friendly" systems.

Class Hours: 8 Course Fee: FREE

#### Fire Marshal Credits: 8

# F0762 – New Fire Chief III: Contemporary Issues

This course will develop the managerial skills, leadership skills, and Contemporary issues and awareness necessary for new to newly appointed or elected fire chiefs to effectively meet their obligations. The course will help to develop knowledge, skills, and attitudes necessary for them to perform effectively now and in the future.

Class Hours: 16

Fire Marshal Credit: 16

Course Fee: \$65.00

#### F0195 – Campus Fire and Life Safety III: Codes and Systems

This course will empower the learner to identify and mitigate common campus fire and life safety risks as well as understanding the basic components and operation of fire protection and life safety systems.

Class Hours: 16

Fire Marshal Credit: 16

Course Fee: \$65.00

### IRTB – Incident Response to Terrorist Bombing

The IRTB course provides first responders with the knowledge and skills necessary to safely respond to terrorist incidents involving explosives. The IRTB course focuses on first responder health and safety by addressing personal protection issues that arise when responding to terror incidents involving commercial and homemade explosive. Additionally, the course includes information on the recognition of Improvised Explosive Devices (IEDs); terrorist organizations, both foreign and domestic; and lessons learned from past terrorist incidents. This information better prepares first responders to safely recognize and respond to terrorist bombing threats.

Class Hours: 8

Fire Marshal Credit: 8

Course Fee: No Charge

#### HME - Homemade Explosives: Awareness, Recognition and Response

The HME course provides first responders with information on general explosive characteristics and hazards, homemade explosive precursor materials, homemade explosive manufacturing indicators, and Improvised Explosive Device (IED) components. Additionally, the course teaches first responders how to identify a homemade explosive laboratory and how to establish scene safety and security in such an incident. First responders are also presented information regarding community awareness and education programs related to homemade explosives. This information better prepares first responders to recognize hazards associated with homemade explosives during response operations.

Class Hours: 8

Fire Marshal Credit: 8

Course Fee: No Charge

### MPRBI – Medical Preparedness and Response to Bombing Incidents

This MPRBI course introduces first responders who may be involved in the medical response to an explosive incident to real-world event case studies and research-based information designed to enhance the medical preparedness for and response to blast effects. This course includes a management and planning-level section focused on pre-incident indicators of bombing incidents, bombing incident scene safety and security, and resource management for bombing incidents. The course also includes a performance-level section focused on bombing incident injury patterns and treatment; managing the medical response for bombing incidents; and the planning, training, and exercise cycle for bombing incidents.

Class Hours: 16

Fire Marshal Credit: 4

Course Fee: No Charge

#### Fire inspection Principles 2: Inspection of Structures and Systems.

This six-day course introduces the student to the fundamental methodology for application of the requirements for fire protection systems including detection, notification, fire control and extinguishment, and mitigation of fire-related hazards, with special emphasis on fire alarm and fire suppression systems.

Although it contains many of the basic principles of code enforcement, more experienced code inspectors and officials might find it useful as a review of essential methodologies and an update to current code enforcement applications. It is not the intent of this course to present specific code requirements, however it focuses more on the methodology of the use of these requirements.

Fire Inspection Principles I: Life and the Built Environment (R0390) is intended to provide additional material on the code applications to fire and life safety requirements as an extension of material presented in this course.

Class Hours: 48

Fire Marshal Credit: 48

Course Fee: \$120.00

#### CHANGES TO WRITTEN CERTIFICATION EXAM SCHEDULING

Certification testing will continue using the same system as in 2021. Written exam dates will be scheduled at various locations and dates each month. 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	34 Perimeter Rd	Windsor Locks, CT					
Danbury Fire Department	23 Plumtrees Rd	Danbury, CT					
Eastern CT Fire School	1 Fire School Rd	Willimantic, CT					
Fairfield Regional Fire School	205 Richard White Way	Fairfield, CT					
Litchfield Country Fire School	606 Burr Mountain Rd	Torrington, CT					
New Haven Fire School	230 Ella Grasso Tpk	New Haven, CT					
Wolcott Regional Fire School	777 Boundline Rd	Wolcott, CT					

# 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 more than 345 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; Lieutenant 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 2022 CSFA Fallen Firefighters Memorial Ceremony is scheduled for Sunday, September 25, 2022. 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 Bravest.

To make a donation to the Connecticut Fallen Firefighter Memorial or to purchase a walkway brick, go to www.ct.gov/cfpc and click on Fallen Firefighter Memorial in the center of the page.

#### CPAT (All testing done at CPAT Center Meriden, CT)

#### **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 and 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 are 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 applicants must be registered at least two (2) days prior to the start of the testing cycle. 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 5-day CPAT testing fee is \$175.00 for in-state candidates and \$200.00 for out-of-state candidates. Registered candidates who wish to withdraw from the CPAT testing process, prior to the first orientation, must do so via email to support@ct.gov at least two (2) days prior to the start of the testing cycle. Refunds will be issued through SABA, minus a \$50.00 processing fee. No refunds will be considered after the candidates first orientation day. The CPAT Special Sessions, (a.k.a. One and Done Sessions) are offered on an as needed basis throughout the year and are advertised on CT Listserv. These are strictly CPAT test days and are intended for those candidates who have already participated in a CPAT test and want to maintain a current CPAT card. The cost for these test days are \$ 125 for in-state candidates and \$150.00 for out-of-state candidates. Registered candidates who wish to withdraw from the CPAT Special Sessions, must do so via email to support@ct.gov at least two (2) days prior to the assigned testing day. Refunds will be issued through SABA, minus a \$50.00 processing fee.

#### CPAT Cancellations by the Connecticut Fire Academy

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 this number 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.

CPAT Spring Registration starts: Feb. 1

CPAT Spring Registration ends: Feb. 24

CPAT Special Sessions: May 15, May 19

#### 2022 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 support@ct.gov.

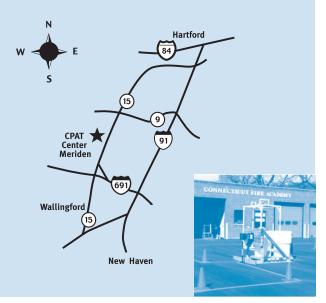
## Watch the CFA website for future information regarding online registration for CPAT.

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





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**CONNECTICUT STATE FIREFIGHTERS ASSOCIATION** 

#### 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 860-627-6363.

Candidates must meet all prerequisites prior to applying for examination

#### 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 7-323l 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.

As of November 2021								
NFPA Standard	Certification Title	Prerequisite						
1001 2019 Edition	Firefighter I	Member of a Connecticut Fire Department						
1001 2019 Edition	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						

1006 2013 Edition	Rescue Technician- Rope I/II	Connecticut Rescue Technician Core
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	Fire and Life Safety Educator II	Fire and Life Safety Educator I
1035 2015 Edition	Youth Firesetter Intervention Specialist	Direct Entry
1035 2015 Edition	Youth Firesetter Program Manager	Youth Firesetter Intervention Specialist
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/WMD	29 CFR 1910.134
1072 2017 Edition	Hazardous Materials Operations/WMD	29 CFR 1910.134
1072 2017 Edition	Hazardous Materials Technician	29 CFR 1910.134 and Haz-Mat Operations
1072 2017 Edition	Hazardous Materials Incident Commander	Hazardous Materials Awareness and Operations
1091 2015 Edition	Traffic Control Incident Management	Direct Entry
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

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 all candidates for certification be 18 years of age at the time of the examination and that candidates for certification be a member of a fire department with the exception of Public Fire and Life Safety Educator I, Youth Firesetter, Intervention Specialist I and Health and Safety Officer, which allow direct entry into those levels.

#### **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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COURSE TITLE	DATES	LOCATION	FEES	COURSE NUMBER	HOURS	TRAINING PREREQUISITE	CERTIFICATION PREREQUISITE	FIRE MARSHAL CREDITS
ADVANCED VEHICLE EXTRICATION	APR 2 , 3	FAIRFIELD	\$330.00	22200	16	FIREFIGHTER II	N/A	
ADVANCED VEHICLE EXTRICATION	JUN 1, 2	DANBURY	\$330.00	22201				
AERIAL OPERATOR	MAR 12, 13, 19, 20, 26, 27	SHELTON	\$320.00	22202	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 17-19, 24-26	MASHANTUCKET	\$320.00	22203				
AERIAL OPERATOR (NIGHTS AND WEEKENDS)	SEP 13 (NIGHT), 15 (NIGHT), 17, 20 (NIGHT), 22 (NIGHT), 24, 27 (NIGHT), 29 (NIGHT), 0CT 1	ENFIELD	\$320.00	23000				
AERIAL OPERATOR	OCT 1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16	OLD LYME	\$320.00	23001				
AERIAL STRATEGY & TACTICS	APR 23, 24	BOZRAH	\$100.00	22204	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 & TACTICS	MAY 25, 26	NORWICH	\$100.00	22205				
BASIC PUMP OPERATION	MAR 26, 27	SOMERS	\$100.00	22206	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	MAY 17, 18	MIDDLETOWN	\$100.00	22207				
BUILDING CONSTRUCTION	FEB 26, 27	WOLCOTT	\$65.00	22208	16	NONE	N/A	12
BUILDING CONSTRUCTION	SEP 6, 7	CFA	\$65.00	23002				
COLD WATER RESCUE	FEB 5, 6	NORWICH	\$90.00	22209	16	NONE	N/A	
COLD WATER RESCUE	FEB 19, 20	THOMPSON	\$90.00	22210				
CONNECTICUT FIRE OFFICER WEEKEND	APR 1-3	EMMITSBURG, MD	\$165.00	TBD	16			
EMR REFRESHER	MAR 9, 10 (TRADITIONAL) MAR 10 (HYBRID)	CFA	\$200.00	22212 22255 (HYBRID)	16 OR 8	EMR		

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EMR REFRESHER	MAY 10,11 (TRADITIONAL) MAY 11 (HYBRID)	CFA	\$200.00	22213 22256 (HYBRID)				
EMR REFRESHER	SEP 8, 9 (TRADITIONAL) SEP 9 (HYBRID)	CFA	\$200.00	23003 23043 (HYBRID)				
EMR REFRESHER	NOV 9, 10 (TRADITIONAL) NOV 10 (HYBRID)	CFA	\$200.00	23004 23044 (HYBRID)				
EMT REFRESHER (TRADITIONAL)	MAR 1, 8, 15, 22, 29	CFA	\$275.00	22214	40 OR 16	EMT		
EMT REFRESHER (HYBRID)	MAR 23, 24	CFA	\$275.00	22215				
EMT REFRESHER (TRADITIONAL)	APR 23, 30, MAY 7, 14, 21	CFA	\$275.00	22216				
EMT REFRESHER (HYBRID)	MAY 17, 18	CFA	\$275.00	22217				
EMT REFRESHER (TRADITIONAL)	SEP 6, 13, 20, 27, OCT 4	CFA	\$275.00	23005				
EMT REFRESHER (HYBRID)	SEP 17, 18	CFA	\$275.00	23006				
FIRE OFFICER I	JAN 18, 20, 25, 27, FEB 1, 3, 8, 10, 15, 17, PCE FEB 22	ENFIELD	\$440.00	22218	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	FEB 5, 6, 19, 20, MAR 5, 6, 19, 20, APR 2, 3, PCE APR 9	BETHEL	\$440.00	22219				
FIRE OFFICER I - HYBRID	IN PERSON: SEP 12, 19, 26 OCT 3, 12, 17 ONLINE: SEP 14, 21, 28, OCT 5, PCE OCT 24	WEST HARTFORD	\$440.00	23007				
FIRE OFFICER I - HYBRID	IN PERSON: SEP 10, 17, 24, OCT 1, 8, 15 ONLINE: SEP 18, 25, OCT 2, 9, PCE OCT 22	NORWICH	\$440.00	23008				
FIRE OFFICER I & II	MAR 21, 23, 28, 30, APR 4, 6, 11, 13, 18, 20, 25, 27, May 2, 4, PCE May 9, 11	CROMWELL	N/C	22220	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 12, 13, 19, 20, 26, 27, MAR 5, 6, 12, 13, PCE MAR 19	WILLIMANTIC	\$385.00	22221	80	FIRE OFFICER I	FIRE OFFICER I AND FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	45
FIRE OFFICER II - HYBRID	IN PERSON: SEP 20, 27, OCT 4, 11, 18, 25 ONLINE: SEP 29, OCT 6, 13, 20, PCE OCT 27	FAIRFIELD	\$385.00	23009				
FIRE OFFICER III	SEP 7, 28, OCT 12, NOV 2, 23, DEC 14	NORWICH	\$375.00	23010	56	FIRE OFFICER II	FIRE OFFICER II	45
FIRE PROTECTION SYSTEMS	JAN 14, APR 5	FAIRFIELD, CFA	N/C	22186, 22187	8			8
FIRE SERVICE COLLEGE FAIR	0CT 15	CFA	N/C					

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FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	JAN 12, 19, 26, FEB 2, 9, PCE 16	NORTH HAVEN	\$430.00	22222	48	FIREFIGHTER II	FIREFIGHTER II OR CONTINUOUS MEMBER OF FIRE SERVICE SINCE PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1977	32
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	FEB 22, MAR 1, 8, 15, 22, PCE 29	WEST HARTFORD	\$430.00	22223				
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	APR 6 (NIGHT), 13 (NIGHT), 23, 27 (NIGHT), MAY 4 (NIGHT), 14, 18 (NIGHT), 25 (NIGHT), PCE JUN 4	FARMINGTON	\$430.00	22224				
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	APR 24, MAY 1, 15, 22, PCE JUN 5	WILLIMANTIC	\$430.00	22225				
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	SEP 18, 25, OCT 2, 9, 16, PCE 23	NEWTOWN	\$430.00	23012				
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	OCT 25, NOV 1, 8, 15, 22, PCE 29	NEW HAVEN	\$430.00	23013				
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR II	FEB 12, 26, MAR 12, 26, PCE APR 9	GRANBY	\$330.00	22226	40	FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR I	
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR II	MAR 11, 25, APR 8, 22, PCE MAY 6	STRATFORD	\$330.00	22227				
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR II	AUG 27, SEP 10, 24, OCT 8, PCE 22	MIDDLEFIELD	\$330.00	23014				
FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR III	JUN 1	BRANFORD	\$65.00	22228	8	FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR II	FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR II	
HEALTH & SAFETY OFFICER	JUN 15, 16, 17	NEW HAVEN	\$140.00	22229	24	NONE		
HEALTH & SAFETY OFFICER	NOV 12, 13, 19	GALES FERRY	\$140.00	23015				
INCIDENT SAFETY OFFICER - FIRE SUPPRESSION	APR 12, 13, 14	DANBURY	\$140.00	22230	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	OCT 19, 20, 21	BRIDGEPORT	\$140.00	23016				
INTRODUCTION TO THE FIRE SERVICE (14-15 YR OLDS)	JUL 11 - 16	CFA	\$850.00	23017	6 DAYS	AFFILIATED WITH FIRE DEPARTMENT		
INTRODUCTION TO THE FIRE SERVICE (16-17 YR OLDS)	AUG 1-6	CFA	\$850.00	23018				
ITTFS: ADVANCED SKILLS & CONCEPTS	AUG 15-20	CFA	\$850.00	23019	6 DAYS	GRADUATE OF ITTFS		
JUNE FIRE SCHOOL	JUN 6 - 11	CFA	VARIES			REQUIREMENTS PER CLASS		
NFA - NEW FIRE CHIEF: CONTEMPORARY ISSUES	MAY 14, 15	CFA	\$65.00	22232	16			16
NFA - CAMPUS FIRE AND LIFE SAFETY III: CODES AND SYSTEMS	SEP 22, 23	CFA	\$65.00	23020	16			16
NFA - FIRE INSPECTION PRINCIPLES 2: INSPECTION OF STRUCTURES AND SYSTEMS	MAY 2-7	CFA	\$120.00	22211				48
NEW MEXICO TECH - INCIDENT RESPONSE TO TERRORIST BOMBING	FEB 25	CFA	N/C	22233	8			8
NEW MEXICO TECH - MEDICAL PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE TO BOMBING INCIDENTS	JUN 2, 3	CFA	N/C	22234	16			4

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NEW MEXICO TECH - HOMEMADE EXPLOSIVES: AWARENESS, RECOGNITION AND RESPONSE	AUG 23	CFA	N/C	23021	8			8
PUBLIC FIRE & LIFE SAFETY EDUCATOR I	JAN 15, 16, 23, 30	THOMPSON	\$275.00	22235	32	DIRECT ENTRY	N/A	24
PUBLIC FIRE & LIFE SAFETY EDUCATOR I	SEP 8, 9, 15, 22	MIDDLEFIELD	\$275.00	23022				
PUBLIC FIRE & LIFE SAFETY EDUCATOR'S CONFERENCE	AUG 25	CFA	\$30.00	23023	8			
PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER	FEB 12, 13	BRIDGEPORT	\$165.00	22236	16	NONE	N/A	8
PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICER	NOV 8, 9	NEW HAVEN	\$165.00	23024				
PUMP OPERATOR	APR 11-13, 18-20	BRANFORD	\$320.00	22237	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	JUN 4, 5, 11, 12, 18, 19	WOLCOTT	\$320.00	22238				
PUMP OPERATOR	OCT 17-19, 24-26	ENFIELD	\$320.00	23025				
PUMP OPERATOR	NOV 5, 6, 12, 13, 19, 20	MIDDLEFIELD	\$320.00	23026				
Q ENDORSEMENT	APR 30, MAY 7, 14, 21	WATERFORD	\$275.00	22239				
Q ENDORSEMENT	SEP 9, 16, 23, 30	CFA	\$275.00	23027				
RECRUIT FIREFIGHTER (CLASS 69)	FEB 1 - MAY 25	CFA	\$6,685.00	22240	644	NONE	NONE	
RECRUIT FIREFIGHTER (CLASS 70)	AUG 29 - DEC 9 (TENTATIVE DATES)	CFA	\$7,085.00	23028				
RESCUE TECHNICIAN - CONFINED SPACE	MAR 15-17, 22-24, PCE 25	DANBURY	\$525.00	22241	56	RESCUE TECH CORE	CONNECTICUT RESCUE TECH CORE AND CURRENT EMR	
RESCUE TECHNICIAN - CONFINED SPACE	SEP 17, 18, 24, 25, OCT 1, 2, 8 PCE	ELLINGTON	\$525.00	23029				
RESCUE TECHNICIAN - CORE	APR 4-6, 11-13	WATERFORD	\$465.00	22242	48	FIREFIGHTER I, EMR AND HAZ MAT OPERATIONAL		
RESCUE TECHNICIAN - CORE	MAY 2-4, 9-11	BRANFORD	\$465.00	22243				

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RESCUE TECHNICIAN - CORE	MAY 21, 22, JUN 4, 5, 11, 12	SOMERS	\$465.00	22244				
RESCUE TECHNICIAN - CORE	JUL 30, 31, AUG 6, 7, 13, 14	SHELTON	\$465.00	23030				
RESCUE TECHNICIAN - CORE	OCT 22, 23, 29, 30, NOV 5, 6	OAKDALE	\$465.00	23031				
RESCUE TECHNICIAN - CORE	DEC 5-7, 12-14	NEW HAVEN	\$465.00	23032				
RESCUE TECHNICIAN - ROPE	APR 23, 24, 30, MAY 1, 7, 14, 15, PCE 21	DANBURY	\$600.00	22245	64	RESCUE TECH CORE	CONNECTICUT RESCUE TECH CORE	
RESCUE TECHNICIAN - ROPE	JUN 13-16, 20-22, PCE 23	ENFIELD	\$600.00	22246				
RESCUE TECHNICIAN - ROPE	OCT 4-7, 11-13, PCE 14	WEST HARTFORD	\$600.00	23033				
RESCUE TECHNICIAN - TRENCH	SEP 12-14, 19-21, PCE 22	STAMFORD	\$550.00	23034	56	RESCUE TECH CORE AND HAZ MAT OPERATIONAL	CONNECTICUT RESCUE TECH CORE	
RESCUE TECHNICIAN - VEHICLE	APR 18-20, 25, 26, PCE 27	STAMFORD	\$550.00	22247	48	RESCUE TECH CORE	CONNECTICUT RESCUE TECH CORE	
RESCUE TECHNICIAN - VEHICLE	JUN 11, 12, 18, 19, 25, PCE 26	WATERFORD	\$550.00	22248	48	RESCUE TECH CORE	CONNECTICUT RESCUE TECH CORE	
RESCUE TECHNICIAN - VEHICLE	OCT 18-20, 25, 26, PCE 27	WEST HARTFORD	\$550.00	23035	48	RESCUE TECH CORE	CONNECTICUT RESCUE TECH CORE	
SCBA MAZE	APR 7	MIDDLETOWN	\$75.00	22249	8			
SCBA MAZE	AUG 28	FAIRFIELD	\$75.00	23036				
STOP THE BLEED	JAN 12 1PM - 3 PM	CFA	N/C	22250	2	NONE	N/A	
STOP THE BLEED	APR 14 1PM - 3PM	CFA	N/C	22251				
STOP THE BLEED	SEP 15 9AM - 11AM	CFA	N/C	23037				
STOP THE BLEED	NOV 15 7PM - 9PM	CFA	N/C	23038				
STRATEGY & TACTICS - BREAD & BUTTER CALLS	NOV 5, 6	WOLCOTT	\$85.00	23039	16	NONE	N/A	
STRATEGY & TACTICS - EVERYDAY EMERGENCIES	MAY 14, 15	SOMERS	\$85.00	22252	16	NONE	N/A	
STRATEGY & TACTICS - FUNDAMENTALS	OCT 22, 23	OAKDALE	\$85.00	23040	16	NONE	N/A	
TANKER SHUTTLE OPERATIONS	JUN 25, 26	OAKDALE	\$110.00	22253	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	OCT 29, 30	WILTON	\$110.00	23041				
YOUTH FIRESETTER INTERVENTION SPECIALIST	MAR 2, 3	CFA	\$100.00	22254	16	DIRECT ENTRY	N/A	16
YOUTH FIRESETTER INTERVENTION SPECIALIST	SEP 10, 11	WEST THOMPSON	\$100.00	23042				

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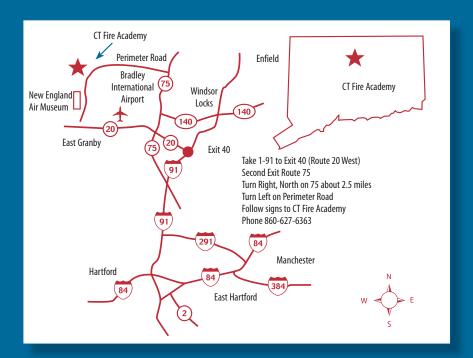
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#### WEATHER CANCELLATIONS

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.

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

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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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