

The Career Certificate (C.C.) in Firefighter provides students the opportunity to gain valuable hands-on experience in a state-of-the-art training facility.

Students also learn about communications, fire prevention and handling hazardous material emergencies, which fully prepares them for certification and employment as a firefighter in the state of Florida.

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<input type="checkbox"/> Contact the Fire Academy of the South for information session dates to be able to proceed with the application process.
<input type="checkbox"/> Satisfy the career certificate graduation requirements.

Career Options

You will attain the knowledge and skills needed for such career options as Firefighter.

Related Career Pathways include the following: Fire Inspector.

Note: If you are considering employment in a state other than Florida, please visit <https://www.fscj.edu/academics/license-disclose> to determine if this program will meet the selected state's requirements to sit for licensure or certification testing.

Application Procedure

This is a Limited Access program. Students must follow the application procedure outlined in the current College Catalog.

Advising

(904) 997-4919 or firefighter@fscj.edu.

Sample Roadmap

This roadmap provides general guidance about required courses. For specific guidance about your individual academic degree plan, please see an advisor. Also refer to the College Catalog and class schedules for additional information. **This program is offered for full-time student enrollment.**

Note: Students may start FFP 0030 with a passing EMT grade but must have earned an EMT or Paramedic certification through the National Registry prior to starting FFP 0031.

Course 1

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Course: Course Title	Contact Hours	Weeks Per Course
<input type="checkbox"/>	FFP 0030: Fire Fighter I	191	12

Course 2

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Course: Course Title	Contact Hours	Weeks Per Course
<input type="checkbox"/>	FFP 0031: Fire Fighter II	301	19

Total Program Credit Hours

Students considering a Career Certificate in **Firefighter** should be aware that the program requires **492 contact/clock hours** that must be completed and documented. Students should also understand and accept the attendance requirements prior to enrolling in this career certificate program. This career certificate program **is not eligible** for financial aid.

Program Learning Outcomes

Upon completing this program, students will:

- Be qualified to take the state minimum standards written and practical examination as administered by the Bureau of Fire Standards and Training.

Related Industry Certifications

Upon completion of this program, students will be prepared for the following certifications or licenses:

- Firefighter