

FIREFIGHTER – I

CERTIFICATION EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS

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Mission College provides classes that meet the educational requirements for Firefighter I Certification as defined by the Office of the California State Fire Marshal. Mission College also provides a limited number of opportunities to complete the manipulative requirements for the Firefighter I Certification through a Firefighter Internship Program.

<u>EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS</u>		<u>Units</u>
FPT 051	Fire Protection Organization	3
FPT 052	Fire Behavior and Combustion (may be completed during the internship program)	3
FPT 057	Rescue Practices	3
FPR 060	Wildland Control Technology (may be completed during the internship program)	2.5
FPT 061	Fundamental of Fire Suppression	3

In addition to the Firefighter I Certification requirements listed above, the following classes are **required** * to enter the Internship Program offered by Mission College through the cooperating local fire departments.

<u>INTERNSHIP REQUIREMENTS</u>		<u>Units</u>
FPT 065*	Emergency Medical Technician (EMT)	6
FPT 065L*	Emergency Medical Technician Laboratory	1.5
FPT 065C*	Emergency Medical Technician 1 Clinical Experience	.50
PE 004D	Firefighter Physical Agility Training	2

*** MUST BE TAKEN CONCURRENTLY**

Manipulative experience required for completion of the Firefighter I Certification Program may be completed by any combination of the following that results a minimum 1100 hours of emergency service:

1. Six months as a paid full-time firefighter with a recognized fire agency.
2. Completion of volunteer training program and sufficient hours in emergency response to satisfy the State Fire Marshal's Firefighter 1 requirements.
3. Completion of 1100 hours of volunteer training program through the Mission College Internship program. Completion of the educational requirements for Firefighter I with a grade of "C" or better in each class, qualifies a student to apply for this Internship Program. The Internship Program requires a commitment of one-24 hour period per week for one full year. Students in the Internship may earn units while enrolled in the program.

ONLY COURSES COMPLETED WITH A GRADE OF "C" OR BETTER MAY BE USED TO SATISFY REQUIREMENTS FOR A CERTIFICATE.

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