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**City College of San Francisco**  
Fire Science Technology  
**Firefighter 1 Basic Fire Academy**  
Minimum Requirements/Prerequisites  
Effective Spring 2016 semester

**General Information:**

The City College of San Francisco Fire Fighter One Academy is taught under the Certification of the California State Fire Marshal Office of State Fire Training. The course meets the currently effective California State Fire Marshal Office of State Fire Training Firefighter One Curriculums.

The course is taught Tuesday and Thursday evenings, 1800-2200 hours, and all day Saturday, 0800-1800 hours. Additional hours may be scheduled as necessary. The Fire Academy is taught in the fall and spring semesters only. The Fire Academy program is headquartered at the Airport Campus of CCSF.

**Requirements:**

1. Currently enrolled in CCSF
2. GPA 2.0 minimum

**Prerequisites: (with a "C" or higher)**

1. FSC50-Introduction to Fire Science Technology
2. Fire Science 17 (Public Safety-Emergency Medical Responder) or EMT.
3. F SC 55 Wildland Fire Control
4. F SC 62 Rescue Practices
5. PE 29 Firefighter and Public Safety Conditioning Course
  - a. Effective Fall 2015 semester, CPAT will no longer be accepted in lieu of PE29.
6. Proof of a current Physical/Medical release from your physician must be presented on the first night of class. This must be within one month of the start of the academy. A CCSF Fire Academy Medical Form will be provided.

Proof of successful completion and certification must be presented the first night of class. Failure to meet the requirements listed above will cause one to be dropped from the Fire Academy the first night of class.

**Advisory** - It is *recommended* to have completed other core courses:

- FSC 52A- Fire Protection Equipment and Systems
- FSC 57- Firefighter Safety
- FSC 61A- Fundamentals of Fire Prevention
- FSC64 -Fire Behavior and Combustion

**Please note the following additional items:**

1. Course registration will be based on the normal registration process at CCSF.
2. Students who successfully enroll in FSC 111 must attend the first class meeting and a mandatory pre-academy meeting. One will be dropped for

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non-attendance. There are no exceptions! Roll Call will be taken at 1800 hours the first night of class, and a student not present for Roll Call will be dropped from the Fire Academy class, and replaced with a student on the waiting list.

3. Wait lists for FSC 111 will be based on Admissions and Records wait list policy. You must show written proof of your registration date/time if trying to add the first night of class.
4. A current email address must be provided at time of registration. Important information regarding CCSF Fire Academy (Course syllabus, Student Handbook, clothing requirements, etc) will be sent to you before the semester begins.
5. Additional course fees: Approximately \$500 for uniform and Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) requirements, and mandatory academy uniform; approximately \$25 each for certificates in Auto Extrication, HazMat Ops, Confined Space Awareness and S190 Wildland Firefighter Training.
6. Fire academy students will also be required to enroll in a one-unit course of FSC105-Work Experience. This requirement is explained the first night of the academy each semester.

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