

Crafton Hills College
Certificate of Achievement

FIREFIGHTER I BASIC TRAINING ACADEMY

2013-2014

Student Name: _____

ID #: _____

Date: _____

Counselor: _____

The objective of this certificate is develop the skills required for Firefighter I Certification and to develop the teamwork skills, attitudes and public service commitment necessary for employment in the fire service. Completion of this certificate may lead to entry-level employment as a firefighter in the public or private sectors. The Firefighter I Basic Training Academy is approved by the California State Fire Marshal's Office as an accredited Regional Training Center.

A student receiving a certificate in this field will be able to:

- Participate successfully in a culturally diverse environment
- Develop effective interpersonal communication skills
- Solve problems and make decisions inherent to the profession

Certificate Requirements:

Students intending to earn a certificate from Crafton Hills College must complete no less than 50 percent of the courses required for the certificate in residence at Crafton Hills College and must earn a "C" or better in all coursework required as a part of the certificate.

Admission: Open to all students who have completed the prerequisite courses. Registration is limited to class size restrictions. Contact the Fire Technology Program for application materials.

PREREQUISITE Courses:		Units	IP	Need	Grade
FIRET 100	Fire Protection Organization	3			
FIRET 101	Fire Prevention Technology	3			
Total Prerequisite Units:		6			

Other PREREQUISITES:

- EMT-I Emergency Medical Technician I certification. (Applicants must provide current National Registry card or local EMSA card.)
- Completion of either a "CPAT" (Candidate Physical Ability Test) or the Biddle Physical Agility Test within four months prior to the first day of the academy.
- Completion of the Crafton Hills College assessment test (Note: A degree is accepted in lieu of assessment test results.)
- Completed Medical Clearance for Firefighters.
- Successful interview with the Academy Chief prior to acceptance into the Fire Academy

Admission to the Fire Academy will be based on a point system.	
Applicants earn points for each of the following:	
1 Point	Completed application delivered to the Crafton Hills College Fire Technology department two months prior to the start date of the Fire Academy.
1 Point	Successful completion of FIRET 116, Building Construction for Fire Protection or the equivalent.
1 Point	Successful completion of FIRET 103, Fire Protection Systems or the equivalent.
1 Point	Successful completion of FIRET 102, Fire Behavior and Combustion or the equivalent.
1 Point	Successful completion of FIRET 114, Fire and Emergency Services Safety and Survival or the equivalent.
5 Points	Successful completion of AS degree in Fire Technology.
10 Points	Successful interview with the Academy Chief.
Recommended Courses	ENGL 101 or ENGL 101H – Freshman Composition (4 Units)
	FIRET 902 – Firefighter Physical Agility Preparation (2.5 Units)
	MATH 090 – Elementary Algebra (4 Units)

Completion of the following 16 units qualifies the student for the Firefighter I Basic Training Academy Certificate. A minimum grade of "C" must be maintained in all required coursework to remain in the Fire Academy and to receive the Firefighter I Basic Training Academy Certificate. NOTE: A "C" or better in these courses is considered be 80% or higher.

REQUIRED Courses:		Units	IP	Need	Grade
FIRET 049	Basic Firefighter Physical Fitness	2			
FIRET 115	Firefighter I Basic Training Academy	14			
Total Required Units:		16			