

EVCC CAREER PATHWAYS Firefighter Academy (Fire Fighting Basic Techniques)

Career Cluster:

FIREFIGHTER ACADEMY

[FIRE 100](#) is scheduled as a 15-week evening and weekend class during Fall Quarter, and as a 12-week evening and weekend class during Spring Quarter.

Basic fire fighting skills include orientation and safety, introduction to the history of fire departments and today's fire service as a career, fundamentals of fire behavior, building construction, personal protective equipment, department communication, extinguishers, water supply, fire stream, fire hose, ropes and knots, ground ladders, fire control, ventilation, rescue and extrication, loss control, fire detection, alarms and suppression systems, hazardous materials, and fire prevention/public education. Special emphasis on safety and how it relates to fire fighting. Three class sessions will be held at the North Bend Fire Academy. Live Fire training will include Burn to Learn, Search & Rescue and Flammable Liquids 4, which meets NFPA 1001. Recruits will obtain Haz-Mat Awareness and Operations certification which meets NFPA 472. Successful students will be qualified to take the state Fire Fighter I & II, Haz-Mat Awareness and Operations written and practical exams.

CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

Courses are connected to and articulated with high schools via Tech Prep credit. Click below on your school district to locate a list of articulated class options.

[Edmonds School District](#)

[Sno-Isle Tech](#)

Stanwood/Camano School District - Contact your Counselor

Course applicants must be at least 18 years of age, in good physical condition with an emphasis on manual dexterity, strength and endurance. The ability to read, write and interpret the English language is a priority. Communication and organizational skills are essential. Attendance at the mandatory orientation session and Instructor's permission are required.

Special requirements: Applicants must complete a Respiratory/Medical questionnaire. Applicants will apply with (NTN) National Testing Network and pass the Ergometrics test with a cumulative score of 75% and pass the (CPAT) Candidate Physical Ability Test as part of the application process. Go to www.nationaltestingnetwork.com

APPLY TO FIRE SCIENCE PROGRAM

[Firefighter Academy Application](#)

EVCC ADMISSIONS OPTIONS

Students who have earned a high school diploma or GED or students over the age of 18 may apply to Everett Community College online. Alternative options are listed below. Remember,

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[Admission Application](#)

[English as a Second Language](#)

[Adult Basic Education](#)

[Youth Re-engagement](#)

[College in the High School](#)

[Running Start](#)

ATTEND AN INFORMATION SESSION

[Fire Science/EMT Information Sessions](#) are offered monthly. Attending one of these sessions will give you an overview of the Fire Science Program, the EMT and FIRE 100 course entry requirements, and advise you how to get started. We suggest you allow enough time before or after a session to visit the Financial Aid Office and other campus service offices for forms and information.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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FIRE 100- FIREFIGHTING ACADEMY

[Fire 100-Firefighting Academy](#) (22.5 credits) Recruits will obtain Haz-Mat Awareness and Operations certification which meets NFPA 472. Successful students will be qualified to take the state Fire Fighter I & II, Haz-Mat Awareness and Operations written and practical exams.

AAS-T DEGREE

[Associates in Applied Sciences Transfer \(AAS-T\) Degree in Fire Science](#) (90 credits) The AAS-T is transferable to Western Oregon University, toward a [Bachelor of Science in Fire Administration](#).

The Fire Science Program is approved for Financial Aid and Veterans benefits.

FIRE SERVICE MANAGEMENT AND ADMINISTRATION ATA DEGREE

The Associate in Technical Arts (ATA) degree in [Fire Service Management and Administration](#) (90 credits) is designed for advancement in the fire service.

CAREER AND EMPLOYMENT OPTIONS

Fire department employees have a wide range of responsibilities, including fire suppression, administration, inspection, supervision, fire prevention, hazardous materials response and emergency medical services. Job titles include Firefighter, Emergency Medical Technician, Ambulance Driver, Municipal Firefighter, Forest Firefighter

[O*NET Online](#)

[CareerOneStop](#)

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION GAINFUL EMPLOYMENT

For more information about EvCC graduation rates, the median debt of students who completed the program, and other important information, visit our website at www.everettcc.edu/GainfulEmployment