Sumter Career and Technology Center

Fire Fighting



- *Two year program
- *Hands-on learning
- *Technical information
- *Emergency preparedness
- *Extrication
- *OSHA certification
- *CPR certification

During the first year of study, students will learn the fundamentals of firefighting which include fire ground skills, fire behavior, fire extinguishers, persona; protective equipment, ladder, fire hose, and more. Successful completion of written and practical skills testing is required. Upon successful completion of written and skills testing, the student will receive international recognition as a Firefighter 1 by IFSAC. The second year of study allows students to complete the final level of the fire fighter training as recognized by the National Fire Protection Association and the International Fire Service Accreditation Congress.

Students will gain skills in CPR, first aid, incident command, hazmat operations and auto extrication. Upon successful completion of written and skills testing, the student will receive international recognition as a Firefighter II and medical first responder, and will be qualified at the OSHA hazmat operations level.

Tenth grade Sumter School District students who are interested in enrolling in this two year program for the 11th and 12th grade years, please contact your home high school guidance counselor.

Job Opportunities:

- ♦ Dispatcher
- ♦ EMT
- ♦ Firefighter
- ♦ Search and Rescue
- Emergency Preparedness Technician