

CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT

The Fire Fighting certificate is designed for students who desire to enter a career in a municipal, county or state fire department. The material is linked with the Nevada State Fire Marshal’s Nevada Firefighter I Certificate. Students are given the opportunity to take the Nevada and National Fire Protection Association’s Firefighter I didactic and practical test. Course material must be taken in sequence with all prerequisites being completed prior to testing with the State Fire Marshal’s Office.

The Fire Fighting certificate does not guarantee employment within any fire department in the State of Nevada. Students may be placed in a physically demanding environment designed to introduce the student to the job task and skills required to operate in the fire and emergency services.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES - Graduates of this program will have the opportunity to:

- Demonstrate donning of Hazardous Materials suits and self-contained breathing apparatus.
- Conduct a basic fire inspection.
- Conduct a basic fire investigation.
- Identify the working components of a fire protection system.
- Distinguish the different types of construction methods used in the building of various types of structures.
- Complete the State of Nevada Certification requirements in the following categories: Hazardous Materials Operations and Awareness, Fire Instructor I, Fire Officer I, and wildland fire-fighting red card certification.

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (6 Credits):

	CR	SEMESTER
COMMUNICATIONS: BUS 107 and COM 101	6	_____

SPECIAL PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS (28 Credits):

	CR	SEMESTER
FT 101 Principles of Emergency Services	3	_____
FT 104 Nevada Firefighter I	3	_____
FT 105 Fire Behavior and Combustion	3	_____
FT 109B Internship in Firefighting	1	_____
FT 110 Basic Wildland Firefighting	3	_____
FT 121 Fire Prevention	3	_____
FT 125 Building Construction for Fire Protection	3	_____
FT 150 Apparatus and Equipment	3	_____
FT 152B Legal Aspects of Emergency Services	3	_____
FT 154B Principles of Fire and Emergency Services Safety and Survival	3	_____

Computation included in FT 101

Human Relations included in FT 101

This degree was approved for fall 2014 early implementation but was not ready by deadline for inclusion in the 2014-2015 College Catalog.

NOTE: Courses with a B suffix (example - XYZ 123B) may be non-transferable for a NSHE baccalaureate degree.

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Total Credits

Students may elect to graduate using the degree requirements in effect at the time of matriculation, or when they declared or changed major or the current catalog. If a program is official after a student has matriculated, the student may choose the degree requirements of the new program. In no case may a student use a catalog which is more than six years old at the time of graduation.



Guided Pathway
Certificate of Achievement-Fire Fighting (CA)
Total Credits 35

First Semester	Requirement	Credit Hours	Term
COM 101	Communications	3	
FT 101	Emergency Services	3	
FT 104	Nevada Firefighter	3	
FT 105	Fire Behavior	3	
FT 109B	Internship	1	
	Total	13	
Second semester	Requirement	Credit Hours	Term
FT 110	Wildland Firefighting	4	
FT 121	Fire Prevention	3	
FT 125	Fire Protection	3	
FT 150	Apparatus and Equipment	3	
	Total	13	
Third Semester	Requirement	Credit Hours	Term
FT 152B	Legal Aspects	3	
FT 154B	Principles of Fire Safety	3	
BUS 107	Communications	3	
	Total	9	
	Degree Total	35	