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MISSISSIPPI TRAINEE AGILITY TEST (MSTAT)

Course Number	MSTAT
Course Hours:	1
Enrollment:	An Admission Application and payment is required for each MSTAT that the trainee attends. The sponsoring department will be billed after each test.
Maximum Enrollment:	30
Course Fee:	$30 Pre-Entry Requirement into a Mississippi Fire Personnel Minimum Standards and Certification Board NFPA 1001-I-II Fire Fighter Course. The trainee must present a pictured driver license or other government issue form of pictured identification showing candidate is a minimum 18 years of age.
Delivery Date:	MSTAT will be conducted monthly on the 1st (First) Wednesday. See MSFA website for location.
Prerequisite:	None
Other:	As per Minimum Standards and Certification Board requirement, once the fire fighter has successfully completed MSTAT, the trainee must begin the Fire Fighter 1001-I-II course within 365 days.

FIRE FIGHTER 1001-I-II

(State minimum Training Standards Course)

Course Number	CC 1001-2014	This Course Is Accredited by IFSAC and PROBOARD (MISSISSIPPI CODE #45-11-203) Meets or exceeds NFPA 1001)		
Course Hours:	280			
EMS CEU Hours:	48	Approved for EMS CEU by the Mississippi Bureau of Emergency Medical Services.		
Maximum Enrollment:	30			
Course Fees:	$500 - Group A	$1,185 - Group B		
	This course qualifies for funding through the Workforce Development program for Group A only.			
	Course fee includes all instruction, course material, manual, dorm, and meals. There is no reduction to the fee if any of the above are not needed.			
Delivery Date:	Delivery 1	January 3–February 17, 2022	Delivery 2	February 28–April 14, 2022
	Delivery 3	April 11–May 26, 2022	Delivery 4	August 1–September 22, 2022 (No class the week of Labor Day)
	Delivery 5	August 22–October 13, 2022	Delivery 6	October 24–December 15, 2022 (No class the week of Thanksgiving)
Certification Standard:	NFPA Fire Fighter 1001-I-II			

Course Description:

This course is designed to meet the uniform minimum training standards stated in Mississippi Code Section 45-11-203 and to meet or exceed the minimum standards of the National Fire Protection Association Fire Fighter Professional Qualification Standards 1001-I-II.

Daily classroom sessions include chapter presentations from Jones & Bartlett "Fundamentals of Fire Fighter Skills and Hazardous Materials Response."

In addition, daily hands-on activities are conducted in order to build skill and enhance knowledge gained. Near the end of the course, students participate in comprehensive activities which require team and individual efforts to accomplish the assigned "mission."

Selection Criteria:

Applicants must list hiring date on general admission application. Those who are still within their one-year requirement or second year extension as specified by the Minimum Standards and Certification Board will be given preference.

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Prerequisites: Successful completion of MSAT and the following eight documents must be on file with the Academy before a Fire Fighter 1001 Applicant will be registered for a class:

1. An MSFA General Admission Application for Fire Fighter 1001-I-II.
2. A copy of a pictured driver's license or other government issued form of pictured identification showing the student is a minimum of 18 years of age. A properly notarized copy of a birth certificate may be used as evidence of meeting this requirement. The driver's license must be legible and not expire during the course delivery.
3. A copy of a standard high school diploma or certificate of GED notarized by the issuing institution or school board. A letter indicating the student's name, social security number and graduation date, issued by the school board will also meet the requirement for this item. A copy of a student issued transcript from a community college or four-year university transcript will also suffice for meeting the minimum requirement of standard high school diploma or certificate of GED.
4. A copy of a current CPR card issued from American Heart Association, American Red Cross, or equivalent. The CPR card must be signed and valid during the course delivery.
5. A copy of a certificate or proof of meeting the requirements of the emergency medical care prerequisite knowledge requirement as set forth by the Board or one of the following as the Board, by precedence, has approved as meeting this requirement:
   A. Certificate of Completion for a Department of Transportation course on First Responder.
   B. National Registration as a First Responder through the National Registry of EMT's.
   C. National Registration as an Emergency Medical Technician - Basic, Emergency Medical Technician - Intermediate, or Emergency Medical Technician - Paramedic through the National Registry of EMT's.
   D. Certificate of Completion for a Department of Transportation or Department of Defense course on Emergency Medical Technician - Basic.
   E. Certificate from the Mississippi State Fire Academy indicating completion of the E-Med Course.
   F. Certificate of Completion from the Medic First Aid Course.
6. A copy of properly completed Physicians Medical Examination Report (MSCB Form 4) valid for one year but must be valid from date of exam during all days of the scheduled delivery.
7. A copy of the Mississippi Training Agility Test Evaluation Form from the Mississippi State Fire Academy indicating successful completion.
8. Hazardous Materials Awareness and Operations IFSAC Certification

Testing: Examinations will be administered throughout the program. Students are encouraged to strive to make their best scores throughout the course. The course includes a number of fire related topics requiring the successful completion of written and practical skill exams. The student must pass with 70% in both written and skills tests to graduate the 1001 program. Testing will require the student to pass each level (Level I and Level II of NFPA 1001).

Other: Admission applications for Fire Fighter 1001 will be held until the applicant meets all prerequisites listed above and all documents have been submitted to the admissions office before being registered in a Fire Fighter 1001 class. Should a student pre-registered for this course not show up prior to course start date, the entire course fee will be due ($500). If cancellation is necessary, please cancel at a minimum of two (2) weeks prior to course start date. The Academy is designated by the Department of Veterans Affairs as a NCD (Non-College Degree) school. Funding for Fire Fighter 1001-I-II is eligible for VA educational assistance benefits for eligible students.
Students are required to provide protective clothing which meets NFPA standards. Night classes will be conducted, and weekend assignments may be issued.

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FIRE FIGHTER 1001-I-II: FIELD COURSE

Course Number: CC 1001-2014-F **This Course Is Accredited by IFSAC and PROBOARD.**
Meets requirement set forth by NFPA 1001

Course Hours: NFPA 1001-I-II: 280 NFPA 1072: 40

EMS CEU Hours: 48 Approved for EMS CEU by the Mississippi Bureau of Emergency Medical Services.

Maximum Enrollment: 15 Minimum Enrollment: 10

Course Fee: $500 - Group A Group B $1,185
This course qualifies for funding through the Workforce Development program for Group A only.

Does Not Include Manual: Jones & Bartlett Fundamentals of Firefighter Skills, 4th Edition

Date of Delivery: Can be delivered upon the Academy receiving all documents (signed contract) to conduct a field delivery program.

Prerequisites: Successful completion of MSAT and the following eight documents must be on file with the Academy before a Fire Fighter 1001 Applicant will be registered for a class:

1. An MSFA General Admission Application for Fire Fighter 1001-I-II.
2. A copy of a pictured driver's license or other government issued form of pictured identification showing the student is a minimum of 18 years of age. A properly notarized copy of a birth certificate may be used as evidence of meeting this requirement. The driver's license must be legible and not expire during the course delivery.
3. A copy of a standard high school diploma or certificate of GED notarized by the issuing institution or school board. A letter indicating the student's name, social security number and graduation date, issued by the school board will also meet the requirement for this item. A copy of a student issued transcript from a community college or four-year university transcript will also suffice for meeting the minimum requirement of standard high school diploma or certificate of GED.
4. A copy of a current CPR card issued from American Heart Association, American Red Cross, or equivalent. The CPR card must be signed and valid during the course delivery.
5. A copy of a certificate or proof of meeting the requirements of the emergency medical care prerequisite knowledge requirement as set forth by the Board or one of the following as the Board, by precedence, has approved as meeting this requirement:
   A. Certificate of Completion for a Department of Transportation course on First Responder.
   B. National Registration as a First Responder through the National Registry of EMT's.
   C. National Registration as an Emergency Medical Technician - Basic, Emergency Medical Technician - Intermediate, or Emergency Medical Technician - Paramedic through the National Registry of EMT's.
   D. Certificate of Completion for a Department of Transportation or Department of Defense course on Emergency Medical Technician - Basic.
   E. Certificate from the Mississippi State Fire Academy indicating completion of the E-Med Course.
   F. Certificate of Completion from the Medic First Aid Course.
6. A copy of properly completed Physicians Medical Examination Report (MSCB Form 4) valid for one year but must be valid from date of exam during all days of the scheduled delivery.
7. A copy of the Mississippi Training Agility Test Evaluation Form from the Mississippi State Fire Academy indicating successful completion.
8. Hazardous Materials Awareness and Operations IFSAC Certification

Course Description: The Field Delivery is designed to allow the local fire department to deliver the course in a format similar to the on-campus Fire Fighter Program. Each module consists of chapters that will be independently tested in a written test format. Skills will be administered after the written examination. The skills will consist of randomly selected skills from all the chapters that are in the tested module. Classes are delivered in five modules, with one being the Haz Mat section.

Testing: All testing is conducted at the Mississippi State Fire Academy. Testing will be done in modular format. The student must pass with a 70% or greater in both written and skills testing to graduate the NFPA 1001-I-II program. Testing will require the student to pass each level (Level I and Level II of NFPA 1001).

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Other: The Hazardous Material for First Responder is a prerequisite for the NFPA 1001-I-II program. The NFPA 1072 Field Program will be delivered in Module 1 (no exceptions). Chapter quizzes and Final Certification Examinations will be delivered on the campus of the Mississippi State Fire Academy. Successful completion of this course requires adherence to the Mississippi State Fire Academy rules and guidelines governing students, maintaining an overall course average of 70% or higher on all the chapter quizzes. Students must achieve a minimum score of 70% on all levels of Certification Examinations. Students must also achieve a minimum overall average of 70% or higher on the skills examination.
If dorm is requested for testing purposes, no additional fee is required. Meals are extra if requested and available.

FIRE FIGHTER 1001-I-II: HYBRID

Course Number: CC 1001-2014-H **Mississippi Code 45-11-203) Meets or Exceeds NFPA 1001**
Certification Standard: NFPA Fire Fighter 1001-I-II
Course Hours: 280
EMS CEU Hours: 48
Maximum Enrollment: 15
Course Fee: $500 - Group A $1185 - Group B
This course qualifies for funding through the Workforce Development program for Group A only.
Date of Delivery: October 24-December 15, 2022
Prerequisites: Same as 1001-I-II & 1001-I-II Field Course
Course Description: This course is designed to meet the uniform minimum training Standards stated in Mississippi Code Section 45-11-203 and to meet or exceed the minimum standards of the National Fire Protection Association Fire Fighter Professional Qualifications Standards 1001-I-II. This course will consist of 4 weeks of daily classroom sessions and hands-on activities in order to enhance knowledge and to build skill proficiency. The course will then transition into an online delivery for 2 weeks utilizing the Blackboard Online Management System. Throughout the course, students will be assigned required reading, assignments, and quizzes. Once the online portion of the course is completed, students will be required to return to the Mississippi State Fire Academy campus for 2 days in order to take proctored Final Certification Exams and participate in skills examinations.

Testing: Chapter quizzes and assignments will be delivered on the Blackboard Learning Management System. Final Certification Examinations will be delivered on the campus of the Mississippi State Fire Academy. In order to be eligible to take the Final Certification Examination, students must maintain above a 70% average on all the chapter quizzes of the course. Students must achieve a minimum score of 70% on all levels of Certification Examinations.

Other: Course fee includes all instruction, course material, manual, dorm, and meals. There is no reduction to the fee if any of the above are not needed. Should a student pre-registered for this course not show up prior to the course state date, the entire course fee will be due ($ 500). If cancellation is necessary, please cancel at a minimum of two (2) weeks prior to the course start date.
The Mississippi State Fire Academy is designated by the Department of Veteran Affairs as a NCD (Non-College Degree) school. Funding for Fire Fighter 1001-I-II is eligible for VA educational assistance benefits for eligible students.

FIRE OFFICER 1021-I-II

Course Number CC 1021 **Meets or exceeds NFPA 1021 This Course Is Accredited by IFSAC and PROBOARD**
Course Hours: 80
EMS CEU Hours: 6 Approved for EMS CEU by the Mississippi Bureau of Emergency Medical Services.
Maximum Enrollment: 25
Course Fee: $615 - Group A $1,125 - Group B
This course qualifies for funding through the Workforce Development program for Group A only.
Dates of Delivery: June 20–30, 2022
Prerequisites: NFPA 1001 Fire Fighter II and NFPA 1041 Fire Instructor I
Other: Students are asked to wear fire department uniforms while attending upper-level classes. No casual attire.

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FIRE OFFICER 1021-I-II: ONLINE

Course Number CC 1021-1&2 OL **Meets or exceeds NFPA 1021 This Course Is Accredited by IFSAC and PROBOARD**
Course Hours: 80
Maximum Enrollment: 15
Course Fee: $175 - Group A $335 - Group B
This course qualifies for funding through the Workforce Development program for Group A only.
Delivery: Spring Session: January 17-27, 2022 Registration Deadline: January 3, 2022
Fall Session: August 15, 2022 Registration Deadline: August 1, 2022

Prerequisites: NFPA 1001 Fire Fighter II and NFPA 1041 Fire Instructor I

Other: Does Not Include Manual: Jones & Bartlett Fire Officer Principles & Practices Fourth Edition. Must be purchased before first day of class and not through the MSFA
Purchase Order or Payment must be submitted with application. All fees are non-refundable.

FIRE OFFICER 1021-II: ONLINE

Course Number CC 1021-2 OL **Meets or exceeds NFPA 1021.** **This Course Is Accredited by IFSAC and PROBOARD**
Course Hours: 40
Maximum Enrollment: 15
Course Fee: $175 - Group A $335 - Group B

Delivery: Spring Session: January 17, 2022 Registration Deadline: January 3, 2022
Fall Session: August 15, 2022 Registration Deadline: August 1, 2022

Prerequisites: NFPA 1021 Level 1

Other: Does Not Include Manual: Jones & Bartlett Fire Officer Principles & Practices Fourth Edition. Must be purchased before first day of class and not through the MSFA
Purchase Order or Payment must be submitted with application. All fees are non-refundable.

FIRE OFFICER 1021-I-II: FIELD COURSE

Course Number CC 1021-F **Meets or exceeds NFPA 1021.** **This Course Is Accredited by IFSAC and PROBOARD**
Course Hours: 80
EMS CEU Hours: 6 Approved for EMS CEU by the Mississippi Bureau of Emergency Medical Services.
Maximum Enrollment: 20
Course Fee: $1,964 - Group A $3,928 - Group B
Prerequisites: NFPA 1001 Fire Fighter II and NFPA 1041 Fire Instructor I

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Mississippi Executive Fire Officer Program / Fire Officer 1021-III-IV

Course Number	CC 1021-EFO	**This Course Is Accredited by IFSAC and PROBOARD** Meets or exceeds NFPA 1021 for Fire Officer Level III and IV		
Course Hours:	200 hours			
Maximum Enrollment:	24 per cycle			
Course Fee:	$943 - Group A	$1,878 - Group B		
Dates of Delivery:	Session I	March 15–17, 2022	Session III	August 2–4, 2022
	Session II	May 17–19, 2022	Session IV	October 11–13, 2022

Prerequisite: NFPA 1021 Fire Officer II and Fire Instructor II

Audience: Chiefs of Departments or equivalent positions of management in the fire service (Senior Fire Instructors, County Fire Coordinators, Officers who manage shifts, programs, or divisions, etc.)

Testing: Testing will involve the evaluation of various projects completed both on and off-campus. These assignments will be graded on the candidate's understanding of the problem, ability to research and apply information, ability to develop viable solutions, and ability to present findings in a professional manner.

Other: Students are asked to wear fire department uniforms while attending upper-level classes. No casual attire.

This program is writing and time sensitive. Basic writing skills are necessary to complete this course. As stated in the NFPA standard, students must be able to analyze data and communicate both orally and in writing. Students will be required to write a college paper while attending this class. ALL APPLICATION DOCUMENTS MUST BE SUBMITTED BY FEBRUARY 1, 2022 IN ORDER TO BE CONSIDERED FOR THE MEFO CLASS.
Contact the Certification Bureau for the Mississippi Executive Fire Officer Application Process & Form.

Fire Service Instructor 1041-I-II

Course Number	CC 1041-L1	**Meets or exceeds NFPA 1041**	**This Course Is Accredited by IFSAC and PROBOARD**
Course Hours:	80		
Maximum Enrollment:	20		
Course Fee:	$600 - Group A	$870 - Group B	
	This course qualifies for funding through the Workforce Development program for Group A only.		
Dates of Delivery:	April 25–May 5, 2022	October 3–13, 2022	

Fire Service Instructor 1041-III

Course Number	CC 1041-3-08	**Meets NFPA 1041.**	**This Course Is Accredited by IFSAC and PROBOARD**
Course Hours:	24		
Date of Delivery:	July 26–28, 2022		
Maximum Enrollment:	20	Minimum Enrollment:	10
Course Fee:	$260 - Group A	$345 - Group B	
Testing:	Testing will consist of written on and off campus skills assignments.		
Other:	Students are asked to wear fire department uniform while attending officer-level classes. No casual attire please.		

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FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR 1041-I-II: ONLINE

Course Number CC 1041-I-OL **Meets or exceeds NFPA 1041.** **This Course Is Accredited by IFSAC and PROBOARD**
Course Hours: 80
Maximum Enrollment: 15
Course Fee: $175 - Group A $335 - Group B
This course qualifies for funding through the Workforce Development program for Group A only.
Delivery: Spring Session: January 17, 2022 Registration Deadline: January 3, 2022
Fall Session: August 15, 2022 Registration Deadline: August 1, 2022

Other: Does Not Include Manual: Jones & Bartlett Fire and Emergency Services Instructor Principles and Practice 3rd Edition Must be purchased before first day of class and not through the MSFA
Purchase Order or Payment must be submitted with application. All fees are non-refundable.

FIRE SERVICE INSTRUCTOR 1041-I-II: FIELD COURSE

Course Number CC 1041-L1F **Meets or exceeds NFPA 1041** **This Course Is Accredited by IFSAC and PROBOARD**
Course Hours: 80
Maximum Enrollment: 16
Course Fee: $1,030 - Group A $2,060 - Group B
Prerequisite: None

FIRE DEPARTMENT SAFETY OFFICER 1521: ONLINE

Course Number CC 1521-OL **This Course Is Accredited by IFSAC and PROBOARD**
Course Hours: 48
EMS CEU Hours: 16 Approved for EMS CEU by the Mississippi Bureau of Emergency Medical Services.
Maximum Enrollment: 15
Course Fee: $400 - Group A $570 - Group B
Delivery: Spring Session: January 17, 2022 Registration Deadline: January 3, 2022
Fall Session: August 15, 2022 Registration Deadline: August 1, 2022

Prerequisite: NFPA 1021-I-II, Fire Officer II, NFPA 1041-I Instructor I

Textbook: Jones & Bartlett Fire Department Incident Safety Officer, revised 3rd Edition

Note: Students must maintain a 70% or higher on the Final Certification Exam and Skills Examination to complete the program.

FIRE DEPARTMENT SAFETY OFFICER 1521: FIELD DELIVERY

Course Number CC 1521-99F **This Course Is Accredited by IFSAC and PROBOARD**
Course Hours: 48
EMS CEU Hours: 16 Approved for EMS CEU by the Mississippi Bureau of Emergency Medical Services.
Maximum Enrollment: 20
Course Fee: $1030 - Group A $2060 - Group B
Delivery: Spring Session: January 17, 2022 Registration Deadline: January 3, 2022
Fall Session: August 15, 2022 Registration Deadline: August 1, 2022

Textbook: Jones & Bartlett Fire Department Incident Safety Officer, revised 3rd Edition

Note: Students must pass the Final Certification Exam and Skills Examination to complete the program.

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Fire Inspector 1031-I

Course Number	**CC 1031-I-03**	**Meets or exceeds NFPA 1031**	**This Course Is Accredited by IFSAC and PROBOARD**
Course Hours:	80		
EMS CEU Hours:	4	Approved for EMS CEU by the Mississippi Bureau of Emergency Medical Services.	
Maximum Enrollment:	20		
Course Fee:	$885 - Group A	$1,160 - Group B	
Dates of Delivery:	July 11–21, 2022	November 28-December 8, 2022	
Prerequisite:	None		

Fire Inspector 1031-II

Course Number	**CC 1031-II**	**Meets or exceeds NFPA 1031**	**This Course Is Accredited by IFSAC and PROBOARD.**
Course Hours:	40		
EMS CEU Hours:	4	Approved for EMS CEU by the Mississippi Bureau of Emergency Medical Services.	
Course Fee:	$370 - Group A	$505 - Group B	
Maximum Enrollment:	16		
Date of Delivery:	September 26–29, 2022		
Prerequisite:	NFPA 1031 Fire Inspector I		
Other:	Student is responsible for manuals provided during Level I training. Call for the current edition being utilized.		

Fire Service Chaplain

Course Number	CC 1575-FC	
Course Hours:	16	
Maximum Enrollment:	25	
Course Fee:	$125 - Group A	$180 - Group B
Date of Delivery:	TBD	

How to Develop and Assist in Fire Fighter Physical Fitness Programs

Course Number	CC PFP-24	
Course Hours:	24	
Maximum Enrollment:	20	
Date of Delivery:	June 7-9, 2022	
Course Fee:	$240 - Group A	$320 - Group B

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TRUCK COMPANY OPERATIONS

Course Number	CC 1303
Course Hours:	40
Maximum Enrollment:	20
Course Fee:	$365 - Group A $505 - Group B
Date of Delivery:	February 28-March 3, 2022
Prerequisite:	Firefighter 1001-I-II and/or Certified Volunteer Firefighter Level-I, Engine Operations
Other:	Students are required to have full personal protective clothing which meets NFPA 1971. Personal SCBA's will not be required but are recommended for the course.

ENGINE COMPANY OPERATIONS

Course Number	CC 1302
Course Hours:	40
Maximum Enrollment:	20
Course Fee:	$360 - Group A $495 - Group B
Date of Delivery:	November 14-17, 2022
Prerequisite:	Firefighter 1001-I-II
Other:	Students are required to have full personal protective clothing which meets NFPA 1971. Personal SCBA's will not be required but are recommended for the course.

GUIDELINES FOR CERTIFICATION FIELD COURSES AND ONLINE DELIVERY

Contact the Certification Bureau on how to have these programs delivered in your area.

Available Field Courses:	Fire Fighter 1001-I-II	Fire Instructor 1041-I-II
	Fire Officer 1021-I-II	Fire Safety Officer 1521
	Hazardous Materials Awareness & Operations 1072	
Hybrid Programs Include:	Basic Fire Fighter	
Online Programs Include:	Fire Instructor 1041-I-II	Fire Officer 1021-I-II
	Fire Safety Officer 1521	

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