



Firefighter Certification Program Application Process Guidelines

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

IMPORTANT: Completed applications will be accepted in person, in order of receipt. **Incomplete applications will be returned to the student. All copies required, are the responsibility of the student, Florida SouthWestern State College will not make copies.**

APPLICATION ACCEPTANCE PROCESS - Complete applications will be accepted in the order of receipt and **until the program is full**. Specific information on class registration will be sent to your Florida SouthWestern State College email address **ONLY**. You can forward your Florida SouthWestern State College emails to your main email account by logging into your portal, clicking on E-mail (top right), then options.

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS:

- ✓ Be at least 18 years old.
- ✓ Have no felony convictions or misdemeanor convictions involving moral turpitude. (Contact the Florida Bureau of Fire Standards and Training with any questions.)
- ✓ Have a High School Diploma or GED.
- ✓ Pass a physical examination by a licensed Florida physician.
- ✓ Submit fingerprints for background check.
- ✓ Submit copies of required testing.

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