

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Provides the firefighter or fire protection technology major with a fundamental knowledge of the fire protection detection equipment and suppression systems, such as; fire sprinklers, fire alarms, special agents, water supply systems.

COURSE SCHEDULE (OUTLINE)

<u>DATE</u>	<u>Week#</u>	<u>Chapter</u>	<u>Topics</u>
1/26/26	1		Orientation and Introduction
		1	BASICS OF FIRE BEHAVIOR
2/02/26	2	2	FIRE PROTECTION SYSTEMS and the MODEL CODE PROCESS
2/09/26	3	3	FIRE ALARM SYSTEM COMPONENTS and FUNCTIONS
2/16/26	4	4	TYPES of FIRE ALARM and DETECTION SYSTEMS
2/23/26	5	5	WATER SUPPLIES for FIRE PROTECTION SYSTEMS
3/02/26	6	6	STANDPIPE and HOSE SYSTEMS
3/09/26	7	7	AUTOMATIC FIRE SPRINKLER SYSTEMS
3/16-28/26	8		MIDTERM EXAM
3/23-28/26			SPRING BREAK! – No Class!
3/30/26	9	8	SPECIALIZED WATER-BASED FIRE PROTECTION SYSTEMS
4/06/26	10	9	FIXED WET and DRY CHEMICAL EXTINGUISHING SYSTEMS
4/13/26	11	10	GASEOUS AGENT EXTINGUISHING SYSTEMS
4/20/25	12	11	PORTABLE FIRE EXTINGUISHERS
4/27/26	13	12	SMOKE CONTROL and MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS
5/04/26	14	13	PROPERTY SECURITY, EMERGENCY RESPONSE and FIRE PROTECTION SYSTEMS
5/11/26	15		SHORT TERM PAPER SUBMISSION
5/18-23/26	16		FINAL EXAM

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