

# Fire Fighter

2017-18

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Successful completion of this program equips students with the knowledge, skills and attitude necessary to be a member of the Florida Fire service team as a career fire fighter. Students are qualified and prepared to pass the Florida Fire Fighter licensure examination.

**Length of Program:** Full-Time Day, estimated 4 months, Part-Time Evening, estimated 10 months  
(Up to 54 hours transfer to Associate Science Degree)

**Prerequisites:** Must be 18 years of age  
Must hold a High School diploma or GED

**Class Hours:**

<b>Full-Time Day</b>	Monday – Friday	8:00 am - 5:00 pm
<b>Part-Time Eve</b>	Monday & Wednesday	6:00 pm - 10:00 pm
	<b>AND</b> Saturday	8:00 am - 5:00 pm
<b>or Part-Time Eve</b>	Tuesday & Thursday	6:00 pm - 10:00 pm
	<b>AND</b> Saturday	8:00 am - 5:00 pm

**Admission Dates:** Please call for program application information.  
**Career Counselor** Mark Toler 941.752.8100 x 2134  
Email: [toler2m@manateeschools.net](mailto:toler2m@manateeschools.net)  
**Program Secretary** Sharon Zeris 941.752.8100 x 2195  
Email: [zeriss@manateeschools.net](mailto:zeriss@manateeschools.net)

**Grad Requirements:** Complete all of the program competencies.  
Required TABE scores (to complete): Reading 10.0, Math 10.0, Language 10.0  
Exempt with an AA, AS degree or higher official transcript

**Industry License:** Florida Bureau of Fire Standards

**Employment Potential:** This instructional program prepares students for employment as a fire fighter, with the skills necessary at an emergency scene.  
Salary range: \$28,000 to \$54,000

**Tuition & Fees:** See other side

**Note:** **Criminal Background Check required**  
**Drug Screening**  
**Medical Examination**



# Fire Fighter - 398 Hours

Program #P430216		CIP# 0743020312			
Estimated Program Costs (Fire Fighter I & II)		Hours	Tuition	Lab	Total
Courses	OCP				
<b>Fire Fighter I</b>	<b>OCP A FFP0010</b>	<b>206</b>	\$ 601.52	\$500.00	\$1101.52
Incident Command			\$116.80		\$116.80
<b>Fire Fighter II</b>	<b>OCP B FFP0020</b>	<b>192</b>	\$ 560.64	\$500.00	\$1060.64
Wild Land Fire Fighter			\$116.80		\$116.80
(HAZMAT) Hazmat Operations			\$46.72*		\$46.72
<b>Total Tuition &amp; Lab Estimate***</b>					<b>\$2442.48</b>
<i>Pre-Admission Costs</i>					
T.A.B.E. Test (if required)					\$25.00
<i>Program Costs</i>					
Application Fee					\$40.00
Parking Decal* (including tax)					\$20 annual
Drug Screening & Background Check					(\$40 + \$55 =) \$95.00
Health & Safety Fee*					\$14 annual
ID Badge* (including tax)					\$10 annual
Protective Gear Rental					\$1000.00
Medical Evaluation					\$265.00
Uniforms (shirt, pants, shoes, belt, PE outfit, not including tax)					\$255.00
Textbook Estimate** (before tax)					\$190.47
Career & Technical Student Organization Leadership Fee (optional)					\$30.00
<b>Total Tuition, Lab &amp; Fee Estimate</b>					<b>\$4391.95</b>
<i>Other Costs</i>					
<i>The fees listed under "Other Costs" vary depending on student need/preferences</i>					
Physical Examination & Immunizations					

**State Testing fees for Fire II area an additional \$30 Practical Certification Exam and \$42 Written Exam (Pearson VUE computer testing).**

**PLEASE NOTE:**

All pre-admission fees are non-refundable. \*Prices are subject to change without notice.

\*Annual fees (charged each academic year (July 1-June 30))

\*\*Textbook estimate. Current booklist and prices: <http://manateetech.edu/current-students/bookstore>

\*\*\*Tuition based on \$2.92/hr. for Florida residents. \$11.71/hr. for non-Florida residents.

OCP stands for Occupational Completion Point (Florida Department of Education Framework)

No employee, student, applicant for admission or applicant for employment, volunteer, vendor, or member of the public, shall, on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, gender orientation, disability, marital status, age, religion, or any other basis prohibited by law, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of or be subjected to discrimination or harassed under any educational programs, activities, services, or in any policies or practices by the School District of Manatee County. Lack of English language skills will not be a barrier to admission and participation. The district may assess each student's ability to benefit for specific programs through placement tests and counseling, and, if necessary, will provide services or referrals to better prepare students for successful participation.