

Ulster County Department of Emergency Services Division of Fire Services Training Announcement

Firefighter I – Internet Based

This course is designed for the highly motivated, self-directed student with access to highspeed internet who can commit to a very aggressive training schedule in a compressed time format. Students will be expected to read three chapters, complete the respective online interactive slide shows and score 80% on three on-line chapter tests each week. Students will be monitored and assisted by an instructor through email and on-line course contact. Corresponding skills instruction and evaluation will occur at a training facility during weeks three, eight and nine. Students must be available to attend a four-hour orientation session, weekend units at week three, and full week of units in week eight and week nine. Final written and skills evaluation will be performed at the end of week nine in person at the training facility.

As the initial entry program for firefighting personnel, this combined course introduces firefighting concepts, practices, and techniques necessary for the new member to become an interior structural firefighter who can perform under the direct supervision of a company officer. Completion of this course achieves the 21 objectives of function 4.2 Interior Firefighters of the OFPC Recommended Best Practices for FD Training Programs.

Dates: Orientation March1st 18:30; See attached Program Schedule

Location: Ulster County Public Safety Training Center 259 Ulster Landing Rd, Kingston NY

Instructor: Richard Valentine, SFI

Maximum Students: 25

Pre-Requisites: ICS-100, 700 and CPR/First Aid

There is a IFSTA eLearning Registration Fee of \$40.00 per student that is a requirement of the Fire District. This must be completed prior to the first day of class. Registration can be paid at <u>BEFO-SCBA-IFO-FFi Blended Learning - Ulster County March 2021 | IFSTA</u>

Registration: MUST submit training authorization letter (EOSB – 1654) to ucft@co.ulster.ny.us

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