



FIREFIGHTER LEVEL I

Rhode Island Fire Academy

The Basic Firefighter / NFPA Firefighter I course is where students learn the cognitive (class lectures) and practical (hands-on) training they need to operate safely and effectively on the fireground. This is entry-level firefighting training. In addition to the basic skills that are taught, firefighters are taught how to manage the inherent stress of the firefighter profession with lessons on healthy lifestyles and stress management.

Prerequisites

- Be 18 years of age
- Possess a high school diploma or GED
- Be a Rhode Island fire service member
- Obtain, fill out and SIGN both forms: RIFA Registration Form and RIFA Waiver Form <https://fire-marshal.ri.gov/fire-academy/academy-information-course-offerings>
- Have your Fire Chief sign the application
- Complete on-line training for Incident Command levels 100, 200 & 700 at <https://training.fema.gov/nims>
- Complete R.I. Energy Gas & Electrical Emergency training at <https://firstresponder.ngridsafety.com>

LOCATION: RIFA 4 Green Lane, Exeter RI

DATES: Monday & Wednesday, and 5 Saturdays from 9/6/23 - 12/27/23

TIMES: 6:30pm - 9:30pm and 8am - 4pm on Saturdays

FEE: \$525 Personal check, bank check or money order payable to the State of Rhode Island

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