Fire Fighter Training Academy

The SCC – PSTC Fire Fighter Academy is a State accredited program designed to prepare entry level individuals with the cognitive and physical skills to become certified fire fighters. The course is comprised of thirty-two separate blocks of instruction. The Fire Academy, upon completion, will enable the graduate to be certified to work as a Fire Fighter in the State of North Carolina as well as work with the USFS as a Wildland Fire Fighter and will also qualify the candidate to work as a fire fighter in any IFSAC or Pro-Board Compliant state.

The training sessions typically meet from 8:00 a.m. until 6:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, with some evenings and Saturdays required. Some training sessions may require additional hours of instruction that will change the training Schedule

Next session(s):

**2013 Spring/Summer**

Orientation: February 13, 2013 – 7p.m. to 10 p.m.  
(See #6 of the Admissions Requirements)

Classes will meet 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m., Mon-Fri, with some evenings and Saturdays required.

**All Applications and paperwork must be received by January 30th 2013**

This allows time to get letters out to applicants. This is necessary to determine if we will have the required number of trainees to deliver this program.

In addition to attending all sessions and successfully completing each topic area, the candidate must be recommended by the School Director to take the State administered exam at the conclusion of the program. Therefore, proper attitude, conduct and attendance are mandatory in order to receive recommendation. Only serious applicants should apply.
REQUIRED FORMS:

- Fire Academy Information Letter
- Fire Academy Checklist
- Application Packet for Admission
- Medical Examination Report
- Background Search Consent Form

GENERAL INFORMATION:

For information regarding application status or specific questions concerning the fire academy, contact Jerry Sutton Public Safety Training Center, 828.306.7045. E-mail: t_scruggs@southwesterncc.edu