

Dixie Fire School

March 6, 7, & 8th, 2026



School Schedule

ALL CLASSES HELD AT:

Elizabethtown Community & Technical College
600 College Street Rd
Elizabethtown, Ky 42701

State Fire Rescue Training District 5
630 College Street Rd
Elizabethtown, Ky 42701

LOUIS CROSIER FARM SAFETY SEMINAR HELD AT:



Pritchard Community Center

404 S Mulberry St
Elizabethtown, KY
Friday, March 6, 2026
7:00pm—9:00pm EST
(No Registration Required)

Click this link for directions - <https://hardin.ca.uky.edu/content/directions>

Class Schedule

Friday, March 6, 2026

REGISTRATION/CHECK IN

5:00pm—6pm EST

For Friday night classes only please

20 HOUR CLASSES BEGIN

6:00pm—10:00pm EST

BSAR/EMS CON ED/ROPE RESCUE OPS/Hard To Get Hours—1

Saturday, March 7, 2026

REGISTRATION/CHECK IN

6:30 AM - 8:00 AM

For all classes Saturday & Sunday

VENDOR BOOTHS OPEN

7:00am—6:00pm EST

ALL SATURDAY CLASSES IN SESSION

8:00 AM - 5:00 PM

LUNCH SERVED AT ECTC

11:00am—1:00pm

Larue Co. Pork & Beef Producers

(each class has 1 hour for lunch)

Class Schedule (Cont'd)

Sunday, March 8, 2026

REGISTRATION/CHECK IN

7:00 AM - 8:00 AM

ALL SUNDAY CLASSES IN SESSION

8:00 AM - 5:00 PM

VENDOR BOOTHS OPEN

7:00am—6:00pm EST

LUNCH SERVED AT ECTC

11:00am—1:00pm

Larue Co. Pork & Beef Producers

(each class has 1 hour for lunch)

**Coffee SERVED from 6:30 to 8:00 a.m.
Saturday and Sunday**



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Registration Information

Registration Fee is \$75.00 per person
ONLINE until March 2, 2026 at
www.dixiefirefighters.com.

Click on the link at the top of the page.

To complete registration, **YOU MUST PAY ONLINE)**

Walk in Registrations are available for courses with
availability and on a First Come/First Serve Basis.

Choose from 16 hour, 20 hour or 8 hour courses. Fee
covers the whole weekend. No discount for those only
attending one day.

Friday night event and lunch both days are included with
registration

Registration confirmations should be sent upon
registering. Please check SPAM folders.

All events (excluding Friday night's symposium) and
meals will be on the ECTC/SFRT campus.



Registration Information

Payments required to register for classes and to secure your spot in the class you select. Walk-ins on day of registration at the school can pay in forms of cash, check or money order in addition to credit card.

CANCELLATIONS AND REFUNDS

Cancellations—if you need to cancel your registration at any time, please contact the SFRT office at (270) 307-5248 or area5@kctcs.edu.

****No refunds given after February 27, 2026****

Refunds - will be given for any student whose class(es) are cancelled and no second choice is available.

******The registration fee is completely transferable. ******

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CLASS NAME	HRS	FRI	SAT	SUN	JR?
Advanced Fire Ground Tactics	16		X	X	
Art of Reading Smoke	8		X		
Basic Chaplain	16		X	X	X
Basic Firefighting	16		X	X	X
Basic Search & Rescue	20	X	X	X	
Drivers Training	16		X	X	
Drones	8		X		
eFire Legal Workshop	8		X		
EMS Continuing Education	20	X	X	X	
Farm Rescue	8		X		X
Firefighter Cancer Support Network	4	X			
Fire Inspector 1	8			X	
Grain Rescue	8			X	X
Hard-to-get Firefighter Hours 1	4	X			X
Hard-to-get Firefighter Hours 2	8		X		X
Hard-to-Get Firefighter Hours 3	8			X	X
Honor Guard	8			X	
Ky Urban Search & Rescue Fundamentals	8		X		
NFA ICS-400	16		X	X	
NFA S.T.I.C.O.	16		X	X	
NFA Training in Small Departments	16		X	X	
Pump Operations/Maintenance	16		X	X	
Rope Rescue Operations	20	X	X	X	
Thermal Imaging Orientation & Image Interpretation	8			X	
Traffic Incident Mgmt for Responders and Hwy Traffic Control	8		X		
Vehicle Operations - Auto Extrication	16		X	X	

FIRE SCHOOL INFORMATION & REQUIREMENTS

CREDIT HOURS & CERTIFICATES

Instructors will award certificates/training hours at the completion of each course for actual hours student is in class. Fire school certificates will be awarded after attending the entire course. Students are responsible for ensuring the entering of their training hours into the Kentucky Fire Commission training records system. Obtain a KFS 1-b (yellow sheet) from the instructor for partial training.

NFA REQUIREMENTS

For National Fire Academy courses, a FEMA Student Identification number must be created/entered on the application form for credit for the course. You will be able to apply for a FEMA Student Identification number during class. If you already have one, please make sure you have it for class. To apply ahead of class, go to
<https://cdp.dhs.gov/femasid/register>

NFA B.Y.O.D.

National Fire Academy has implemented and transitioned to a “Bring Your Own Device” (BYOD) program for students participating in classes led by them, both on-campus and off-campus. You must now download an electronic student manual to your own device prior to class beginning. ***It is recommended to bring a laptop or tablet***

If you sign up for the NFA classes, the link to the manual will be emailed to you before the start of fire school. Please be sure to check your SPAM folder. The information will be available for download at the fire school as well.

FIRE SCHOOL INFORMATION & REQUIREMENTS (continued)

JUNIOR FIREFIGHTERS & REQUIRED FORMS

- Junior Firefighters must be from a KY Fire Commission recognized Jr. Firefighter Program and submit a completed Jr. FF permission release form (page 23) and can only register for designated courses.
- Junior firefighters will be allowed into some courses based on the current Kentucky Fire Commission Junior Firefighter regulations.
- Check this link for info on recognized Jr. FF programs - https://kyfirecommission.kctcs.edu/fire_commission_programs/junior_firefighters.aspx
- We observe a zero tolerance policy for disrespectful or disruptive behavior. The students' parents (guardian) and the fire chief will be notified of the dismissal.

NFPA REGULATIONS & REQUIRED FORMS

All applicable NFPA Standards are strictly followed and enforced. Courses requiring NFPA 1403 prerequisite (s) or firefighter certification require a signed approval form from the fire chief submitted with payment (pages 24-25). All rules concerning turnout gear age and facial hair apply, make sure you are prepared for your class.

THESE FORMS MUST BE SENT IN ADVANCE TO:

**Dixie Firefighters Association
C/O State Fire Rescue Training District 5
630 College Street Rd.
Elizabethtown, Ky 42701**

OR CAN BE EMAILED TO: area5@kctcs.edu

COURSE LISTING & DESCRIPTIONS



ADVANCED FIRE GROUND TACTICS (various codes/categories)



This comprehensive course is tailored for seasoned firefighters aiming to master advanced fire suppression techniques. The program integrates live fire training with specialized engine and truck company operations to enhance tactical proficiency and operational effectiveness.

This is a physically challenging course.

Course objectives include mastering advanced fire suppression tactics, conducting safe and effective live fire evolutions, enhancing engine and truck company operations and improving the coordination and communications on the fire-ground.

Key topics covered will include Fire Dynamics and Behavior, Live Fire Evolutions, Engine Company Operations, and Truck Company Operations. Practical Exercises will include realistic fire scenarios in training facilities, hands on practice with advance firefighting equipment, Engine and Truck company drills, and real-time decision making and team coordination

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: Full turnout gear and SCBA with PASS device and spare cylinder. All turnout gear must be NFPA compliant with no component older than 10 years. Students will not be allowed to participate if the instructor finds that the gear is not NFPA compliant or otherwise poses a hazard. SCBA cylinders must have a current hydrostatic test date.

PREREQUISITES: Minimum 2 years Firefighting Experience. Completion of NFPA 1403 required components prior to enrolling;” Live Fire Course Competency Validation” form (pages 24-25) must be emailed to area5@kctcs.edu. Any student with facial hair that impedes the seal of the face piece will not be allowed to participate in accordance with NFPA Standards

ART OF READING SMOKE (D0000)

8 Hours Saturday

Today’s structure fires are more dangerous than ever before. Lightweight construction, low-mass synthetics, and open space floorplans have created a perfect storm for rapid, prolific fire growth and extreme behavior. It is imperative for firefighters of all ranks and experience levels to be prepared for this new battle. The Art of Reading Smoke, developed by Dave Dodson and continued by Rob Backer, provides the knowledge necessary for first-arriving firefighters, officers, and chief officers to determine the fire’s location, progression, and future “from the seat” before seeing any flame. This knowledge ensures that the correct tactics are implemented for the best possible outcome. Through the extensive use of actual fireground videos, first-time students will develop and return students will refine their knowledge and skills to become INTELLECTUALLY aggressive firefighters, rather than ARBITRARILY aggressive. The next generation of Reading Smoke brings new research, a new library of videos, and discussion on cancer prevention, tactics and strategies to develop the next generation of aggressive interior firefighting.

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: None

PREREQUISITES: None

COURSE LISTING & DESCRIPTIONS



BASIC CHAPLAIN



This course is designed to teach the layperson necessary skills to help fire departments in times of spiritual and emotional trauma or crisis. A discussion on suicide prevention for emergency responders is planned.

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: None

PREREQUISITES: Juniors **MUST** have a JR Firefighter Permission Form (Page 23) on File to Participate.



BASIC FIREFIGHTING



This course covers 16 of the 20 recommended hours for a new firefighter in Kentucky and offers both classroom and hands-on training.

PPE—F0000—2 HOURS

ROPES—I0000—2 HOURS

FORCIBLE ENTRY—G0000—2 HOURS

OVERHAUL—O0000—2 HOURS

PORTABLE EXTINGUISHERS—E0000— 2 HOURS

VENTILATION—H0000—2 HOURS

LADDERS—J0000—2 HOURS

HOSES NOZZLES APPLIANCES—K0000- 2 HOURS

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: Full Turnout Gear, SCBA, & PASS Device

PREREQUISITES: Juniors **MUST** have a JR Firefighter Permission Form (Page 23) on File to Participate.

COURSE LISTING & DESCRIPTIONS

BASIC SEARCH & RESCUE

This course is designed to provide guidance to SAR field responders on the best practices and techniques. Information about the duties and tasks of SAR field responders, current information on SAR field responder clothing and equipment, as well as details on the latest search techniques, information on SAR specialists such as hasty search, grid search, utilizing specialty teams, subject packaging and transport.

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: All students must have water, two flashlights, sturdy shoes (no tennis shoes) and appropriate dress for the exercise. If you have a SAR pack, please bring for the exercise. Pencil and paper required.

PREREQUISITES: Must be 18 years of age or older

DRIVERS TRAINING

This is the Kentucky Fire Commission approved curriculum for Driver's Training. Topics such as safe operation of fire apparatus, laws regulating operation, and frequent causes of accidents will be discussed. This course has been updated to include additional information and skills on inspection of apparatus.

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: DRIVERS LICENSE

PREREQUISITES: Valid Ky Driver's License and vehicle insurance

DRONES (sUAS) in Emergency Services

Drones in emergency services are becoming more and more prevalent every day. The use cases for them are never ending so understanding what they are and how they can be used in emergency operations is key for success.

This eight-hour course provides an essential introduction to small unmanned aircraft systems (sUAS), more commonly known as drones. The training is designed to build a foundational understanding of drone technology, regulations, and safe operating practices. It is suitable for new pilots, recreational users, and personnel in industries adjacent to drone operations, such as anyone involved with emergency services. This course will discuss implementations of sUAS programs as well as flight demonstrations (pending weather).

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: None.

PREREQUISITES: None.



COURSE LISTING & DESCRIPTIONS

eFIRE LEGAL WORKSHOP

This course will cover the legalities of the Fire Service. In this course, topics such as Fire Scene control, boundaries and liabilities, and new fire laws changing in today's world. There will be reference to KRS 75, KRS 273 CVFD, & KRS 95. There will be personal stories from Fire chiefs who have served prison time, and coverage on Firefighter gun rights and Ky child protection laws. A round table discussion of legal questions and answers will also take place. The course will be led by Former Assistant Attorney General, Maurice "Mo" Byrne, Attorney at Law.

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: None

PREREQUISITES: None

EMS CONTINUING EDUCATION (20 HOUR COURSE)

FRIDAY, SATURDAY, & SUNDAY

This course will provide the 20 hours of the NREMT 2016 NCCP Model that will meet the requirements as the national component for KY EMT recertification. Course material will be adjusted for both Emergency Medical Responders and EMT Basics. This course will also incorporate both lectures and practical experience.

AIRWAY/VENTILATION—P0008—1.5 HOURS

CARDIOLOGY—P0023—6 HOURS

TRAUMA—P0011—1.5 HOURS

MEDICAL—P0010—6 HOURS

OPERATIONS—P0014—5 HOURS

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: CPR Mask, Gloves, Stethoscope, and Blood Pressure Cuff

PREREQUISITES: EMT-Basic Certification or First Responder Certification

Medical

- > Special Healthcare Needs
 - > OB Emergencies
 - > Infectious Diseases
 - > Pain Management
- > Psychiatric & Behavioral Emergencies
- > Toxicological Emergencies—Opioids
- > Neurological Emergencies—Seizures
- > Endocrine Emergencies—Diabetes
- > Immunological Emergencies

Airway/Ventilation

- > Ventilation
- > Oxygenation

Trauma

- > Trauma Triage
- > Central Nervous System (CNS) Injury
- > Hemorrhage Control

Cardiovascular

- > Post Resuscitation Care
- > Ventricular Assist Devices
- > Stroke
- > Cardiac Arrest
- > Pediatric Cardiac Arrest

Operations

- > At Risk Populations
- > Ambulance Safety
- > Field Triage—Disasters/MCIs
- > EMS Provider Hygiene, Safety & Vaccinations
- > EMS Culture of Safety
- > Pediatric Transport
- > Crew Resource Management
- > EMS Research
- > Evidence Based Guidelines

COURSE LISTING & DESCRIPTIONS



Farm Rescue (Q0006)

8 Hours Saturday



The 2026 Farm Rescue class will be an 8-hour course that will consist of Farm Rescue and Heavy Farm Rescue. There will be a team of some of the best Farm rescue instructors from both Kentucky and Tennessee (The Tennessee Association of Rescue). This course will demonstrate tractor rollovers and large tractors on top of vehicles. Along with the Farm Rescue, the course will also cover working with heavy rotator wreckers and all different varieties of rescue tools. This will be a primarily hands on class. Come ready to work.

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: Gloves, helmet, safety glasses or goggles, coverall or jump suit or turnout gear

PREREQUISITES: Juniors **MUST** have a JR Firefighter Permission Form (Page 23) on File to Participate.



Grain Rescue (Q0006)

8 Hours Sunday



Grain Emergencies claim the lives of several every year. While we watch the news and see where a fire department or rescue company works to rescue or recover an individual, we may not fully understand the complexity of the operations and the specialized equipment required to perform those operations. This class will provide the opportunity to get in the grain with a simulated emergency and perform the steps to free the person utilizing a grain rescue tube. Dale Dobson with the KY Department of Agriculture will be on hand to show several options of grain rescue tubes and each will be available to use in the grain. This will be a primarily hands on class. Come ready to work.

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: Gloves, helmet, safety glasses or goggles, coverall or jump suit or turnout gear

PREREQUISITES: Juniors **MUST** have a JR Firefighter Permission Form (Page 23) on File to Participate.

COURSE LISTING & DESCRIPTIONS



Hard-to-Get Hours 1 (Various Codes)

4 Hours Friday

Some of the toughest subjects to find for certification.

Fire Behavior (D0000) - 3 hours

Safety (B0000) - 1 hour

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: None

PREREQUISITES: Juniors **MUST** have a JR Firefighter Permission Form (Page 23) on File to Participate.



Hard-to-Get Hours 2 (Various Codes)

8 Hours Saturday

Some of the toughest subjects to find for certification.

Aircraft (W0000) - 2 hours

Communications (L0000) - 1 hour

Fire Prevention (U0000) - 1 hour

Administration (A0000) - 1 hour

Building Construction (V0000) - 3 hours

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: None

PREREQUISITES: Juniors **MUST** have a JR Firefighter Permission Form (Page 23) on File to Participate.



Hard-to-Get Hours 3 (Various Codes)

8 Hours Sunday

Some of the toughest subjects to find for certification.

Aircraft (W0000) - 2 hours

Communications (L0000) - 1 hour

Fire Prevention (U0000) - 1 hour

Administration (A0000) - 1 hour

Building Construction (V0000) - 3 hours

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: None

PREREQUISITES: Juniors **MUST** have a JR Firefighter Permission Form (Page 23) on File to Participate.

COURSE LISTING & DESCRIPTIONS

Fire Inspector 1 (DD0001)

8 Hours Sunday

This class is the first step in the Fire Marshal's revised Fire Inspector program. Fire and building code officials will benefit from this course. This class will provide instruction based on NFPA 1, 2018 Fire Code, NFPA 101, 2018 Life Safety Code, the Kentucky Standards of Safety (815 KAR 10:060) and the Kentucky Building Code. Officials will learn basic principles of fire inspections, and how it relates to the KBC and IBC. This class will consist of one fast-paced day of instruction followed by an exam. Certificates are issued upon passing the test.

Course Objective: Prepare the attendees to conduct fire inspections of buildings for fire hazards and code compliance per 815 KAR 10:060 (The Kentucky Standards of Safety).

Determine if fire protection equipment is operational, maintained and in compliance. Determine the adequacy of exits. Determine an occupant load for a facility. Where required, emergency fire evacuation drills are held. Advise property owners of the inspector's findings. Gain an understanding of projects that must be approved by the Division of Building Code Enforcement and other Divisions within the Department of Housing, Building and Construction. *This is a 1-day course offering 8 HRS for Continuing education of Fire Safety and Building Code Certification*

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: None

PREREQUISITES: None

Honor Guard

8 Hours Sunday

This course concentrates on the elements of Line of Duty Death Procedures and Protocols. This course will include an overview of Ceremony and Procedure, military drill and ceremony instruction, individual and group precision movements, developing technical and stylistic maneuvers that will encompass rehearsal and public performance. This class will include a great deal of hands on practical applications.

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: Class A uniform if you have one and any flags that your color guard may have.

PREREQUISITES: None



COURSE LISTING & DESCRIPTIONS

Ky Urban Search & Rescue Fundamentals (Q0000)

8 Hours Saturday

This 8-hour course provides a foundational understanding of the Kentucky Search and Rescue (US&R) system, tailored for emergency responders and support personnel. Participants will explore the essential components of US&R operations, focusing on:

1. Kentucky US&R System Overview : An introduction to the structure, roles, and responsibilities within the state's US&R framework.
2. Developing Mission Ready Packages (MRPs) : Training in creating and implementing MRPs, ensuring teams are adequately prepared for diverse emergency scenarios.
3. Local and Regional Team Integration : Strategies for effective collaboration among local and regional teams, emphasizing communication and resource sharing during disaster response.
4. Future of Disaster Response in the Commonwealth : Insights into emerging trends, technologies, and strategies shaping the future of emergency response in Kentucky

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: None

PREREQUISITES: None





U.S. Fire Administration

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NFA Certificates issued to those individuals with NFA ID that complete the entire class including testing.

ICS-400: Advanced ICS Command and General Staff-Complex Incidents (FF0004)

16 Hours Saturday, & Sunday

This course is designed for those emergency response personnel who would function as part of an Area Command, Emergency Operations Center, or Multiagency Coordination System during a large, complex incident or event, or those personnel who are or would likely be part of a local or regional Incident Management Team during a major incident, whether single agency, multiagency or Unified Command.

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: Full Structural Fire Fighting PPE and SCBA

PREREQUISITES: ICS-100-level ([Q0462](#)), ICS-200-level ([Q0463](#)) and ICS-300-level ([Q0464](#)) training, available through NFA Online. Chief's signature attests that the applicant has completed this required training.

NFA—S.T.I.C.O.—(AA0000)

16 Hours Saturday & Sunday

This is a two-day course designed to meet the needs of the company Officers responsible for managing the operations of one or more companies during structural firefighting operations. This course is designed to develop the management skills needed by Company officers to accomplish assigned tactics at structure fires.

Target Audience: It is important to understand that while the course material was developed for newly appointed officers or firefighters who may have acting CO responsibilities, it would also provide an excellent review for experienced officers.

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: **BRING YOUR OWN LAPTOP OR TABLET******

PREREQUISITES: None

NFA—TRAINING IN SMALL DEPARTMENTS—(AA0000)

16 Hours Saturday & Sunday

This 2-day course is designed to provide students with some basic tools and skills to coordinate training in a small fire/emergency medical services organization. A training function in a smaller department typically may include conducting training drills and coordinating training with a nearby larger city or state training function.

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: **BRING YOUR OWN LAPTOP OR TABLET******

PREREQUISITES: None

COURSE LISTING & DESCRIPTIONS

PUMP OPERATIONS (Z0000)

16 Hours Saturday & Sunday

Class will consist of basic pump maintenance going over truck checks, basic pump check and operations, documenting all needed information for pump testing, and how to set up and prepare for a pump test on or off site.

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: PPE Requirement—Full Turnout Gear (SCBA not needed)

PREREQUISITES: None



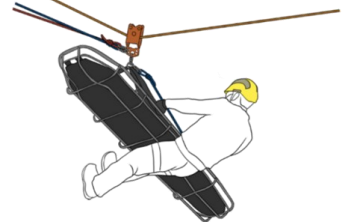
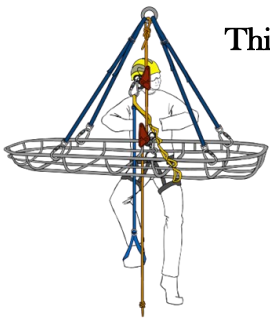
ROPE RESCUE OPERATIONS (Q0007)

20 Hours Friday, Saturday & Sunday

This is a hands-on class that prepares students for real-world technical rope rescues.

This class covers the technical aspect of rope equipment, as well as:

- Practical applications of rappelling/lowering techniques
- Anchor systems
- Safety systems
- Communications



Students will learn techniques for life-saving operations in the vertical environment, while maintaining an adequate level of safety for the rescuer and the patient. Techniques will include rappels, lock-offs, inversions, belays, and working with litters. Students should come prepared to work.

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: Helmet with a chin strap and suspension system meeting UIAA, OSHA, NIOS, or NFPA standards, clean leather gloves that have not been used for fire fighting or chemicals handling, and sturdy boots that offer ankle support (no fire boots) as well as clothing to match the weather. Any personal equipment brought to the class will be the responsibility of the owner and will have to be inspected and approved by the instructors before use. This class is physically demanding and all hands on.

PREREQUISITES: Attendance of a Basic/Awareness level class as taught by KCTCS, adequate fitness level to handle weight in sometimes awkward positions, and an ability/desire to work safely in a team effort.

COURSE LISTING & DESCRIPTIONS

THERMAL IMAGING CAMERAS (II0000)

8 Hours Sunday

“This basic course will give you generic knowledge that you need to become confident in your abilities to use a thermal imager safely. Topics will include fundamentals of how thermal imagers work, use of thermal imagers in fire situations, and use of thermal imagers in non-fire situations. Participants will engage in discussions and demonstrations applicable to the material covered.”

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: None

PREREQUISITES: None



Traffic Incident Management for Responders and

Highway Traffic Control

8 Hours Saturday

This 8-hour block of instruction consists of two 4-hour classes. The Traffic Incident Management class details how temporary traffic control can be established and maintained by emergency responders on-the scene. The Highway Crash Site Management course focuses on inter-agency response to vehicle accidents and offers practical solutions to issues that may arise on-scene.

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: None

PREREQUISITES: None

VEHICLE RESCUE OPERATIONS (Q0001)

16 Hours Saturday & Sunday

This class introduces the proper methods of safely extricating patients from passenger vehicles that have been involved in various types of accidents. This class is a combination of a short classroom lecture that will familiarize the student with vehicle terminology, extrication tools, and principles. Hands on sessions will give the student the opportunity to assess, plan, and implement basic extrication strategies.

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: Full Turnout gear or overalls, helmet or hard hat, gloves, steel-toed shoes, and eye protection.

PREREQUISITES: Completion of Basic 20 hours

JR. FF PERMISSION FORM

Dixie Fire School Policy: This form must be submitted with **PAYMENT** for all **Jr. FFs UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE**. In addition, there is a **zero-tolerance policy** for any person exhibiting disruptive or disrespectful behavior. In the event of an incident, the parents (guardian) and the fire chief of the student will be contacted.

NOTE: MUST BE FROM A JR. FF PROGRAM RECOGNIZED BY THE KY FIRE COMMISSION

Student Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Name of class(es) (see page 8): _____

Name of recognized Jr. Firefighter program: _____

STATEMENT OF PARENTAL CONSENT

I, _____, as parent or legal guardian of the above-named student, do hereby give permission for my son or daughter to participate in the course(s) listed above. I understand that some classes require a certain level of skill/experience and ability and that by signing this form, I attest that I have evaluated my dependent's ability to perform in the above-named class(es) and believe that my dependent is capable of performing such tasks. My signature also acknowledges that I have read the Dixie Fire School's **zero tolerance policy** concerning disruptive or disrespectful behavior (above) and I understand that my son or daughter will be removed from class if found to be in violation of this policy.

X _____ Relationship to Student: _____
Signature of Parent or Guardian (Not valid without Signature)

X _____
Signature of Fire Chief or Advisor (Not valid without Signature)

Emergency Contact Info:

Parent/Guardian:

Fire Chief/Advisor:

Name: _____

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Fire Dept Name: _____

Phone Number: _____

Failure to provide a completed form after registration and before the start of Fire School can result in removal from the course selected.

Mail to:

**Dixie Firefighters Association
630 College Street Road
Elizabethtown, KY 42701**

Live Fire Course Competency Validation/Fitness for Duty Form

Required for all students before participating in SFRT Live Fire Training

NFPA1403(2018 Edition) 4.3.1-4.3.3 requires that all participants must have prior training and meet prerequisites in certain subjects before participating in live fire training. These minimum subjects include:

1) Safety; 2) Fire Behavior; 3) Portable Extinguishers; 4) Personal Protective Equipment& SCBA; 5) Ladders; 6) Fire Hose, Appliances, and Streams; 7) Overhaul; 8) Water Supply; 9) Ventilation; 10) Forcible Entry; 11) Building Construction. Specific prerequisite training must also be met in these areas: Fire Dynamics; Health and Safety; Fundamentals of Fire Behavior; Fire Development in Compartments; Nozzle Techniques and Door Control.

The Chief Officer of _____ Fire Department authorizes that _____ completed the minimum training/prerequisites and may participate in the live fire training evolutions present by SFRT.

NFPA 1403 (2018 Edition) 4.4.1 requires that all participants must be rehabbed in accordance with NFPA 1584, Chapter 6. Before being released from the rehab area to participate in a State Fire Rescue Training live fire training evolution, normal conditions are considered to consist of: heart rate of 60-100; respiratory rate of 12-20; systolic blood pressure less than 160; diastolic blood pressure of less than 100; pulse oximetry of 95% or greater. Participants are encouraged to periodically check their vital signs and seek appropriate medical attention for abnormal signs/symptoms.

Baseline Vital Signs (This must be completed **DAY OF TRAINING** prior to participating in live fire training):

Date: _____ Time: _____ Heart Rate: _____ Respiratory Rate: _____

Blood Pressure: _____ Pulse Ox: _____ Obtained by (Name): _____

Participants must at least 18 years old (Juniors 15-17) and be a member of a Fire Department, Industrial Fire Brigade or Junior Firefighter program (Ages 15-17) that is recognized by the Kentucky Fire Commission to participate in live fire training delivered by State Fire Rescue Training. ID's will be checked by SFRT instructors before allowing students to participate in live fire training and some evolutions/activities are restricted for 15-17-year-old Junior Firefighters (See current Junior Firefighter Guidelines on KY Fire Commission website.) All turnout gear must be less than 10 years of age. Per NFPA 1403 (2018 Edition) A4.9.5 it is recommended that all participants wear full-length clothing made of natural fibers or fire-retardant materials under their personal protective equipment during live fire evolutions.

Facepiece seal protection: SFRT requires that all students must be compliant with OSHA 29 CFR 1910.134:“1910.134(g)(1)(i) -The employer shall not permit respirators with tight-fitting facepieces to be worn by employees who have: 1910.134(g)(1)(i)(A) -Facial hair that comes between the sealing surface of the facepiece and the face or that interferes with valve function;” (hair growth between the skin and the facepiece sealing surface, such as stubble beard growth, beard, mustache or sideburns which cross the respirator sealing surface).

Signature of Chief Officer: _____

Signature of Student: _____

This form must accompany any registration form for live fire training courses. (Duplicate form as needed)

Live Fire Training Release Form

Name: _____ KY Firefighter ID _____ Department Name: _____

In consideration of the Kentucky Community and Technical College System ("KCTCS") Kentucky Fire Commission State Fire Rescue Training (referred to hereafter as "SFRT") allowing me to participate in this emergency service training class, I represent and agree as follows:

1. Assumption of Risk. I understand and acknowledge that the very nature of the training is dangerous and there are certain inherent risks associated with participating in the training, including but not limited to fire- related risks. I understand that the specific risks vary, but that they include injury, loss, or damage to myself or my property, or death, resulting from exposure to fire and unsafe conditions. I understand that efforts will be made by the instructional staff to create a working environment that is as safe as possible, and that the instructional staff will give me careful and prudent instruction in the operation of equipment and how to perform each task. However, I also understand that neither KCTCS nor SFRT – nor their respective boards, officers, agents, or employees – has control over these inherent risks, and that the risks cannot be eliminated completely regardless of the care taken by KCTCS or SFRT. By signing below, I represent that I appreciate the risks. I accept and voluntarily assume all risks that may arise from or in connection with my participation in the training. I understand that I am ultimately responsible for my own safety, and for my actions at all times.

2. Participation. I agree to perform only those activities specifically designated for the training, to follow all instructions and directions given to me by the instructional staff, and to adhere to all applicable safety standards. I will not participate in any activity that is not directly related to the training and class function, and I will ask for additional information before I proceed with a training procedure if I am unsure of the procedure or of the instructions and directions given.

3. Workers' Compensation. I understand that in order to participate in this training, I must be a member in good standing with a fire department or response agency, and I must be covered by the workers' compensation insurance of that department or agency. By signing this document, I certify that I meet these requirements. I understand that in the event of any accident or injury, any workers' compensation claim must be made under the coverage of my department or agency. In no event will I request workers' compensation coverage from KCTCS or SFRT and either KCTCS or SFRT will be responsible for any accident or injury.

4. Release and Hold Harmless. I understand that participating in the training may result in injury, loss, or damage to myself or my property, or death, and neither KCTCS or SFRT – nor their respective boards, officers, agents, or employees – will be responsible or liable for such injury, loss, damage, or death. By signing below, I release, hold harmless, and forever discharge KCTCS or SFRT – and their respective boards, officers, agents, and employees – from any and all claims, causes of action, or demands of every kind by reason of any injury to person or property, or death, arising from or in connection with my participation in this training.

5. Alcohol and Medications. I agree and represent that I will not consume alcoholic beverages or any prescription or non-prescription medications or other controlled substances that may impair my judgment or reaction time within the five (5) hours prior to any class, or during class.

6. Live Fire. I understand that this training involves live fire, I must have completed certain FF1 and FF2 job performing requirements, as set forth in NFPA 1001 and 1403 directives.

7. Accident or Injury. I agree and represent that in the event of any accident or injury, I will report such accident or injury IMMEDIATELY to the instructional staff. I will also report such an accident or injury to the administrative officer of my fire department or response agency as soon as is reasonably practicable, but in no event more than 24 hours after the accident or injury.

By signing below, I agree that I have been given sufficient time to read, understand, and ask questions, if any, concerning the nature and scope of this Release. I understand that any breach of the above stated items could result in my immediate dismissal from class.

Signature of Student: _____ Date: _____

DIRECTIONS

Directions to Elizabethtown Community and Technical College (ECTC):

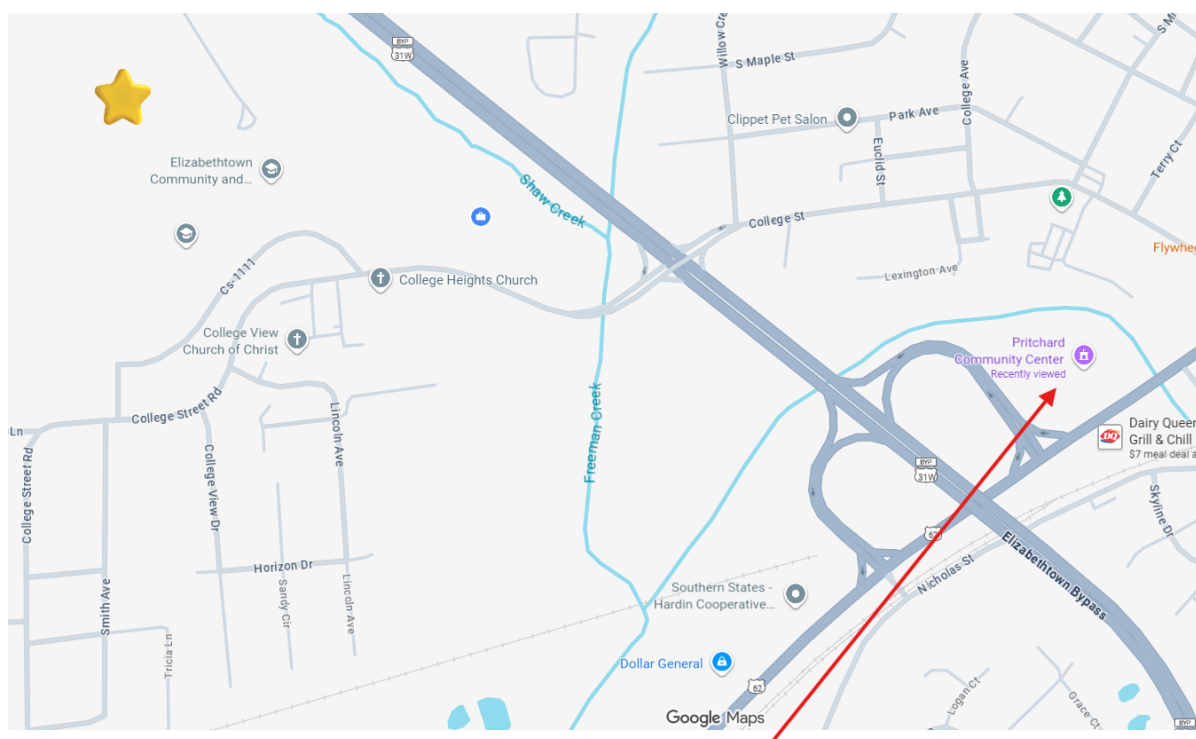
From the North – I-65 South to exit 94, right on 62, go 2.5 miles to 31W bypass, turn left at 1st red light, ECTC is on the right.

From the North – 31W South to exit 31W Bypass in Elizabethtown, turn right at the 1st red light and the 1st left on University Drive.

From the South – I-65 North to exit 91B, Western KY Parkway to exit 136 (Fort Knox) go ½ mile, turn left at 1st red light, ECTC is on the right.

From the East – West on Blue Grass Parkway, at end of parkway take I-65 South, exit 91 Western KY Parkway to exit 136 (Fort Knox) go ½ mile, turn left at 1st red light, ECTC is on the right.

From the West – Western KY Parkway, exit 136 turn left, go ½ mile, turn left at 1st red light, ECTC is on the right.

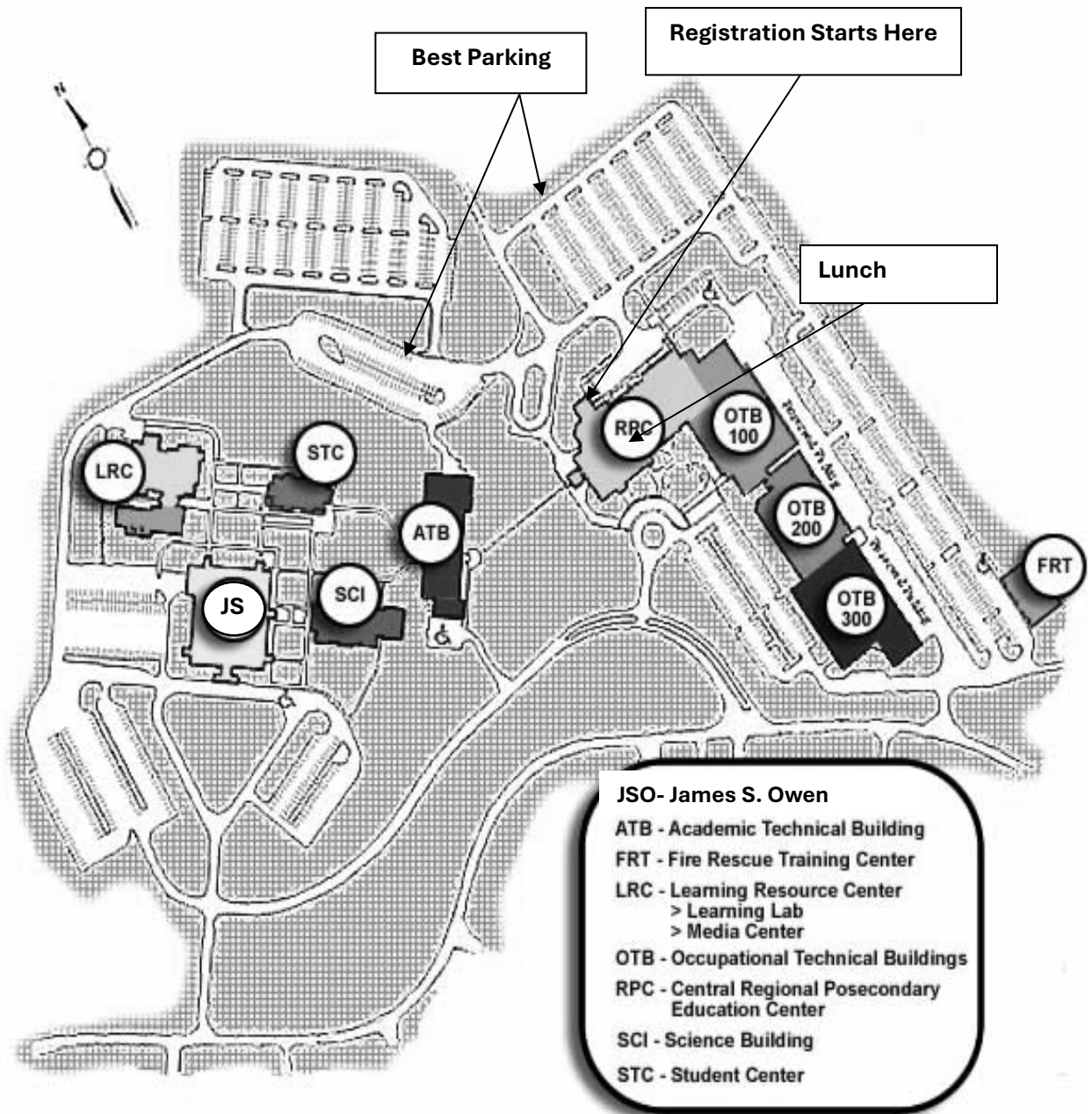


PRITCHARD COMMUNITY CENTER

This is where the Farm Symposium (Friday night) will be held.

The Elizabethtown Community and Technical College

600 College Street Road
Elizabethtown, KY 42701



LOCAL LODGING

<u>ELIZABETHTOWN (EXIT 94)</u>			
*Baymont by Wyndham	209 Commerce Dr	Elizabethtown	270-505-4463
*Best Western Plus Inn & Suites	2014 N Mulberry St	Elizabethtown	270-900-4518
*Comfort Suites	215 Commerce Dr	Elizabethtown	270-360-0088
*Country Inn & Suites by Radisson	107 Buffalo Creek Dr	Elizabethtown	270-304-2438
*Fairfield Inn & Suites	1031 Executive Dr	Elizabethtown	270-769-1440
*Greenfield Inn & Suites	1043 Executive Dr	Elizabethtown	270-769-3030
*Hampton Inn	1035 Executive Dr	Elizabethtown	270-765-6663
*Hilton Garden Inn	203 Commerce Dr	Elizabethtown	270-900-4899
*Hilton Home2Suites	1041 Executive Dr	Elizabethtown	270-900-1446
*Holiday Inn Express	130 The Loop	Elizabethtown	270-982-9466
*La Quinta Inn & Suites	210 Commerce Dr	Elizabethtown	270-765-4747
Motel 6	1042 N Mulberry St	Elizabethtown	270-769-3102
Quality Inn & Suites	2009 N Mulberry St	Elizabethtown	270-506-0031
*Ramada by Wyndham	205 Commerce Dr	Elizabethtown	270-505-4467
*Springhill Suites by Marriott	1025 Executive Dr	Elizabethtown	270-986-7654
Super 8	2028 N Mulberry St	Elizabethtown	270-506-4286
<u>RADCLIFF (INTERSECTION OF 31W & JOE PRATHER HWY)</u>			
*Hampton Inn & Suites	50 Bourbon St	Radcliff	270-351-5777
*Holiday Inn Express	30 Bourbon St	Radcliff	270-352-4329

* - Indicates hotel has a working SPRINKLER system.