

Welcome to our EMT Program (FireTek96). We offer this program in the Fall and Spring. You need to complete all of the below program entry requirements. The class is open to everyone in the spring and fall semesters we cap out at 40 but recommend showing up first day to try to add the class if it is full.

Spring semester begins in February, Fall Semester begins in September. We do not help with job placement you will have to take a national registry (NREMT) test after successfully completing the program, once you pass the NREMT test you can apply for your California EMT license. We run three cohorts the schedules are:

- Cohort #1 meets at 5:00 pm - 10:00 pm on Mondays and Wednesdays.
(ELAC) main campus.
- Cohort #2 meets at 5:00 pm - 10:00 pm on Tuesdays and Thursdays.
(Southgate campus)
- Cohort #3 meets at 8:00 am - 1:00 pm Monday and Wednesday
(ELAC main campus)

Fire Tek 96 (EMT Program) is an 8-unit class. It runs for (16 weeks) The current cost is \$46.00 per unit + \$19.00 health fee (\$387.00).

Course/program orientation is vitally important; first-day attendance is mandatory, if you miss orientation on day one you will be dropped, you cannot join the class after the first day.

The EMT student/trainee must possess the following:

1. Basic Life Support (BLS) CPR card by the American Heart Association (AHA) before the start date of the program.
2. 8 Panel Drug Test, you must not be under the influence throughout the program.
3. Federal background check within the last 30 days before the course begins.
4. FEMA Incident Command System (ICS) classes 100 & 700 must be completed before week 2 of the program.
5. Students are required to be immune to the following, therefore you will need to get a blood titters test that covers the following immunizations if your test reveals no immunity you Will need to get the immunization with the doctors signatura after you recieved the dose:
 - MMR (measles, mumps, rubella)
 - Varicella
 - Hepatitis B – begin the series of three
 - Current season Flu shot
 - Tuberculosis negative test within 6 months



The FEMA classes can be taken at:

ICS 100:

<https://training.fema.gov/is/courseoverview.aspx?code=IS-100.c&lang=en>

ICS 700:

<https://training.fema.gov/is/courseoverview.aspx?code=IS-700.b&lang=en>

You must enroll and get a FEMA Student ID number in order to take the final exam to earn your certificate.

Additional Required Equipment:

- The textbook is TBD
- Students must purchase the following personal equipment:
 - Stethoscope
 - Nylon blood pressure cuff
 - Pen light
 - Trauma sheers
 - Safety Glasses (eye protection)
 - N95 mask
 - Two rolls of 3" cloth surgical tape
- Finally, EMT Trainees are required to wear a uniform which consists of:
 - Navy-blue work pants like dickies
 - Navy blue polo shirt with no logos - TBD may update to new button ups.
 - White crew neck t-shirt to be worn under the polo shirt
 - Navy blue name tag with white letters (14 font) with students' first initial and last name on line 1 and the words "EMT Trainee" on line 2
 - Black leather belt
 - All black boots or shoes black leather boots are required for ambulance ride alongs.

You will wear the uniform to every class and to participate in your internships with our ambulance partners.

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