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## Firefighter Recruit



**OPENING DATE: MONDAY, 01/27/2025**

**CLOSING DATE: FRIDAY, 01/31/2025**

The Firefighter Recruit is a position which prepares incumbents for performing public safety work involving the protection of life, property and the delivery of Scottsdale Fire Department programs. Incumbents are sent to the Fire Academy for training in firefighting methods, emergency medical services, fire code enforcement and prevention practices, salvage operations, public relations, physical fitness and associated topics to prepare for appointment as a Firefighter.

### MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

#### Education and Experience

- A minimum of 18 years of age.
- High school diploma or General Educational Development (GED) equivalent.
- College course work that includes any combination of firefighting, EMS and academic subjects is preferred.

#### Licensing and Other Requirements:

- Must possess and maintain a valid, unrestricted driver's license with no major citations within the past 39 months prior to the start date. The Arizona Department of Motor Vehicles requires that out-of-state driver's licenses must be surrendered within 10 days of relocating to the State of Arizona.
- Must possess and maintain a valid State of Arizona Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) Certification or National Registry Emergency Medical Technician (NREMT) Certification at time of offer.
- Current (within 90 days of offer) Candidate Physical Abilities Test (CPAT) Certification.
- **Preferred:** Current Emergency Paramedic Certification or National Registry Emergency Paramedic Certification.
- Every person employed by the City of Scottsdale shall reside in the State of Arizona during his or her active employment by the City, regardless of whether the employee is approved to remote work.

### ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:

- Attends Fire Academy to learn fire-fighting skills and related rescue techniques, emergency medical techniques, fire codes, fire apparatus and equipment use, fire prevention and investigation methods, salvage and overhaul operations through classroom training, drills and observation.
- While wearing proper personal protective equipment (PPE) and a self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA), performs firefighting tasks (e.g. hose line operations, climbing, crawling, lifting and carrying heavy objects, ventilating roofs or walls, forcible entry, etc.), rescue operations, and other emergency response actions.
- Communicates (give and comprehend verbal orders) while wearing personal protective ensembles and SCBA under conditions of high background noise, poor visibility, and drenching from hose lines and/or fixed protection systems (sprinklers).
- Holds nozzles and directs water streams.
- Raises and climbs ladders.
- Uses chemical extinguishers, bars, hooks, lines and other firefighting equipment.
- Performs salvage and overhaul operations.
- Administers emergency medical treatment to injured persons.

**A completed online application is required to be considered. Online applications will be available at the City of Scottsdale's Job Opportunities page at <https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/scottsdaleaz> from Monday, 1/27/2025 through Friday, 1/31/2025.**