

Training Announcement

**Fire Prevention
and Control**

2021 Combined BEFO w/ HMFRO- SCBA/ IFO-FF1 Blended Learning Course

Description:

This course is designed for the highly motivated, self-directed student with access to high-speed internet who can commit to independently completing monitored online work by set deadlines. Students are expected to read three chapters and complete the respective online activities and score at least 80% on three online; end of chapter tests each week. In-person skills sessions and testing are scheduled at County or local training facilities.

This is a comprehensive program that prepares the new firefighter to respond to emergencies as an exterior and interior structural firefighter under the direct supervision of a company officer. And as such covers the objectives of both the 2021 BEFO w/ HMFRO and 2021 SCBA/ IFO-FF1 courses. This course also assists the new firefighter in accomplishing the objectives of NFPA 1001- Firefighter-1 and trains them as an interior structural firefighter in accordance with OSHA regulations 1910.156 Fire Brigade Standard and 1910.134 Respiratory Protection Standard.

Students participate in training covering firefighter personal protective equipment (PPE), self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) use, inspection and cylinder changing, fire department communications, building construction and fire behavior, modern fire control research, exterior and interior structural fire suppression, portable fire extinguishers, vehicle fire suppression, rope and knot tying, carrying, placing and climbing ground ladders, forcible entry, tactical ventilation theory and application, water supply, hose and fire streams, hose line stretching and advancement, structural fire search and rescue, loss control, orientation to fire origin and cause determination, firefighter post fire decontamination, confined space awareness, overview of first aid and buddy care, and Hazardous Materials First Responder Operations

Designed For:

Entry Level Exterior Firefighter

Course Length:

26 hours in-person and 46 hours estimated of monitored online activities and testing.

Prerequisites:

Medical clearance and mask fit test are required to participate.

Course number:

01-05-0103

Registration Dates:

6/26/2026 – 9/9/2026

Available Seats:

18

Dates:

Classes: 9/9, 9/16, 9/24, 9/26, 10/3, 10/14, 10/19, 10/26, and 10/28

Online: 9/16, 9/24, 9/26, 9/29, 10/7, 10/14, and 10/26

(Weekday classes begin at 1830, Weekend classes begin at 0800)

Location:

Yorkville Fire Station. 34 6th St., Yorkville, NY

For registration, click the title above or find a link to the new LMS registration portal for all DHSES training courses on our website.