

FIRE AND EMERGENCY SERVICES MANAGEMENT AAS STATEWIDE PROGRAM: 346A

Total Credits: 60 Catalog Edition: 2021-2022

Program Description

(R, TP/SS): 346A

This curriculum is designed to provide individuals with the principles, theory, and practices associated with state-of-the-art fire science and management, including issues related to tactical fire operations, fire safety, firefighting and emergency services leadership and management, and community fire issues.

Students expand their thinking beyond fire-specific issues in areas related to firefighting through coursework in human resource management, administration, homeland security and emergency/disaster management, fire protection services, safety and prevention, and investigation.

This curriculum is designed to meet the needs of professional and volunteer fire service personnel and those seeking employment in the fire and emergency services.

Program Outcomes

Upon completion of this program a student will be able to:

- Demonstrate understanding of building construction and associated fire codes.
- Apply and discuss water supply management for fire protection systems and fire scene use.
- Apply chemistry, mathematics, and physics to solve fire protection problems.
- Identify and differentiate the various forms of fire, their fundamental scientific principles, and their associated mitigation and response strategies.

Program Advisors

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To view the Advising Worksheet, please visit <u>https://</u> www.montgomerycollege.edu/_documents/counseling-andadvising/advising-worksheets/current-catalog/346a.pdf

2021-2022 **Program Advising Guide** An Academic Reference Tool for Students

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Suggested Course Sequence

A suggested course sequence for full-time students follows. All students should review this advising guide and consult an advisor.

Second Semester

First Semester

ENGL 101 - Introduction to College Writing 3 semester hours *	English Foundation 3 semester hours (ENGF)
FIRE 101 - Principles of Emergency Services 3 semester hours	Mathematics Foundation3 semester hours (MATF)
FIRE 102 - Fire Behavior and Combustion <i>3 semester hours</i> FIRE 103 - Building Construction for Fire Protection <i>3</i> <i>semester hours</i>	FIRE 104 - Principles of Fire and Emergency Services Safety & Survival 3 semester hours
	FIRE 105 - Fire Prevention 3 semester hours
LIBR 110 - Fundamentals of Library Research 1 semester hour	FIRE 201 - Fire Protection Systems 3 semester hours
PSYC 102 - General Psychology 3 semester hours (BSSD)	PHED 166 - Personal Fitness I 1 semester hour
Third Semester COMM 108 - Foundations of Human Communication <i>3</i> <i>semester hours</i> (GEEL)	OR
	PHED 170 - Strength Training and Conditioning I 1 semester hour
OR	Fourth Semester EMGT 101 - Principles of Emergency Management 3
COMM 112 - Business and Professional Speech Communication <i>3 semester hours</i> (GEEL)	semester hours
FIRE 202 - Fire Protection Hydraulics and Water Supply 3 semester hours	FIRE 203 - Principles of Fire and Emergency Service Administration <i>3 semester hours</i>
Arts or Humanities Distribution 3 semester hours (ARTD or HUMD)	HLTH 220 - Emergency Medical Responder 3 semester hours
	FIRE Elective (200 Level) 3 semester hours
Natural Sciences Distribution With Lab4 semester hours (NSLD)	

General Education Elective 3 semester hours (GEEL)

Total Credit Hours: 60

* ENGL 101/ENGL 101A, if needed for ENGL 102/ENGL 103, or elective.

Transfer Opportunities

Montgomery College has partnerships with multiple four-year institutions and the tools to help you transfer. To learn more, please visit <u>https://www.montgomerycollege.edu/transfer</u> or <u>http://artsys.usmd.edu</u>.

Get Involved at MC!

Employers and Transfer Institutions are looking for experience outside the classroom.

MC Student Clubs and Organizations: <u>https://</u> www.montgomerycollege.edu/life-at-mc/student-life/

Related Careers

Some require a Bachelor's degree.

Emergency Management Director, Fire-Prevention and Protection Engineer, Emergency Medical Technician and Paramedic, Municipal Fire Fighting and Prevention Supervisor, Municipal Firefighter, Fire Inspetor.

Career Services

Montgomery College offers a range of services to students and alumni to support the career planning process. To learn more, please visit <u>https://www.montgomerycollege.edu/career</u>

Career Coach

A valuable online search tool that will give you the opportunity to explore hundreds of potential careers or job possibilities in Maryland and the Washington D.C. metropolitan area. Get started today on your road to a new future and give it a try. For more information, please visit <u>https://montgomerycollege.emsicc.com</u>

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