

# FIRE OFFICER CERTIFICATE

The Fire Officer Certificate is for current Texas Commission on Fire Protection (TCFP) firefighters seeking to become eligible for the TCFP Fire Officer I and Fire Officer II certification exams. At the completion of this certificate program and subsequent TCFP skills examination(s), students may be eligible for other employment opportunities within fire services. Students must complete each course to be eligible for the TCFP exam; therefore, articulation of credit is not an option for this certificate.

- Degree Type: Certificate
- Fire Science is offered online and on Terrell Campus
- TSI (<https://coursecatalog.tvcc.edu/admission-registration/testing/tsi-testing-requirements/>): not required
- Capstone course: FIRT-1349 Fire Administration II

**This program leads to the Fire Protection Technology AAS.**

Course	Title	Hours
<b>Term One</b>		
FIRT-1307	Fire Prevention Codes and Inspections	3
FIRT-2309	Firefighting Strategies and Tactics I	3
FIRT-1327	Building Construction in the Fire Service	3
FIRT-1309	Fire Administration I	3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>12</b>
<b>Term Two</b>		
FIRT-1319	Firefighter Health and Safety	3
FIRT-2331	Firefighting Strategies and Tactics II	3
FIRT-1315	Hazardous Material I	3
FIRT-1303	Fire and Arson Investigation I	3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>12</b>
<b>Term Three</b>		
FIRT-1353	Legal Aspects of Fire Protection	3
FIRT-1349	Fire Administration II	3
<b>Hours</b>		<b>6</b>
<b>Total Hours</b>		<b>30</b>

Students enrolling in this program who are current Texas Commission on Fire Protection (TCFP) firefighters **may** qualify for tuition and certain lab fees exemption. See the financial aid office for details of the exemption.