

Volunteer Fire Fighter I

Job Description

Basic Duties:

Entry-level volunteer fire fighter position in support of additional firefighters and other emergency responders. Provides basic firefighting skills to the protection of life and property as part of a countywide fire service. Duties include driving and operating fire apparatus, extinguishing fires, First Responder level medical assistance, and other emergency response activities within the scope of the individual's level of training and ability. **Does not include activities that require the use of a self-contained breathing apparatus.**

Optional Duties: (Depending upon training and qualifications)

May operate specialized fire apparatus and equipment such as aerial apparatus, hydraulic rescue tools, or other equipment as approved by the Polk County Fire Services Director or their designee.

Minimum Qualifications:

Subject to FDLE background check, Driver License Check, Physical, and Drug Screen
Must have a State of Florida Class "D" (or better) Driver License with an "E" endorsement

Minimum Training: (Substitutions to the minimum must be approved by the Fire Services Education Coordinator)

Must have successfully completed the following:

Infection Control Class

Hazardous Materials - Operations Level (Initial Response to Hazardous Materials Incident IHRMI)

Emergency Vehicle Operators Course (EVOC)

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Must attend a Volunteer Orientation class within the first three (3) months of active duty

*Completion of a 40 hour Medical First Responder class is strongly encouraged within 1 year.