

Emergency & Fire Services Academy

Socorro High School



The firefighter program is an option that will give students an advantage to the highly competitive acceptance into the cities firefighter academy by supplying the students with skills and industry certifications that are acceptable throughout the nation. Students will have the opportunity to attend several fire training facilities for hands on experience in basic firefighter skills while concurrently learning about the application of chemistry and physics in the classroom and real life applications. Students will analyze Texas Commission on Fire Protection rules and regulations, proper incident reporting and records, proper use of personal protective equipment, and the principles of fire safety. Students will differentiate which firefighting tactics should be applied to each particular situation that occurs based on their knowledge of the different classifications of fire.

Students will have the ability to earn Dual Credit through EPCC starting their Freshmen year with the opportunity to graduate with 25 dual credit hours applicable towards an Associates of Applied Sciences Degree and includes EMT Certification.

Other Industry Certifications students can earn include:

- CPR/First Aid/AED
- CERT
- OSHA
- ICS 100, 200, 700, and 800

Freshman Year

- Fundamentals of Fire Protection
- Firefighter Health and Safety

Sophomore Year

- Fire Fighter Agility and Fitness preparation
- Building Construction Related to the Fire Service

Junior Year

- Public Education Programs
- Fire Inspection and Code Enforcement

Senior Year

- Fire Detection and Suppression Systems
- EMT Certification

Program Enrollment and Contact

All Socorro ISD students are invited to apply for enrollment in the Socorro High School Emergency & Fire Services Academy program. Students are accepted based on the students' attendance and conduct records, middle school academic achievement, STARR scores, and the contents of the program application.

For more information on the Emergency & Fire Services Academy contact Joe Olivas at 915-937-2318 or joliva03@sisd.net.



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