

## PUBLIC SAFETY

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### Information for Criminal Justice Majors

The Criminal Justice Program is designed to provide students with the basic theoretical knowledge, that will prepare them to transfer to four-year institutions in pre-law, law enforcement, or corrections. The program develops a high level of academic, personal, and professional competence demanded in a wide range of agencies.

#### MODEL PROGRAM FOR CRIMINAL JUSTICE

##### LAW ENFORCEMENT OPTION

The following model program fulfills requirements for an A.A. Degree in Criminal Justice/Law Enforcement at Cabrillo College. Specific lower division major preparation at four-year public institutions in California can be found at [www.assisst.org](http://www.assisst.org). Please see a counselor for advisement for transfer to any four-year institution.

Core Courses	Units
CJ 1	Introduction to Criminal Justice . . . . . 3
CJ 2	Criminal Law . . . . . 3
CJ 3	Criminal Evidence. . . . . 3
CJ 5	The Police Role in the Community. . . . . 3
CJ 6	Criminal Investigation . . . . . 4
MATH 12	Elementary Statistics . . . . . 4
OR	
BUS 9	Business Statistics . . . . . 3

#### Approved Electives

CJ 4	Criminal Courts and Procedures . . . . . 3
CJ 7	Criminal Justice Written Communications . . . . 3
CJ 9	Juvenile Procedures. . . . . 3
CJ 12	Contemporary Issues in the Justice System . . 3
CJ 20	Criminal Behavior . . . . . 3
CJ 41	Narcotics Identification and Enforcement. . . . 3
*CJ 110	Forensic Investigation . . . . . 3
*CJ 111	Self Defense for Law Enforcement. . . . . 3
*CJ 155D	Law Enforcement Skills and Knowledge Modules. . . . . 4

**MATH 12	Elementary Statistics . . . . . 4
OR	

*BUS 9	Business Statistics. . . . . 3
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\*These courses are not transferable to four-year universities.

\*\*If not used for a core course.

#### Associate in Arts Degree in Criminal Justice/Law Enforcement

General Education . . . . .	30
Law Enforcement Core . . . . .	19-20
Approved Electives . . . . .	3-8
Electives . . . . .	2-8
<b>Total for the A.A. Degree in Criminal Justice/Law Enforcement</b>	<b>60</b>

#### CORRECTIONS OPTION

##### Core Courses

##### Units

CJ 1	Introduction to Criminal Justice. . . . . 3
CJ 2	Criminal Law . . . . . 3
CJ 3	Criminal Evidence. . . . . 3
CJ 5	The Police Role in the Community. . . . . 3
CJ 19	Introduction to Corrections . . . . . 3
CJ 20	Criminal Behavior. . . . . 3
MATH 12	Elementary Statistics . . . . . 4
OR	
BUS 9	Business Statistics. . . . . 3

##### Approved Electives

CJ 4	Criminal Courts and Procedures . . . . . 3
CJ 6	Criminal Investigation . . . . . 4
CJ 9	Juvenile Procedures. . . . . 3
CJ 12	Contemporary Issues in the Justice System . . 3
CJ 41	Narcotics Identification and Enforcement. . . . 3
*MATH 12	Elementary Statistics . . . . . 4
OR	
*BUS 9	Business Statistics . . . . . 3
+CJ 110	Forensic Investigation . . . . . 3
+CJ 111	Self Defense for Law Enforcement. . . . . 3

\*if not used as a core course

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#### Associate in Arts Degree in Criminal Justice/Corrections

General Education . . . . .	30
Corrections Core. . . . .	21-22
Approved Electives . . . . .	3-8
Electives (any course 1-99). . . . .	0-6
<b>Total for A.A. Degree in Criminal Justice/Corrections</b>	<b>60</b>

**Public Safety Occupational Programs**

**Associate in Science Degree in Criminal Justice**

The Criminal Justice Program is designed to provide students with basic knowledge and skills for employment in the criminal justice field. The program also offers certificated programs designed to meet the State of California training requirements for law enforcement reserve officers. In addition, the program provides continuing education for persons already employed in the justice system as peace officers, counselors, attorneys, and private security officers.

**Law Enforcement Option**

<b>Core Courses</b>	<b>Units</b>
CJ 1 Introduction to Criminal Justice. . . . .	3
CJ 2 Criminal Law . . . . .	3
CJ 3 Criminal Evidence. . . . .	3
CJ 4 Criminal Courts and Procedures . . . . .	3
CJ 5 The Police Role in the Community. . . . .	3
CJ 6 Criminal Investigation . . . . .	4

**Approved Electives**

CJ 7 Criminal Justice Written Communications. . . . .	3
CJ 9 Juvenile Procedures. . . . .	3
CJ 12 Contemporary Issues in the Justice System . . . . .	3
CJ 20 Criminal Behavior. . . . .	3
CJ 41 Narcotics Identification and Enforcement. . . . .	3
**CJ 110 Forensic Investigation . . . . .	3
**CJ 111 Self Defense for Law Enforcement. . . . .	3
**CJ 155D Law Enforcement Skills and Knowledge Modules. . . . .	4

\*\*These courses are not transferable to four-year universities.

**Associate in Science Degree in Law Enforcement**

General Education . . . . .	21
Law Enforcement Core Courses. . . . .	19
Approved Electives. . . . .	11
Electives (Any course 1-199) . . . . .	9
<b>Total for A.S. Degree in Law Enforcement</b>	<b>60</b>

**Corrections Option**

<b>Core Courses</b>	<b>Units</b>
CJ 1 Introduction to Criminal Justice. . . . .	3
CJ 2 Criminal Law . . . . .	3
CJ 3 Criminal Evidence. . . . .	3
CJ 4 Criminal Courts and Procedures . . . . .	3
CJ 5 The Police Role in the Community. . . . .	3
CJ 19 Introduction to Corrections . . . . .	3
CJ 20 Criminal Behavior. . . . .	3

**Approved Electives**

CJ 6 Criminal Investigation . . . . .	4
CJ 9 Juvenile Procedures. . . . .	3
CJ 12 Contemporary Issues in the Justice System . . . . .	3
CJ 41 Narcotics Identification and Enforcement. . . . .	3
**CJ 110 Forensic Investigation . . . . .	3
**CJ 111 Self Defense for Law Enforcement. . . . .	3
**CJ 155D Law Enforcement Skills and Knowledge Modules. . . . .	4

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**Associate in Science Degree in Corrections**

General Education . . . . .	21
Corrections Core Courses . . . . .	21
Approved Electives . . . . .	10-13
Electives (Any course 1-199) . . . . .	5-8
<b>Total for A.S. Degree in Corrections</b>	<b>60</b>

**Community Service Officer Skills Certificate**

CJ 1 Introduction to Criminal Justice. . . . .	3
CJ 3 Criminal Evidence. . . . .	3
CJ 5 The Police role in the Community . . . . .	3
CJ 110 Forensic Investigation . . . . .	3
CJ 170A Law Enforcement Training–P.C. 832 Laws of Arrest. . . . .	2½
ENGL 1A/1AMC College Composition (with grade B or better) . . . . .	3
<b>Total for Community Service Officer</b>	<b>17½</b>

**Information for Fire Technology Majors**

Today, fire service personnel are faced with a diverse and complex environment. Firefighters must be well trained to deal effectively with the fire protection problems, emergency medical care response, and hazardous materials emergencies. The Fire Technology Program at Cabrillo emphasizes basic educational skills in mathematics, chemistry, and communications, as well as fire protection curriculum designed to prepare students for careers in the fire protection field.

Careers in fire protection include public fire service, fire protection engineering, and education. Positions are available in state and federal agencies and private industry. Thousands of openings for both men and women occur each year in fire service and related fields; competition is keen, however. Most fire departments require degrees or certificates of proficiency as a prerequisite for promotion.

High School preparation: Completion of algebra, chemistry, and physics is highly recommended.

The following model program fulfills requirements for an A.A. Degree in Fire Technology at Cabrillo College. Specific lower division major preparation at four-year public institutions in California can be found at [www.assisst.org](http://www.assisst.org). Please see a counselor for advisement for transfer to any four-year institution.

<b>Core Courses</b>	<b>Units</b>
FT 1 Fire Protection Organization. . . . .	3
FT 2 Fire Prevention Technology . . . . .	3
FT 3 Fire Protection Equipment and Systems . . . . .	3
FT 4 Building Construction for Fire Protection. . . . .	3
FT 5 Fire Behavior and Combustion. . . . .	3

**Approved Electives**

FT 7 Introduction to Hazardous Materials . . . . .	3
FT 8 Wildlands Fire Control . . . . .	3
FT 9 Fire Investigation . . . . .	3
**FT 155D Fire Technology Skills and Knowledge Modules. . . . .	4

\*\*This course does not transfer to a four-year university

**Associate in Arts Degree in Fire Technology**

General Education . . . . .	30
Core Courses . . . . .	15
Approved Electives . . . . .	6-13
Electives (any course 1-99) . . . . .	2-9
<b>Total for A.A. Degree in Fire Technology</b>	<b>60</b>

**A.S. Degree in Fire Technology**

<b>Core Courses</b>	<b>Units</b>
FT 1 Fire Protection Organization . . . . .	3
FT 2 Fire Prevention Technology . . . . .	3
FT 3 Fire Protection Equipment and Systems . . . . .	3
FT 4 Building Construction for Fire Protection. . . . .	3
FT 5 Fire Behavior and Combustion. . . . .	3
<b>Approved Electives</b>	
FT 7 Introduction to Hazardous Materials . . . . .	3
FT 8 Wildlands Fire Control . . . . .	3
FT 9 Fire Investigation . . . . .	3
FT 155D Fire Technology Skills and Knowledge Modules. . . . .	4
FT 175 Hazardous Materials-First Responder Operations . . . . .	½
FT 176 Confined Space I. . . . .	¼
FT 183 Emergency Medical Technician-1. . . . .	7
FT 183L Emergency Medical Technician Lab . . . . .	1-3
FT 187 CPR for Health Providers . . . . .	¼
FT 188 Advanced EMS: Preparing for Paramedic Training . . . . .	3

**Associate in Science Degree in Fire Technology**

General Education . . . . .	21
Fire Technology Core Courses. . . . .	15
Approved Electives . . . . .	6-24
Electives (any course 1-199). . . . .	0-18
<b>Total for A.S. Degree in Fire Technology</b>	<b>60</b>

**FIRE SERVICE MANAGEMENT OPTION**

<b>Core Courses</b>	<b>Units</b>
FT 160 Fire Management I . . . . .	2
FT 161 Fire Command 1A . . . . .	2
FT 162 Fire Command 1B . . . . .	2
FT 163 Fire Prevention 1A . . . . .	2
FT 164 Fire Prevention 1B . . . . .	2
FT 165 Fire Investigation 1A . . . . .	2
FT 166 Fire Investigation 1B . . . . .	2
FT 167 Fire Instructor 1A. . . . .	2
FT 168 Fire Instructor 1B. . . . .	2
<b>Approved Electives</b>	
ACCT 1A Financial Accounting . . . . .	4
ACCT 158 Introduction to Non-Profit Government Accounting. . . . .	3
CABT 156 Business Grammar. . . . .	3
BUS 164 Human Relations & Supervision . . . . .	3
COMM 2 Group Discussion. . . . .	3
COMM 4 Persuasion and Argumentation . . . . .	3
CJ 2 Criminal Law . . . . .	3
CJ 170A Law Enforcement Reserve Training PC 832 Laws of Arrest . . . . .	2½
FT 155D Fire Technology Skills and Knowledge Modules. . . . .	4
HS 12 Stress Management. . . . .	3
SOC 2 Contemporary Social Problems . . . . .	3

**Associate in Science Degree in Fire Service Management**

General Education . . . . .	21
Fire Service Management Core Courses . . . . .	18
Approved Electives . . . . .	9-12
Electives (any course 1-199) . . . . .	9-12
<b>Total for A.S. Degree in Fire Service Management</b>	<b>60</b>

**Certificate of Proficiency in Fire Service Management**

Fire Service Management Core Courses . . . . .	18
ENGL 100/1A/1AMC, or CABT 157. . . . .	3
<b>Total for Certificate of Proficiency</b>	<b>21</b>

**Emergency Medical Technician Skills Certificate**

FT 99SL Service Learning in Fire Technology . . . . .	1-3
FT 183 Emergency Medical Technician-B. . . . .	3
FT 183L Emergency Medical Technician Lab . . . . .	1-3
FT 188 Advanced EMS: Preparing for Paramedic Training . . . . .	3
<b>Total for Emergency Medical Technician Skills Certificate</b>	<b>8-12</b>

**Public Safety Courses**

**CJ 1**

**Introduction to Criminal Justice**

3 units; 3 hours Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

History and philosophy of the administration of justice in America; identification and interrelationship of the various subsystems; theories of crime, punishment, and rehabilitation. May be offered in a distance learning format.

*Transfer Credit:* Transfers to CSU. Transfers to UC. CAN AJ2.

**CJ 2**

**Criminal Law**

3 units; 3 hours Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Historical development and evolution of law; origin and foundation of law in U.S.; definition and importance of case law; principles of California criminal law; components of criminal offenses and criminal negligence; legal defense; inchoate crimes; study of specific California crimes and their elements; criminal law terminology. May be offered in a Distance-Learning Format.

*Transfer Credit:* Transfers to CSU. Transfers to UC. CAN AJ4.

**CJ 3**

**Criminal Evidence**

3 units; 3 hours Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Origin, development, philosophy and constitutional basis of evidence; constitutional and procedural considerations affecting arrest, search and seizure; kinds and degrees of evidence and rules governing responsibility; judicial decisions interpreting individual rights and case studies. The course may be offered in a distance learning format.

*Transfer Credit:* Transfers to CSU. CAN AJ6.

## **CJ 4**

### **Criminal Courts and Procedures**

3 units; 3 hours Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Review of court systems on the state and federal levels. Procedures from incident to final disposition. May be offered in a distance learning format.

*Transfer Credit:* Transfers to CSU.

## **CJ 5**

### **The Police Role in the Community**

3 units; 3 hours Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

A study of the role of the police in the community with an emphasis on ethics, discretionary decision making and community policing. May be offered in a distance learning format.

*Transfer Credit:* Transfers to CSU.

## **CJ 6**

### **Criminal Investigation**

4 units; 4 hours Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Fundamental investigative techniques of crime scene and follow-up investigation; the definition, categories and handling of physical evidence as well as the investigative value of various types of evidence, identification and lifting of fingerprints; interviewing, interrogation and sources of information; investigating specific crimes. May be offered in a distance learning format.

*Transfer Credit:* Transfers to CSU. CAN AJ8.

## **CJ 7**

### **Criminal Justice Written Communications**

3 units; 3 hours Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Methods to develop students' abilities in note taking, interviewing, information gathering, report writing mechanics and organization, and critical evaluation. Attention will be given to a note-taking system and recording facts in a logical manner. Students will write and analyze police reports to meet the standards of the Criminal Justice System. May be offered in a distance learning format.

*Transfer Credit:* Transfers to CSU.

## **CJ 9**

### **Juvenile Procedures**

3 units; 3 hours Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Techniques of handling juvenile offenders and victims; prevention and repression of delinquency; diagnosis and referral; organization of community resources; juvenile law; and court procedures. May be taught in a distance learning format.

*Transfer Credit:* Transfers to CSU.

## **CJ 12**

### **Contemporary Issues in the Justice System**

3 units; 3 hours Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Designed to analyze issues of immediate concern to the justice system including domestic violence, gangs, drug and narcotic abuse, police review, controversial prosecutions and voter initiatives directed at the criminal justice system. May be offered in a distance learning format.

*Transfer Credit:* Transfers to CSU.

## **CJ 19**

### **Introduction to Corrections**

3 units; 3 hours Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Repeatability: May be taken 4 times.

Designed to provide the student with an overview of the history and trends of adult and juvenile corrections, including probation and parole. It will focus on the legal issues, specific laws, and general operation of correctional institutions. The relationship between corrections and other components of the judicial system will also be examined. May be taught in a distance learning format.

*Transfer Credit:* Transfers to CSU.

## **CJ 20**

### **Criminal Behavior**

3 units; 3 hours Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Studies how and why people become criminals and examines many types of criminal behavior, such as serial killers, street gangs, child molesters and abusers, sex offenders, and organized crime members. Examines factors often found in the background of the offender. Includes field trips to correctional institutions and guest speakers.

*Transfer Credit:* Transfers to CSU.

## **CJ 41**

### **Narcotics Identification and Enforcement**

3 units; 3 hours Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Basic identification of narcotics and intermediate types of narcotic investigations; includes licensed personnel, common forgeries of prescriptions, sales, search warrants, and surveillance. Reports and preparation for court. Participation in a mock trial. May be offered in a distance learning format.

*Transfer Credit:* Transfers to CSU.

## **CJ 110**

### **Forensic Investigation**

3 units; 3 hours Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Repeatability: May be taken 4 times.

Teaches the skills necessary to identify, preserve, and lawfully collect evidence at a crime scene.

## **CJ 111**

### **Self Defense for Law Enforcement**

3 units; 3 hours Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Repeatability: May be taken 4 times.

Developes defensive skills including control holds, takedown, ground defense, weapons retention, legal and ethical use of force principles, and basic self defense concepts.

## **CJ 190A-Z**

### **Special Topics in Criminal Justice**

½ - 12 units; ½ hour Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Selected topics in Criminal Justice not covered by regular catalog offerings. Each special topic course will be announced, described, and given its own title and letter designation in the Schedule of Classes. The structure and format of the classes will vary depending on the subject matter. Any particular special topics course may be taken a total of four times.

## **FT 1**

### **Fire Protection Organization**

3 units; 3 hours Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Examines fundamentals of fire department organization, management, and resources, emphasizing the use of those resources to control various emergencies. May be offered in a Distance-Learning Format.

*Transfer Credit:* Transfers to CSU.

## **FT 2**

### **Fire Prevention Technology**

3 units; 3 hours Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Explores the organization and function of fire prevention, including inspections; surveying and mapping procedures; recognition of fire and life hazards; and public education aspects of fire prevention. May be offered in a Distance-Learning Format.

*Transfer Credit:* Transfers to CSU.

## **FT 3**

### **Fire Protection Equipment and Systems**

3 units; 3 hours Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Examines portable fire extinguishing equipment; fire detection and alarm systems, sprinkler systems; and protection systems for special hazards. May be offered in a Distance-Learning Format.

*Transfer Credit:* Transfers to CSU.

## **FT 4**

### **Building Construction for Fire Protection**

3 units; 3 hours Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Examines the fundamentals of building construction as they relate to fire protection including occupancy, building equipment, facilities, fire resistive materials, and high-rise considerations. May be offered in a Distance-Learning Format.

*Transfer Credit:* Transfers to CSU.

## **FT 5**

### **Fire Behavior and Combustion**

3 units; 3 hours Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Examines theory and fundamentals of how and why fires start, spread, and are controlled including an in-depth study of fire chemistry, physics, characteristics of materials, extinguishing agents, and control techniques. May be offered in a Distance-Learning Format.

*Transfer Credit:* Transfers to CSU.

## **FT 7**

### **Introduction to Hazardous Materials**

3 units; 3 hours Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Presents emergency handling of toxic and radioactive materials, fuels, oxidizers, explosives, as well as flammability and hazard control for storage and transit. May be offered in a Distance-Learning Format.

*Transfer Credit:* Transfers to CSU.

## **FT 8**

### **Wildlands Fire Control**

3 units; 3 hours Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Provides the firefighter or fire protection technology major with a fundamental knowledge of the factors affecting wildland fire prevention, fire behavior, and control techniques. May be offered in a Distance-Learning Format.

*Transfer Credit:* Transfers to CSU.

## **FT 9**

### **Fire Investigation**

3 units; 3 hours Lecture

Recommended Preparation: FT 1; Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Repeatability: May be taken 3 times.

Explores causes and types of fire, related laws, recognition and preservation of evidence, and introduces witness and suspect interviews as well as arrest, detention, and court procedures.

*Transfer Credit:* Transfers to CSU.

## **FT 175**

### **Hazardous Materials—First Responder Operations**

½ unit; ½ hour Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Repeatability: May be taken 4 times.

Prepares student to carry out the initial response to a hazardous materials emergency.

## **FT 176**

### **Confined Space I**

¼ unit; ¼ hour Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Repeatability: May be taken 4 times.

Provides an overview of OSHA regulations as well as ANSI standards relative to confined space rescue.

## **FT 178**

### **CPR for Health Providers**

½ unit; ½ hour Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Repeatability: May be taken 4 times.

Teaches CPR skills for victims of all ages to health care providers, focusing on ventilation with a barrier device, a bag-mask device, use of an automated external defibrillator (AED).

## **FT 180**

### **Basic Incident Command System 200**

1 unit; 1 hour Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Introduces organization, basic terminology, and common responsibility information about Incident Command System (ICS) for personnel working in a support role at an incident or event.

## **FT 181**

### **Intermediate Incident Command System 300**

1½ units; 1½ hours Lecture

Prerequisite: FT 180 (State Fire Marshall Course # ISC. 200.)

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Reviews and further explores information designed to meet the needs of command officers managing complex emergency incidents.

## **FT 182**

### **Advanced Incident Command System 400**

1½ units; 1½ hours Lecture

Prerequisite: FT 181 (State Fire Marshall Course # ICS 200.)

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Introduces large-scale organizational development; rules and relationships of primary staff; and the planning, operational, and fiscal considerations related to complex incident and event management. Intended for chief officers and designed to meet the needs of command officers managing complex emergency incidents.

## **FT 183**

### **Emergency Medical Technician-B**

7 units; 7 hours Lecture

Prerequisite: FT 178; State Requirement: Current CPR card for Health Care Provider (infant/child/adult.)

Corequisite: FT 183L

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Repeatability: May be taken 4 times. A grade of "C" or better is required for certification as an EMT-B. Repetition allowed for students whose EMT certification has lapsed.

Meets the State of California requirements for an Emergency Medical Technician-B (EMT-B) to render pre-hospital basic life support services, with emphasis on practices and techniques, vital to the interaction of EMT-B personnel with all levels of emergency medical personnel. State Requirement: Current CPR card for Health Care Provider (infant/child/adult).

## **FT 183L**

### **Emergency Medical Technician Lab**

1 - 3 units; 3 hours Laboratory

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Repeatability: May be taken 4 times.

Prepares for application of emergency medical technician skills (and skills portion of the Santa Cruz County EMT certifying exam) through practice on issues from vital signs assessment to emergency childbirth.

## **FT 184**

### **Emergency Medical Technician-B Refresher**

1½ units; 1½ hours Lecture

Prerequisite: Possession of a valid EMT-B certificate or a certificate that has been expired for less than one year.

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Repeatability: May be repeated.

Meets California State requirements for renewal of Emergency Medical Technician-B certification for persons who hold a valid EMT-B certificate or one that has been expired for less than one year.

## **FT 185**

### **Firefighter-I Academy**

10 units; 20 hours Lecture

Prerequisite: 1. Ability to meet the Academy medical standards as certified by a medical doctor.

2. Ability to pass a pre-academy physical agility examination.

3. Submission of a completed application and payment of all fees.

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Repeatability: May be repeated.

Meets standards for certification by the State Board of Fire Services and the California State Fire Marshall for Firefighter 1 basic course, focusing on competent and comprehensive training in the field of Fire Technology as it relates to firefighters.

## **FT 186**

### **Preparing for your Fire Service Career**

½ unit; ½ hour Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Repeatability: May be taken 4 times.

Focuses on preparation of application and techniques for success in written, physical agility, and oral interview portions of the recruitment process.

## **FT 188**

### **Advanced EMS:**

#### **Preparing for Paramedic Training**

3 units; 3 hours Lecture

Prerequisite: FT 183 or equivalent; EMT and CPR certification required.

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Repeatability: May be taken 4 times.

Prepares Emergency Medical Technicians for testing into paramedic school introducing aspects of advanced life support patient care. Upon course completion students will receive 24 C.E.U.s toward EMT recertification.

**FT 189**

**CDF Wildland Firefighter 1 Academy**

2¼ units; 6¾ hours Laboratory

Prerequisite: 1. Meet the academy medical standards as certified by a medical doctor.2. Pass a pre-academy physical agility examination.3. Submit completed application public safety program application.

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Repeatability: May be taken 4 times.

Teaches basic wildland firefighting skills, laws, and regulations including safe use of hoses, tools, equipment, and ladders.

**FT 190A-Z**

**Special Topics in Fire Technology**

½ - 12 units; ½ hour Lecture

Recommended Preparation: Eligibility for ENGL 100 and READ 100.

Repeatability: May be taken 4 times. Any particular special topics course may be taken a total of 4 times.

Introduces selected topics in Fire Technology not covered by regular catalog offerings. Each special topic course will be announced, described, and given its own title and letter designation in the *Schedule of Classes*. The structure and format of the classes will vary depending on the subject matter.