

**South Carolina Fire Academy
Presents
Fire Officer I in a Blended
Learning Format**

The South Carolina Fire Academy is proud to announce its Blended Learning program which incorporates on-line, pre-course and traditional learning elements into a dynamic Fire Officer I course. In a partnership between the Academy and Fire Protection Publications, this course gives the learner the best of all instructional media in today's fire service market.



Charleston Region

Orientation

September 1, 2010 (9:30-12:30)

In-Class Period

November 1-4, 2010 (8:30-5:00)

2101-11501

Charleston Regional Office



Greenville Region

Orientation

September 16, 2010 (9:30-12:30)

In-Class Period

November 15-18, 2010 (8:30-5:00)

2101-11101

**City of Greer Fire Department
Training Center**

*Registration
period ends
August 16, 2010*





IFSAAC-endorsed Fire Officer I certification testing

Prerequisites:

NFPA Fire Instructor I, NFPA Firefighter II, 2147 or 2137 or equivalent I-200 training.

Course Fee: \$5

Technology requirements:

Students must use a computer with high-speed internet connection to complete the on-line learning modules.

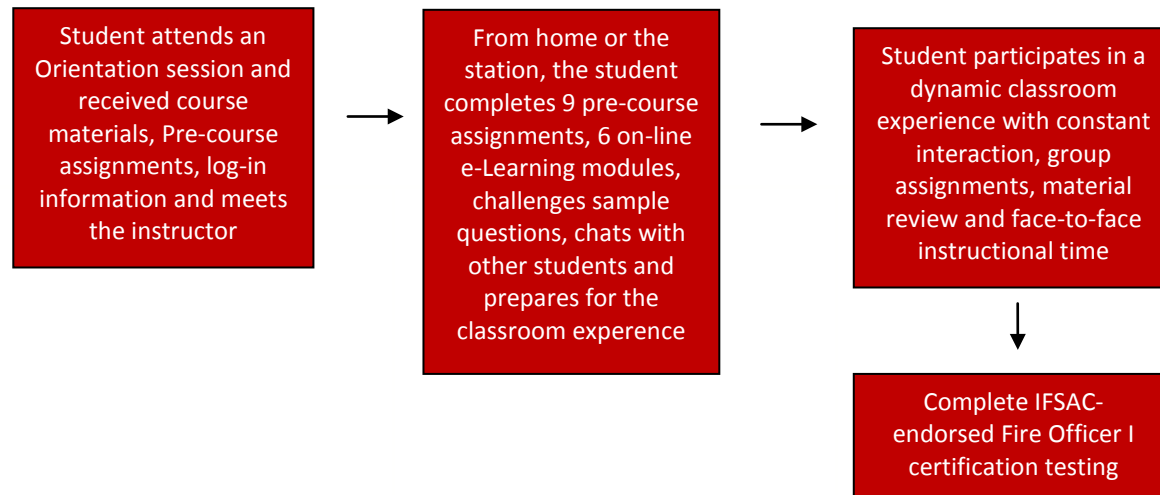
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Course Overview >>>

The student must attend a 3-hour orientation session where they will receive their course materials. During the 8-week period, the learner is required to complete the 6 on-line modules and 9 precourse assignments which include conducting a pre-incident plan, conducting a fire inspection and completing incident reports among other assignments. The learner will then participate in a 4-day traditional classroom setting to complete the program.

Fire Officer I "Blended Learning Advantages over Traditional Learning Methods

- ✓ Same level of competency with less time in a traditional classroom setting
- ✓ Interactive multimedia instructional method
- ✓ Within the "Pre-course" time, the student will work at their own pace, using individual department policies and procedures
- ✓ Interact with the instructor and other students throughout the program, gaining real-life experiences with the same goal... **becoming the best Fire Officer one can be.**



For further information >>>

For further information or questions concerning this exciting new program, please contact Chris Growley, Curriculum Supervisor at 803-896-9906 or e mail him at growleyc@lir.sc.gov