



Fire Science Technology

Associate in Science

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Semester			Credits
FIRE 101	Principles of Emergency Services		3 🗆
FIRE 103	Fundamentals of Fire Prevention		3 🗆
CHEM 131 CHEM 151	Survey of Chemistry General Chemistry I	CHOOSE ONE	3 □ 4 □
ENGL 101	English Composition I		3 🗆
MATH	Math Elective		3 🗆

Semester	2		Credits
FIRE 107	Legal Aspects of Emergency Services	Q	3 🗆
FIRE	Fire Science Elective		3 🗆
PHYS 120	Science of Fire and Combustion	Q	3 🗆
ENGL 102	English Composition II		3 🗖
PSYC 101	General Psychology		3 🗆

Semester	3	Credits
FIRE 211	Hazardous Material Incident Response	3 🗆
FIRE 213	Building Construction, Blueprint, and Plan Review Q	3 🗆
FIRE 301	Fire Company Officership - Tactics and Strategy 😝 🔾	3 🗆
GOVT 105 GOVT 200	American National Government State and Local Government CHOOSE ONE	3 🗆
SOCI 104	Principles of Sociology	3 🗆

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Semester	4		Credits
FIRE 111	Fire Investigation I		3 🗆
FIRE 205	Fire Service Safety and Survival		3 🗆
FIRE 206	Fire Protection Systems and Equipment	Q	3 🗆
FIRE 208	Fire Hydraulics and Water Distribution System	ns Q	3 🗆
SPCH 105	Speech Communications		3 🗆
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You've Arrived!

This academic map is a suggested semester-by-semester guide to keep you on a clear path to program completion. Your academic advisor will provide you with clear direction needed to stay on course and discuss scheduling options with you. Taking courses not reflected on this map may result in courses not counting toward the completion of your requirements.

Milestones

As students complete certain courses, they may be eligible to receive a series of course completion certificates from the National Fire Academy's FESHE (Fire & Emergency Services Higher Education) program. Students should consult with departmental faculty for FESHE program requirements.

KEY	Keep an eye out for these symbols, which give important information about certain courses.
	These courses have no prerequisites or developmental courses required.
Q	These courses are only offered in certain semesters.
\land	Students must earn a minimum grade in these courses to remain in the program.
	Eligible electives for this program are listed on the reverse. Watch for this symbol.

HELPFUL HINTS



Summer and/or Winter Session classes may be available for your program to help you finish on time. See your advisor or visit the online course search for availability.



Taking 15 credits/semester or 30 credits/year will help you stay on track to finish your degree in two years.

Program Notes

These courses are only offered in specific semesters:

FIRE 105 Fire Department Organization and Administration - spring only

FIRE 107 Legal Aspects of Emergency Services - spring only Prerequisites: FIRE 101, FIRE 103

FIRE 206 Fire Protection Systems and Equipment - spring only Prerequisite: FIRE 101

FIRE 208 Fire Hydraulics and Water Distribution Systems - spring only Prerequisite: MATH 158 or higher

FIRE 213 Building Construction, Blueprint and Plan Review- fall only Prerequisite: FIRE 101

FIRE 215 Terrorism and Domestic Response - fall only

FIRE 301 Fire Company Officership - Tactics and Strategy - fall only

PHYS 120 Science of Fire Behavior and Combustion - spring only Prerequisites: CHEM 131 or higher, MATH 001

Firefighter I and II Certification may be substituted for FIRE 101 with department approval

Emergency Medical Technician or Paramedic certification may be substituted for the Fire Science elective with department approval.



Math Elective: MATH 158 Intro to Statistics or higher

Fire Science Elective: Students choosing a fire science elective may choose any course within that subject not already required by the program.

Some courses may have prerequisites, which are courses that **must** be taken prior to a particular course. For details, log into Degree Works through your MyMassasoit portal.

A minimum of 60 credits and 20 courses is required for completion. The same course may not be used to satisfy two different course requirements.

After Graduation/Completion

The focus of the Fire Science Technology program is twofold. It serves individuals who wish to enter into the fire science profession. It is also designed to provide career fire department personnel with a comprehensive program whereby they may be able to upgrade their educational levels and improve their effectiveness in the use of modern fire science techniques.

Resources for Academic Success

All college phone numbers are 508-588-9100 + extension.

Student Central

Admissions, financial aid, registration & payments

massasoit.edu/studentcentral studentcentral@massasoit.mass.edu

Brockton | Student Center, Upper Level Canton | First Floor, C121

Admissions: x1411 Financial Aid: x1479 Registrar: x1949 Student Accounts: x1507

Testing & Assessment

massasoit.edu/testing

Brockton | Student Center, Lower Level | x1991

Advising, Career & Transfer Center

massasoit.edu/act-center act@massasoit.edu

Brockton | Student Center, Lower Level | x1461 Canton | First Floor, C126 | x2516

Academic Resource Center

Tutoring & academic support services

massasoit.edu/arc

Brockton | Student Center, Lower Level | x1801 Canton | First Floor, C126 | x2516

Access & Disability Resources

massasoit.edu/adr | x1807

Division Dean

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