



Santa Cruz County Training Officers

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Fire Apparatus - Driver Operator 1A

New 2015 SFM-40 hour Course

Class Cost: \$275.00
Class Times: 0800 – 1700
Class Dates: Oct 22-26, 2018
Class Location: Cabrillo College
Room 1520
6500 Soquel Drive
Aptos CA 95003
Instructor: Larry Achen



Tuition Includes: CFSTES Certification for Fire Apparatus/Driver Operator 1A: Driver/Operator

Prerequisites: Minimum of a Class C Driver's license with Firefighter Endorsement
Firefighter I Certification

Special Equipment: NFPA compliant turnout gear- Minimum to participate: helmet, boots, gloves, eye protection.

This course curriculum is directed toward fire service emergency response personnel who are responsible for the safe driving and operation of all types of emergency fire apparatus.

This course provides the student with information on driver responsibilities, recognized standards and related laws for fire apparatus. Topics include pre-trip inspections and documentation, basic maintenance and troubleshooting of fire apparatus, California Vehicle Code laws, and vehicle dynamics during driving and during code 3 responses. Each student will have the opportunity to increase their driving skills during hands on driving conditions and testing on an approved Emergency Vehicle Operations Course.

The student textbook required for this class will be the Jones & Bartlett Publications: ***Fire Apparatus Driver/Operator: Pump, Aerial, Tiller, and Mobile Water Supply, Second Edition***. All registered students must have this text available to them as there will be assigned reading and quiz homework. There are only a limited number of textbooks available to loan students. Students are encouraged to acquire their own copy, as there is no guarantee loaner texts will be available. This course and the exams are based on NFPA 1002: *Standard for Fire Apparatus Driver/Operator Professional Qualifications*. All classes are filled on a first come, first served basis, limited to 12 students.

For class information, you may contact the instructor at 831 234-0256 or email:

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**To register for this course, you must contact South Bay
Regional Public Safety Training Consortium
(408) 229-4299**

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