



Firefighter Technician (31-503-1)

Technical Diploma
Effective 2018/2019



The course sequence shown on this sheet is the recommended path to completion of the program and reflects how courses are regularly scheduled. Courses will be scheduled in the terms indicated here. Courses may be taken out of sequence as long as requisites are met.

√	Course Number	Course Title	Requisites	Notes	Credits	Terms Offered
	503-142 *	Firefighting Principles		2	4	FA, SP, SU
	531-326 *	Emergency Medical Technician	Prereq: Department Consent		5	FA, SP, SU
	503-103 *	Fire Medic Health & Wellness I			1	FA, SP
	503-151 *	Fire Prevention		2	4	FA, SP
	503-106 *	Firefighting Principles II	Prereq: 503-142	2	3	FA, SP, SU
	503-101 *	Advanced Firefighting Concepts I	Prereq: Advisor Consent		4	FA, SP
	503-104 *	Fire Medic Health & Wellness II	Prereq: 503-103		1	FA, SP
	503-102 *	Advanced Firefighting Concepts II	Prereq: 503-101		4	FA, SP
	503-155 *	Fire Protection Hydraulics	Prereq: 503-142	2	4	FA, SP
Minimum Program Total Credits Required					30	

Federal regulations require disclosure of the following information for this program:

Resident Tuition and Fees	U.S. Department of Labor Standard Occupational (SOC) Code & Occupational Profile – available at http://www.onetonline.org
\$5,055	Municipal Firefighters (33-2011)

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The *Firefighter Technician* diploma will provide applicants with foundational entry level knowledge and practice to pursue a career in the fire service. Students are able to complete five advanced firefighting tactics, apply health & wellness principles to their own professional lives, and prepare for the candidate physical ability test (CPAT) certificate. Requisite building construction, fire behavior, fire protection systems, fire department risk management and soft skills are stressed, along with life-long learning and living habits to become safe and effective fire service professionals. Students will be eligible for employment as a firefighter for volunteer or career service. Additionally, the certificate provides a pathway to the FireMedic and Paramedic Associate Degree Programs.

Program Learning Outcomes

Graduates will be able to:

1. Demonstrate professional conduct by displaying personal code of ethics, positive work ethic, flexibility, teamwork skills, physical fitness, safe procedures, and sensitivity to diverse cultures and individuals.
2. Apply incident management skills to emergency incidents.
3. Meet professional fire and EMS credentialing standards.
4. Communicate clearly and effectively both verbally and through written documentation with clients, coworkers, other agencies, and supervisors.

Core Abilities

Gateway's nine core abilities are the general attitudes and skills promoted and assessed by all programs. All Gateway graduates will be able to:

1. Act responsibly.
2. Communicate clearly and effectively.
3. Demonstrate essential computer skills.
4. Demonstrate essential mathematical skills.
5. Develop job seeking skills.
6. Respect themselves and others as members of a diverse community.
7. Think critically and creatively.
8. Work cooperatively.
9. Value learning.

Admission Requirements

1. Students must submit an application & \$30 fee.
2. Students must complete reading, writing, and math placement assessments.
3. Students must submit official high school, GED, or HSED transcript.
4. Students must complete a functional ability form verifying they have read and understand the functional abilities for the program.

Graduation Requirements

1. Minimum 30 credits with an average of 2.0 or above.
 2. *Minimum of 2.0 ("C") or above for these major courses.
- For a complete list of Graduation Requirements, check the Student Handbook.

Program Offerings

	Location(s)	Starting Term(s)
Days	HERO Center/Kansasville	FA, SP
Evenings	HERO Center/Kansasville	FA, SP

Notes

1. Eye protection may be required in some courses. If prescription safety glasses are required, please allow a minimum of 90 days before the program start to obtain prescription and glasses.
2. A credit for prior learning assessment is available for this course. For more information, please contact cfpl@gtc.edu.

Gateway Technical College reserves the right to modify curriculum requirements for students who interrupt enrollment for a period of two years or take over seven years to complete. Tuition and material fees are determined by the board of the Wisconsin Technical College System. Consult Web Advisor for exact fee amounts. Occasionally, the District may offer a particular course out of published sequence. By doing so, the District does not obligate itself to offer succeeding courses out of published sequence.

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