



**Evening Firefighter Checklist (2-semesters for Fire I & II)**  
Monday and Wednesday; 6 pm – 10 pm with additional Saturdays  
arranged (Semester 1: Fire 109 A & Fire 111 YA) (Semester 2: Fire  
112 YA)



**Complete at COTC:**

- Apply to COTC at [www.cotc.edu/apply](http://www.cotc.edu/apply) or be a current student. If you are a returning student, (have not been enrolled for at least one year) you will need to reapply at [www.cotc.edu/apply](http://www.cotc.edu/apply). **Date applied:** \_\_\_\_\_
- Submit an official high school/GED transcript. **Date Received:** \_\_\_\_\_
- Submit an official college transcript (if applicable). **Date Received:** \_\_\_\_\_
- Attend a Mandatory Fire/Emergency Medical Services Information Meeting (valid 12 months). To RSVP: <https://form.jotform.com/COTCwebmaster/COTCFIRE-EMS> **Meeting scheduled on:** \_\_\_\_\_
- Attend New Student Orientation and register for COTC classes (FIRE 109 YA and FIRE 111 YA).
  - o **Orientation Scheduled on:** \_\_\_\_\_
- Obtain a COTC student photo ID

**Please contact the COTC Gateway with any questions regarding steps listed above.**

**Newark 740-366-9494**

**Coshocton 740-622-1408**

**Pataskala 740-755-7090**

**Knox 740-392-2526**

**Complete at C-TEC:**

**These items must be complete at least two weeks before the first day of class.**

- Notify Earl Miller @ [emiller@c-tec.edu](mailto:emiller@c-tec.edu) of your intention of attending as a COTC student
- Complete and return C-TEC's Physical Form (valid up to 15 months prior to start of C-TEC class)
  - o <https://www.c-tec.edu/cms/One.aspx?portalId=76736&pageId=95922> (bring to 1<sup>st</sup> class)
- Contact Howard Hill or Kathy Roderick at 740-364-2282 to find out if you need to enroll in EVOC (16 hour) and/or EMS (8 hour) (if needed, these courses will be an out-of-pocket expense through C-TEC directly)
- Complete and provide verification of completion of:
  - o NIMS IS-100 <https://training.fema.gov/nims/>
  - o NIMS IS-700 <https://training.fema.gov/nims/>
  - o To receive old NIMS Certificates please call (301) 447-1200
- BCI & FBI Background Check (valid 1 year prior to start of C-TEC class) (code 109578)
  - o Applicants shall not have been convicted of any of the following
    - Any felony
    - A misdemeanor committed in the course of practice
    - A misdemeanor involving moral turpitude
  - o Have BCI and FBI results sent to C-TEC, attention Earl Miller, 150 Price Road, Newark, OH 43055
- Must have and present a valid driver's license
- Present COTC student ID
- Copy of high school/GED transcript

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**Other important factors to note** (please refer to the C-TEC Public Safety Programs Student Handbook for additional information <https://www.c-tec.edu/cms/One.aspx?portalId=76736&pageId=95922>):

- Be capable of strenuous physical activity
- No facial hair (mustache is acceptable)
- Must be at least 17 years old. If a student is still in high school they must be in the 12<sup>th</sup> grade.
- If you are employed by a department you will be permitted to wear your uniform otherwise all students must be in C-TEC's required navy blue shirt and pants with black shoes.

**The information shown below is from C-TEC's website:**

### **Firefighter I**

Train in department organization, safety, fire behavior, portable extinguishers, personal protective equipment, tools, ladders, fire hose, appliances and streams, overhaul, rescue and water supplies. Train on fire alarm and communications, forcible entry, ventilation, ropes, control, salvage, cause and origin, detection, alarm and suppression systems, prevention, public education, cause determination, building construction, and hazardous materials. Personal protective equipment required. Upon successful completion of this course students will take the Firefighter I certification test and be prepared for entry-level positions in fire fighting.

*\*\*Effective January 1, 2018 per the ODPS, the 8 hours of the EMS and 16 hours of EVOC will no longer be included in the FF1 class.*

*If you do not currently hold an EMT, Medic, or EMR card, you will have to enroll in the 8-hour EMS training as an additional required class prior to starting the FF1 class.*

*If you have not taken a current EVOC course (within 12 months of the class start date), you will have to enroll in the 16-hour EVOC class prior to the ODPS releasing your FF1 certification card. You can start the FF1 class and take the ODPS FF1 test prior to taking the EVOC, but the ODPS will hold your FF1 card until they receive your EVOC card.*

### **Firefighter II**

Train in fire department organization, fire alarm and communications, fire hose, appliances and streams, foam fire streams, control, fire and origin, rescue, water supplies, fire detection, alarm and suppression systems, fire prevention, public education, cause determination, building construction, and hazardous materials training. Personal protective equipment required. Upon successful completion of this course students will take the Firefighter II certification test and be prepared for entry-level positions in Firefighting.

**For any questions specific to C-TEC please contact:**

Earl Miller- [emiller@c-tec.edu](mailto:emiller@c-tec.edu),

Howard Hill [hhill@c-tec.edu](mailto:hhill@c-tec.edu) or

Kathy Roderick- [kroderick@c-tec.edu](mailto:kroderick@c-tec.edu)

You may also call: 740-364-2282

Additional resources available at:

<https://www.c-tec.edu/cms/One.aspx?portalId=76736&pageId=95897>