

# LOWER MACUNGIE FIRE DEPARTMENT

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*Bucks County Community College, in conjunction with Lower Macungie Fire Department is now offering:*  
**Firefighter I National Certification (NFPA 1001)/Bucks Basic Fire Academy**

**Description:** This course provides instruction to the student in basic fire fighting skills necessary to function as a responding member of a fire department. The following topics will be covered in this program:

Building Construction, Fire Behavior, Fire Extinguisher, Fire Hose & Streams, Forcible Entry, Ladders, Personal Safety Equipment, Ropes & Knots, Safety, SCBA, Search & Rescue, Vehicle Fires, Ventilation, Water Supply, and Wildland Fires.

This course is presented in 7 sections:

1. Bucks Basic Fire Academy
2. Hazmat Awareness Training and National Certification Testing
3. Basic First Aid
4. Healthcare Provider CPR
5. Hazmat Operational Level Training and National Certification Testing
6. Structural Burn Session
7. Firefighter 1 National Certification Testing

Students **MUST** pre-register by completing the attached BCPSTC **application form and faxing it to LMFD at 610-398-1526**. The course/section number is **FSC-0913**. When pre-registering for this course, students will be placed in the entire course sections, unless it is clearly indicated that they are not taking part in certain modules. All students will take the Firefighter 1 National Certification Exam and Practical Skills. This course requires published textbooks. **These textbooks will be provided to you at class on the first night.**

**Prerequisites:** Must be age 18 and up

**Required Textbooks:** IFSTA Essentials of Firefighting 6th Edition  
Jones & Bartlett, Hazardous Materials Awareness and Operations

**Required Equipment:** Turn out gear, SCBA, and textbooks

**Cost of course:** \$325.00 (includes certification testing) – Billed from Bucks County Community College  
\$180.00 (course related expenditures – textbooks, propane, plywood, cascade, etc. This fee also includes a cadet t-shirt to be worn during class) **-\$180.00 Check payable to Lower Macungie Fire Dept. A change to this year, in order to secure a spot in the class this payment must be made prior to the class start.**

**Failure to submit payment will result in student not being registered for class.**

Send payment to:  
Lower Macungie Fire Department  
PO Box 3002  
Wescosville, Pa 18106  
Attention: LMFD Academy 2021

**Course Location:** Lectures will be held at Lower Macungie Fire Department's Wescosville Station 80 – 958 Brookside Rd. Wescosville, PA 18106

Practical Sessions will be held at Allentown Fire Academy – Mack South Training Center 1901 Lehigh St. Allentown, PA 18103

**Course Dates:** February 2<sup>nd</sup> through May 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2019 (Weekday classes are 6:30PM – 10:30PM, and weekend classes are 8:00AM – 4:00PM) \* schedule available at [www.lowermacungie.org/academy](http://www.lowermacungie.org/academy)

**Lead Instructor:** Jamie Mechling

**Contact LMFD Captain Matthew Trexler (484-357-6196) for more information or go to: [lowermacungie.org/academy](http://lowermacungie.org/academy)**

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