

SEATTLE FIRE DEPARTMENT JOBS

FIREFIGHTER/EMT

All firefighters are EMT certified, which means they can work on a fire engine, ladder truck and aid car, and provide Basic Life Support services to patients.

TECHNICAL TEAMS & OTHER OPPORTUNITIES

Firefighters can choose to apply for special operation positions and receive additional training and responsibilities: rescue, marine, hazardous materials and aviation. Members also have the opportunity to apply for and deploy with Urban Search & Rescue or the wildland team, and work on the department's new Health One rigs to serve the City's most vulnerable populations.

FIREFIGHTER/PARAMEDIC

Paramedics are trained in Advanced Life Support so they can respond to life-threatening emergencies.

FIREFIGHTER/DISPATCHER

Dispatchers work at the Fire Alarm Center and send resources to incidents.

FIRE INVESTIGATOR

Investigators respond to fire incidents to determine how the fire started.

FIRE PREVENTION DIVISION

There are many firefighter positions at the Fire Prevention Division, including code compliance, special events and more.

TRAINING DIVISION

Trains new recruits and ensures the department maintains certifications and required training.

PROMOTIONS

Firefighters can promote to an officer, all the way up to the Chief of the department.

CIVILIAN POSITIONS

There are many civilian positions which do not require you to be a firefighter, including career paths such as finance, public relations, human resources, etc. These opportunities are listed on the City of Seattle's job website.











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