

Fire & Life Safety Educational Offerings

Seattle Fire offers several educational programs that support current WA State health and physical education standards.

Schedule CPR/AED training for your students

Schools are required to offer CPR and AED training in their health classes. Seattle Fire provides certified instructors free to teach students the basics of CPR. Schedule a training by calling (206) 684-7274, medic2@seattle.gov, or fill out a training request form at seattle.gov/fire.

Home fire safety

Students practice the skills and sequence of a home fire escape plan to avoid injury from fire and smoke through a relay. This activity includes loco-motor skills, teamwork, components of fire escape plan, evaluating an emergency situation, cardio workout, response time, sequencing and staying calm. Schedule a follow-up session with a fire station tour or firefighter school visit (optional). Please email <u>fireinfo@seattle.gov</u> for more information.

Science of fire

Fire is fast, hot, dark and deadly. In less than three minutes, a small flame can get out of control, filling spaces with thick, black smoke. We offer age-appropriate fire and life safety curriculum for teachers or afterschool program instructors, as well as some in-classroom instruction. Please email <u>fireinfo@seattle.gov</u> for more information.

Address youth fire-setting and curiosity

Fire Stoppers is a confidential and educational youth fire prevention and intervention program for students exhibiting fire curiosity or involved in fire setting behaviors at school. Students are referred to the program by emailing <u>firestoppers@seattle.gov</u>.

Explore a firefighting career

Individuals seeking a career as a Seattle Firefighter can apply to participate in one of the department's Cadet Programs.

- Fire Cadets (Company 511) are age 16-20 with a strong desire to become a Seattle firefighter. Each Saturday morning, cadets gain exposure to the skills and knowledge it takes to be an emergency responder for the city.
- Seattle Fire provides Summer Youth Employment Program interns with an experience in line with the cadet program but on a six-week timeline.
- Consider applying to Seattle Colleges 2-year Fire Science Associate degree program following high school graduation. For more information, visit: <u>https://northseattle.edu/programs/fire-science</u>.