

Firefighter Recruitment

The City of Phoenix Fire Department is recruiting men and women to become Firefighters.

Applications for Firefighter Recruit are accepted once a year, during a one-week period, **ONLY** during this 5 day period. Call the Job Hotline to find out when the next test will be at (602) 534-5627 or visit our websites at www.joinpfd.com or www.phoenix.gov/fire

Applications can be picked up at:

City of Phoenix Personnel Office
Application Office
135 North Second Avenue
Phoenix, AZ 85003-2018
(602) 262-6277

Applications can also be downloaded:

Go to the city's website:
<http://www.phoenix.gov/JOBS/jobidx.html>
You can also call to have an application mailed to you by calling (602) 262-6277.

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Open Monday 7 A.M. – 5 P.M. & Tuesday – Friday 8 A.M. – 5 P.M.

Actual Test Dates for 2008:

Application Period: February 25 - 29, 2008 - This week **ONLY** !!!!!
Written Test: April 7, 2008 - This day **ONLY** !!!!

To qualify to begin the testing process an applicant must satisfy the following requirements:

1. Must be at least 18 years of age by February 29, 2008
2. Must have the ability to read and comprehend written material at the grade 14 level.
3. Must possess the mental, physical and medical health to adequately perform the duties of a firefighter.
4. Must have or be able to obtain a valid Arizona Driver's License (operator, class D) and have maintained a good driving record (fewer than 8 points the previous 3 years).

Other Requirements:

- Fingerprints of all applicants will be taken prior to each part of the examination process for identification and validation purposes.
- Proof of your current/valid Certification as an Emergency Medical Technician (State of Arizona or National Registry) is required at the scheduled date of your final selection interview with the Phoenix Fire Department.
- Proof of successful completion of a Candidate Physical Ability Test (CPAT) from a licensed agency within 12 months is required at the scheduled date of your final selection interview. **This is your responsibility, the City of Phoenix will not be holding a CPAT!**
- Candidates will be subject to a pre-employment drug-screening test. Periodic drug screening tests will be required by the Phoenix Fire Department.
- Following employment, candidates living outside Maricopa County must meet residency requirements within 24 months.
- No tobacco use of any kind.
- Candidates must complete and pass a medical examination. This examination includes a cardiovascular fitness component that must be passed with a Tier 2 grading or better. (Refer to the following website for information on Tier 4 Program: www.phoenixfirehealth.com and also refer to the CPAT Candidate Preparation Guide for more information on cardiovascular fitness and conditioning, this document is available for download at www.joinpfd.com).