

Florida First Responder Scholarship Program 2024-25

Overview

The Florida First Responder scholarship program is created to assist in the recruitment of emergency medical technicians, paramedics, and firefighters within the state by providing financial assistance to trainees who enroll in an approved training program.

The Scholarship Program covers 100% of tuition and fees, also up to \$1,000 for eligible expenses, including textbooks, uniforms, and any other costs or fees for necessary consumable materials required to complete the basic recruit training program not otherwise covered by Federal Grants, State Grants or other Third-Party payments.

Scholarship Funds are limited and not all students will be awarded funds.

Funds are subject to availability and will be awarded once the application is approved and all other aid is applied. Refer to application for more details.

Applications should be submitted in-person to the Financial Aid Office in Building A on our Main Campus.



Criteria

- Students enrolled in a First Responder program- Emergency Medical Technicians, Paramedic, Firefighting and EMT/Fire Combo.
- Student cannot be sponsored by an employer that is covering the costs.

New Students

Once you receive an acceptance/ready to register letter from our Admissions Office, submit the Florida First Responder Scholarship application in person to the Financial Aid Office in Building A on our Main Campus to determine eligibility.

Currently Enrolled Students

Submit the Florida First Responder Scholarship application in person to the Financial Aid Office in Building A on our Main Campus to determine eligibility.



Financial Aid Office 2980 Collins Avenue Building A St. Augustine, FL 32084 <u>Financialaid@fctc.edu</u>

ELIGIBLE PROGRAMS

Program	Hours	Length (Full-time)	Campus
Emergency Medical Technician	300	12 Weeks	Public Safety
Firefighter	492	13 Weeks	Public Safety
Firefighter/ Emergency Medical Technician- Combined	792	27 Weeks	Public Safety
Paramedic	1100	48 Weeks	Public Safety



Outside Processing Window

2024-2025 Florida First Responder Scholarship Program Term 1 First Coast Technical College

Applications must be submitted <u>in-person</u> to the Office of Student Financial Aid (Building A). All the information requested below must be provided. Incomplete applications will be denied.

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