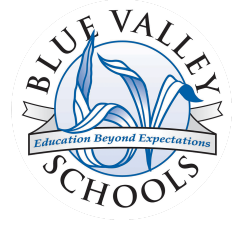


Law Public Safety & Security (LPSS) Internship



UNIT 1: Field Internship

ESSENTIAL QUESTION

How do professional firefighters operate?

BIG IDEAS

Students will...

- Demonstrate an ability to access and utilize industry resources.
- Gain first-hand knowledge and a greater understanding of an LPSS agency.

GUIDING QUESTIONS

- Content
 - What are ways firefighters stay current in industry trends?
 - What are the various opportunities for employment in this field?
 - What are the various personal safety precautions required for this profession?
 - What are the different methods of internal and external communication?
- Process
 - How do firefighters practice time management?
 - Demonstrate effective communication with peers, firefighters, and the general public.
 - How do firefighters use the Incident Command System (ICS)?
- Reflective
 - Why is it important to maintain professionalism?
 - Why is it important to understand equipment operation and maintenance?
 - Why is it important to understand the various needs, attitudes, feelings, and behavior of people?

FOCUS STANDARDS

1. Demonstrate ability to access and utilize industry resources.
2. Utilize effective time management techniques to organize workflow.
3. Research and discuss modern and future trends in equipment, methods and techniques.
4. Utilize appropriate materials and processes to meet client needs.
5. Demonstrate ability to manage and set project goals and timelines.
6. Utilize appropriate grammar and word usage in the performance of job duties.
7. Research and report on career opportunities in LPSS.
8. Demonstrate adherence to dress code policies.

9. Demonstrate adherence to and completion of all requirements of the internship-both in curriculum and fieldwork.
10. List personal safety precautions needing to be followed during emergency responses, at emergency incidents, at the internship location and outside the workplace.
11. Describe steps involved in communicating with dispatchers and other agency personnel in emergency and non-emergency situations by phone, radio and in written reports.
12. Describe the characteristics and organizations of the incident command system.
13. Use tools and equipment safely and appropriately.
14. Define hazardous materials and adhere to all regulations regarding handling of hazardous materials.
15. Demonstrate a development of analytical skills, including the ability to frame critical questions research problems, weigh alternatives and present evidence to support conclusions and recommendations.
16. Demonstrate appropriate coping and negotiations skills in order to work with people more effectively.
17. Gain first-hand knowledge and a greater understanding of an LPSS agency; including the administrative functions and the community forces which affect its organization and operation.
18. Demonstrate a mature understanding of people, their needs, attitudes, feelings and behaviors.
19. Demonstrate knowledge of the requirements for licensure in the LPSS fields.