



Equipment/Textbook Requirements for the Recruit Candidate Academy

Required Texts:

IFSTA 7th Edition Essentials of Fire Fighting and IFSTA 7th Edition Course Workbook

ISBN: 978-0-87939-657-2 (textbook) ISBN: 978-0-87939-660-2 (Course workbook)

DO NOT DELAY the order of the textbooks!

Uniform, Personal Protection and other Equipment

- Fire boots (rubber)*
- Structural Fire gloves (with wristlets)**
- 2 fire hoods (non-vented)
- Navy blue shorts or sweatpants (no logos or stripes) shorts available in the RCA office \$12
- Gray RCA t-shirts, available in the RCA office \$10 each, suggested minimum of 2 shirts
- Navy blue pants – must be at least 90% cotton or Nomex *** (example: Dickies or 5.11 tactical pants)
- Black leather belt (with simple silver buckle)
- Steel-toed or safety toe black work boots (must be able to polish the toe)
Pull-on, zippers, or other rapid removal method is required
- Running shoes
- Water Bottle with your name on it

Suggested vendors to purchase your equipment (prices will vary from vendor to vendor):

**Siddons-Martin
Emergency Group**
7278 South 700 West
Midvale, UT 84047
801-566-2437

Scheels
11282 South State Street
Sandy, Utah 84070
801-948-7080
(for 5.11 tactical pant or at
Galls.com or 511tactical.com)

Red Wing Shoes
248 North State St
Orem, UT
801-224-2550
*will give 10% off
for RCA students

L. N. Curtis & Sons
1635 Gramercy Rd
Salt Lake City, UT
801-486-7285

Weidner Fire
135 West 7065 South
Midvale, UT
1-800-894-3205

Skaggs
3828 South Main St
Salt Lake City, UT
801-261-4400

*It is not necessary to purchase leather NFPA fire boots, rubber fire boots are approved

*Lion boots by Thorogood are not recommended

**Dragon Fire or Pro Tech Fusion Pro brand gloves are not recommended

***EMS style pants are approved

If your vision requires glasses and you cannot wear contacts, you may want to order a prescription SCBA lens for an MSA G1 air pack: <https://spectaclekits.com/brands/msa/item/74-msa-g1-mask-spectacle-insert-kit-10144230>



Rubber fire boots

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Structural firefighting glove with wristlets

***Dragon Fire and Pro Tech Fusion Pro gloves are not recommended**



Black belt with simple buckle

Three examples of approved work boots. Zippered laces, side zippers, slip-on, BOA closures, or other rapid removal method is required.

Beanies and hoodies are not required but may also be purchased in the RCA office.

Beanies - \$10

Shorts - \$15

RCA hoodies - \$30

Package Deal - \$65 (all the above including an RCA t-shirt)



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