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Bristol Fire Department

Student Program

APPLICATIONS DUE MAY 18th

About the Program

PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS:

The Bristol Fire Department, Resident Student Internship, is an independent educational program that operates in cooperation with the Lakes Region Community College in Laconia New Hampshire. The purpose of the program is to provide a two-year field experience that prepares students for careers in the Fire Service by exposing them to the principals of Firefighting, EMS, Emergency Management and Homeland Security.

The Program is designed for mature, motivated students who seek to augment their academic commitment by participating in a supervised program that provides actual job experience. The internship goes well beyond observation and job shadowing and requires active participation as a Firefighter/EMT in a working combination Fire Department.

Students are assigned to shifts that will complement the LRCC academic schedule and allow for adequate study time. Students will learn how to balance their classes, homework and internship responsibilities through a process of planning and communications with supervisors.

Resident Students live at the Bristol Fire Station in assigned student quarters. Working alongside career and call firefighters, students are exposed to the fire service culture and the community we serve.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Candidates for the Bristol Resident Student Internship Program shall be eighteen years old on or before September 1st of their freshmen year and enrolled as a full-time student in the LRCC Fire Protection, Science or Investigation Degree Program. Resident Students must maintain a 2.5 average while enrolled in the internship.

APPLICATION SHALL INCLUDE:

A cover letter, resume, Town of Bristol employment application (found at www.townofbristolnh.org) and two personal references.

CANDIDATES WILL BE EVALUATED ON THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA:

- Cover Letter
- Resume
- Town of Bristol Employment Application
- Criminal Background Check
- Motor Vehicle Background Check
- Two personal references
- Physical Exam by a Physician allowing participation as a Fire Fighter
- Fire Fighter One Certification – Strongly Recommended
- National Registry EMT Certification – Strongly Recommend
- CPR Certification - Strongly Recommended
- Experience with Fire – EMS Explorers or Jr. Fire Department
- Experience with Volunteer Fire Department.

Mail applications to:
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