

Fire Fighting Level I & II Standard Change: Timelines & Equipment

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The new Fire Fighting Level I and Fire Fighting Level II standard (NFPA 1010, 2024 Edition) will be effective July 1, 2026. Timelines and new equipment are outlined below to assist departments in their planning.

Timelines for Fire Fighting I & II:

- Course Registration: October 1, 2026
- Curriculum release: October 1, 2026
 - o *It is recommended that 2-3 weeks' time is dedicated for instructors to review the curriculum materials prior to beginning training on the new standard.*
- Evaluations: starting April 10-11, 2027

Equipment for Fire Fighting I & II:

- MESC Equipment used for certified testing (note: MESC will provide videos with the curriculum on how to use the below equipment):
- Air Monitor
 - o Make & Model: Altair 4 XR Multi-gas
 - o Requirements: 4 gas detector/monitor (O2, CO2, LEL, H2S)
- Thermal Imaging Camera
 - o Make & Model: Seek Fire Pro 100, 200 & 300
 - o Requirements: Fast frame 200 X 150 thermal sensor
- Restricted Opening Wall Prop
 - o Dimensions:
 - Height: 36"
 - Width: 16" on centre
- RIT Pack
 - o Note: Candidate SCBA must have the universal RIT pack connection
 - o Make & Model: MSA G1
 - o Content Requirements:
 - Full air cylinder
 - Valve at the neck of the air cylinder to control flow of air leaving the cylinder

- Pressure gauge located near the air cylinder valve
- Regulator assembly to control air flow to the user
- Low-pressure hose through which air flows through the RIT pack regulator
- High-pressure hose through which the emergency air supply passes from the air cylinder at full pressure
- An emergency face piece

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