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January 8, 2025

Re: Addendum 2.1 – Program Catalog & Student Reference Guide

Section: Certificate of Completion - Firefighter I & II Program

Sub Section: Program Description

Lecture/Classroom

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The Coral Springs Regional Institute of Public Safety utilizes the state-approved curriculum from the **Florida Bureau of Fire Standards and Training**. **Course materials are based on the latest edition of the International Fire Service Training Association (IFSTA) *Essentials of Fire Fighting* (8th edition) or the 7th edition for classes ending before May 1, 2025. *The Fundamentals of Firefighter Skills and Hazardous Materials Response* (5th edition) by Jones & Bartlett Learning (JBL) is also used. Along with these textbooks, students will use the respective online learning platforms—IFSTA's ResourceOne and JBL's Navigate.** Every student at the Coral Springs Regional Institute of Public Safety is required to utilize the assigned platform as it provides an excellent advantage and benefit with twenty-four (24) hour access to program materials including book, Interactive Modules, PowerPoints, quizzes, and tests. Students may utilize personal laptops or tablets during classroom activities. However, all quizzes and tests will be done on CSRIPS tablets for the safety and security of the program test banks.



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