



SOUTH CAROLINA STATE FIRE

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South Carolina Fire Academy

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UPDATED REQUIREMENT FOR INSTRUCTORS: 4100-NEW INSTRUCTOR ORIENTATION

Beginning in January 2028, all SC Fire Academy instructors will be required to successfully complete the 4100-New Instructor Orientation course to maintain active instructor status. *This course will replace the current 4220-Instructor Recertification course, which will be retired and will no longer be required.*

The New Instructor Orientation is being implemented to ensure instructors remain current with SCFA policies, procedures, instructional expectations, course materials, and technology. As the SC Fire Academy expands its use of Blackboard and other digital resources, instructors must be prepared to effectively use these tools to support course delivery and student learning.

Following completion of the orientation, instructors will remain responsible for completing any mandatory training or course-specific updates issued by the SC Fire Academy.

Current instructors who have not completed the course by January 1, 2028 will be placed in inactive status and will not be eligible to teach SC Fire Academy courses.

QUESTIONS? Contact [Eric Bolen](#).

Date	Day	Time	Course code/ section number	Link
Oct 10, 2026	Saturday	10:00 AM	4100-27W01	Click here to register
Nov 12, 2026	Thursday	10:00 AM	4100-27W02	Click here to register
Dec 05, 2026	Saturday	10:00 AM	4100-27W03	Click here to register
Jan 14, 2027	Thursday	10:00 AM	4100-27W04	Click here to register
Feb 20, 2027	Saturday	10:00 AM	4100-27W05	Click here to register
Mar 18, 2027	Thursday	10:00 AM	4100-27W06	Click here to register
Apr 17, 2027	Saturday	10:00 AM	4100-27W07	Click here to register
May 20, 2027	Thursday	10:00 AM	4100-27W08	Click here to register
June 26, 2027	Saturday	10:00 AM	4100-27W09	Click here to register
July 15, 2027	Thursday	10:00 AM	4100-28W01	Click here to register
Aug 21, 2027	Saturday	10:00 AM	4100-28W02	Click here to register
Sept 16, 2027	Thursday	10:00 AM	4100-28W03	Click here to register
Oct 23, 2027	Saturday	10:00 AM	4100-28W04	Click here to register
Nov 18, 2027	Thursday	10:00 AM	4100-28W05	Click here to register
Dec 18, 2027	Saturday	10:00 AM	4100-28W06	Click here to register



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