

Course Outline  
FPTC 136  
Fire Suppression Methods  
3 credit hours

The Community Colleges of Baltimore County  
Catonsville

Description

Fire Suppression Methods

Introduces basic fire suppression techniques and tactics used by firefighters; introduces basic life safety concepts and basic fire science principles.

Overall Course Objectives (learning objectives)

Upon completion of the course, the student will be able to:

1. Describe fire behavior.
2. Explain basic fire suppression tactics and strategies.
3. Identify modern firefighting tools and equipment.

Major Topics

1. Fire science
2. Firefighting tactics.
3. Firefighting tools and equipment.
4. Fire department resources.

Course Requirements

Students shall demonstrate learning through:

1. Participation in class discussions.
2. Successful completion of quizzes.