

Town of Okotoks 2 New Positions – Firefighter 4th Class

Our vibrant, fast growing community of 28,000+ is a customer focused high performance learning organization that strives to continuously improve. In order to meet the demands of such rapid and continued growth, Fire Services is looking for 2 Firefighters to join their team.

Your key responsibilities are having an in-depth knowledge of Fire Services and their responsibilities, including engaging in activities of fire prevention and suppression, rescue work, medical care, delivery of various public safety programs, operation and maintenance of specialized firefighting equipment and fire safety code inspections. You will learn to deal with emergency situations, demonstrate ability to adapt and learn, and have a strong commitment to customer service. The successful candidates will receive extensive training to ensure the Town standards are met; Okotoks Fire Services is committed to supporting and working in a collaborative fire and emergency medical service environment.

We require a high school diploma plus possession of Firefighter Level 2, Primary Care Paramedic (formerly EMT-A) be ACP registered, and at least one specialty training i.e. pump or ladder operation. Higher education (diploma/degree) is a definite asset. Must have a valid Class 3 and 4 Alberta Driver's License with air brakes endorsement, with no more than six demerit points, in order to commence firefighting training duties. Must be able to communicate clearly and precisely under stressful circumstances and be able to work under arduous physical conditions, as part of an active firefighting and rescue team. You will participate in rotating shift work as assigned by the Fire Chief.

We offer an opportunity to make a difference, and work with a diverse team of dedicated individuals who want the same, along with a competitive annual salary based on 2,184 hours annually, plus a comprehensive benefit and LAPP pension package. Interested applicants please submit complete resumes including copies of certifications **online at** <u>www.okotoks.ca</u> by June 30, 2017.

More than one position may be filled from this competition. We thank all applicants for their interest; only those invited to an interview will be contacted.