DATES FOR WHOLETIME FIREFIGHTER RECRUITMENT STAGES

JUNE 2021 OPENING

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| **Activity** | | **Date** |
| Stage 1 | Realistic Job Preview and Eligibility Questions | Opens Midday 14th June 2021 |
| Closes Midday 28th June 2021 |
| Stage 2 | Phase 1 - Behavioural Styles Questionnaire | Opens Midday 6th July 2021 |
| Closes Midday 12th July 2021 |
| Phase 2 - Situational Judgment Test | Opens Midday 14th July 2021 |
| Closes Midday 19th July 2021 |
| Phase 3 - Ability Tests | Opens Midday 21st July 2021 |
| Closes Midday 26th July 2021 |
| Stage 3 | Fitness Test (Bleep Test) | 31st July & 1st August 2021 |
| Stage 4 | Practical Testing | 6th - 10th Sept 2021 |
| Stage 5 | Interview | 27th Sept - 12th Oct 2021 |
| Course Experience Day | Sunday 31st October (Half day) |
| Stage 6 | Medical, Employment Checks and Basic Disclosure | 20th - 23rd Nov 2021 and 12th Dec 2021 |
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| **For 68th Recruits** | | |
| Stage 7 | Verification Fitness Test (Bleep Test) | 11th Dec 2021 |
| Stage 8 | Kitting Out | 5th - 7th Jan 2022 |
| Stage 9 | Orientation Evening | Thurs 6th Jan 2022 @ 18:30 |
| Stage 10 | Functional Fitness Sessions | Mon 6th December 2021 6pm-7pm |
| Mon 13th December 2021 6pm-7pm |
| Tues 4th Jan 2022 6pm-7pm |
| Mon 10th Jan 2022 6pm-7pm |
| Employment Commences | Induction | 12th - 14th Jan 2022 |
| Initial Trainee Course (9 weeks) | 17th Jan 2022 |
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| **For 69th Recruits** | | |
| Stage 7 | Verification Fitness Test (Bleep Test) | 19th Feb 2022 |
| Stage 8 | Kitting Out | 2nd - 4th March 2022 |
| Stage 9 | Orientation Evening | Wed 16th March 2022 @18:30 |
| Stage 10 | Functional Fitness Sessions | Monday 21st Feb 2022 6pm-7pm |
| Monday 28th Feb 2022 6pm-7pm |
| Monday 7th March 2022 6pm-7pm |
| Monday 14th March 2022 6pm-7pm |
| Employment Commences | Induction | 23rd - 25th March 2022 |
| Initial Trainee Course (9 weeks) | 28th March 2022 |

**Please note: You MUST be available for all of the above stages in order to be considered for this role.**

Unfortunately, if you are unavailable it may not be possible to progress your application. If you are unavailable on a particular date, please notify us by email as soon as possible to [recruitment@syfire.gov.uk](mailto:recruitment@syfire.gov.uk) and we will try to accommodate your needs where possible.