



NFPA 1020 Certification Testing Update

Effective January 1, 2027

Effective **January 1, 2027**, OSU Fire Service Training will transition to the updated **NFPA 1020** standard for the following certification levels:

- Instructor I
- Instructor II
- Officer I
- Officer II
- Officer III
- Officer IV

Beginning on this date, certification testing will be move to the following book editions:

- **Instructor I & II** – 9th Edition - 10th Edition
- **Officer I & II** – 6th Edition - 7th Edition
- **Officer III & IV** – 4th Edition - 5th Edition

To assist students who need to complete testing before the transition, monthly retest opportunities will be offered in Stillwater. Retest dates and registration information will be posted on our website. We also plan to schedule additional retest opportunities in the Tulsa and Oklahoma City areas in the upcoming months.

Students who do not successfully complete their certification testing before **January 1, 2027**, **will not be required to retake the course**. However, they **will be required to complete both the written and skills examinations** based on the **new NFPA 1020 standard and updated curriculum**.

We encourage all eligible students to take advantage of the available retest opportunities prior to the transition to avoid testing under the new standard. If you have any questions regarding this update, please contact the OSU Fire Service Training Certification Office.