



THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF ESCAMBIA COUNTY CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION SCHOOL BOARD AGENDA EXECUTIVE SUMMARY		Item Number: V.b.1. K.8.	
TITLE Pine Forest High School Fire Fighter Academy		SUBMITTED BY: Dr. Michelle Taylor, Director, Workforce Education	
PERIOD OF GRANT/CONTRACT/REQUEST Beginning in the 2016-17 school year	FUNDING SOURCE Workforce Education	PROJECT COORDINATOR AND DEPARTMENT Aisha Adkison, Specialist, Workforce Education	
AMOUNT OF FUNDING REQUEST – <i>Is amount more, less or same as last year? (Explain differences at end of Purpose section if additional space is required.)</i> N/A		TOTAL PROJECT – <i>Is the amount more, less or same as last year?</i> N/A	
PURPOSE To establish a high school Fire Fighter Academy to prepare students for a career in the Law, Public Safety, and Security career cluster.			
IMPLEMENTATION PLAN <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recruit and enroll students interested in a career in fire fighting. • Design and implement curriculum that provides rigorous and relevant instruction in academic and technical areas. • Provide in-service opportunities for staff to develop professional skills and enable them to deliver quality instruction. • Collaborate with the Health Advisory Council. 			
PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS/AGENCIES Pine Forest High School			
ACTION REQUIRED Board Approval			
STRATEGIC ALIGNMENT – <i>Include Pillar, Goal and Measurable Objective as outlined in the current Strategic Plan.</i> PILLAR: Quality GOAL: GOAL Q.3: To improve the culture and environment of the school district by clearly articulating of high expectations MEASURABLE OBJECTIVE: Q.3.3. Increase the number of schools graded a “C” or above as measured by Florida’s school grading rubric.			
DIRECTOR 		DATE 10/6/15	
ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT 		DATE 10/5/15	DATE OF BOARD APPROVAL



Escambia County School District
High School Career Academy Application
Pine Forest High School Fire Fighter Academy



1. Date: September 28, 2015
2. Academy: Pine Forest High School Fire Fighter Academy
3. Implement: 2016-17 school year
4. Academy Description:

The Fire Fighter Academy offers a sequence of courses that provides coherent and rigorous content aligned with challenging academic standards and relevant technical knowledge and skills needed to prepare for further education and careers in the Law, Public Safety and Security career cluster. This program provides technical skill proficiency including competency-based applied learning that contributes to academic knowledge, higher-order reasoning and problem-solving skills, work attitudes, general employability skills, technical skills, occupation-specific skills, and knowledge of all aspects of the Law, Public Safety and Security career cluster. Specifically, the career pathway Fire Fighter within the Law, Public Safety and Security career cluster will be the focus of this academy.

5. National or industry certifications associated with academy completers:

- Fire Fighter 1
- Emergency Medical Technician
- Emergency Medical Responder

Course Sequence:

Grade Level	Course Number	Course Title	Length	Level
9	8918210	Fire Fighting 1	1 credit	2
10	8918220	Fire Fighting 2	1 credit	2
11	8918230	Fire Fighting 3	1 credit	3

During their senior year, students will take a Law, Public Safety and Security Directed Study course and participate in real world learning experiences.

As the instructional leader of Pine Forest High School, I endorse this application for establishing the academy described above.

Principal signature: *Laura Pacheco* Date: 9/28/15

Upon career academy approval, the principal shall be required to submit an annual progress report using the Career Academy Assessment.

Review Committee Chair signature: *St. M...* Date: 10/5/15