

Career Firefighter / EMT-P (Full-time)

Woodstock Fire/Rescue District (WFRD)

435 E. Judd St. Woodstock, IL 60098

www.wfrd.org Applications Open January 13, 2025

Application Deadline: Monday, February 3, 2025 Starting Salary: Firefighter/EMT \$74,678.67, May 1, 2025 \$77,665.81 Firefighter/Paramedic \$82,146.53, May 1, 2025 \$85,432.40 Top Salary: \$104,604.37, May 1, 2025 \$108,788.54

APPLICATION PROCESS:

To fill out an application and schedule your written test, go to <u>www.nationaltestingnetwork.com</u>, select Firefighter Jobs and sign up for the Woodstock Fire/Rescue District test.

What to expect at the <u>www.nationaltestingnetwork.com</u> website:

- Completion of the application process;
- Review all information related to the position and details about the testing process;
- Opportunity to take online practice tests;
- Schedule your own convenient test time. Tests are offered multiple times a week, including Saturdays;
- Take high quality job simulation tests in a standardized, fair testing environment;

Upon completion of the written test, all candidate scores will be automatically forwarded to the WFRD hiring officials. Candidates who attain a passing score will be placed in the department's pool of candidates eligible to continue on in the selection process.

DEPARTMENT OVERVIEW:

The District, located in central McHenry County, encompasses an 82.5 square mile jurisdiction approximately 60 miles northwest of the City of Chicago. Operating out of three stations, WFRD serves a residential population of approximately 40,000 and protects a mix of residential, light industrial and commercial development by providing effective and efficient fire protection, fire prevention, emergency medical services, and specialized response to emergency incidents. The District employs 63 commissioned and non-commissioned firefighting personnel and responded to over 5,600 emergency incidents in 2024.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS AT TIME OF APPLICATION:

- At least 21 years of age and under 35 years of age as of February 3, 2025, unless the individual falls under one of the exceptions to the statutory maximum hiring age detailed in 70 ILCS 705/16.06 or 65 ILCS 2/10-2.1-6.
- Valid Driver's License
- Illinois Firefighter Basic Operations (Firefighter II)
- EMT License or NREMT Certification (Please note: you must have your Illinois Paramedic license or enrolled in a Region IX paramedic program at time of conditional offer)
- High school graduate or GED equivalent
- No felony convictions and good moral character
- No residency requirements

SELECTION PROCESS:

The selection process includes an oral interview, background investigation, psychological exam, and medical exam.

WFRD is an Equal Opportunity Employer.