

# ***1123-19001 Building Construction Awareness***

## ***SC State Fire Academy***

***Feb. 19 & 20 - 8:30 a.m. - to 5:00 p.m.***

***Prerequisites: None***

Building construction methods and materials have an enormous impact on fire behavior and firefighter safety. To effectively and safely extinguish a building fire, one must have a fundamental working knowledge in these areas.

In this awareness level two-day pilot course, students will learn various types of building construction, the importance of the fire resistance for structural support elements, and risks associated with performing fire-suppression activities inside and around buildings involved in fire. This course bridges between what the firefighter and fire officer learns in his/her entry level training and makes them more attentive and educated decision-makers on and off the fireground.

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