



Kentucky State Fire School

Lexington, KY

June 10-14, 2026



103 Trench Rescue Technician

This five-day course is designed to offer a combination of classroom and practical evolutions that allow the student to learn proper techniques when dealing with trench collapse incidents. It will be a start-to-finish class to give the student knowledge and skills in trench **awareness, operations, and technician**, as addressed in NFPA 1006 (2021 Edition, Chapter 12). Students will work in straight, deep, "T", and "L" trenches using various shoring equipment. A heavy component of this class will be realistic hands-on operations, including below-grade work in a dirt trench.

PRE-REQUISITES/EQUIPMENT NEEDED

As per NFPA 1006 (2021 Edition, Chapter 12), a student should have Confined Space Rescue – Technician, Vehicle and Machinery Rescue – Technician, Hazardous Materials – Awareness, and High-Angle Rope Rescue – Operations. Students will need to bring a helmet, eye protection, gloves, steel-toed boots and outerwear (extrication coveralls, turnout gear **or** long-sleeved pants & long-sleeve shirt). Students are encouraged to bring their own hammer, but it is not necessary.

This course will be held off-site.

This 5-day course will be offered Wednesday-Sunday.

Lead Instructor: Marc Myres, State Fire Rescue Training District 6

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