

Bossier Parish Community College
Master Syllabus

Course Prefix and Number: FRSC 240

Credit hours: 3

Course Title: Strategy and Tactics

Course Prerequisites: Principles of Emergency Services

Textbook(s): Angle, Harlow, Gala, Lombardo, and Macluba, Firefighting Strategies and Tactics, 3rd ed., JB Publishing

Course Description: This course provides the principles of fire ground control through utilization of personnel, equipment, and extinguishing agents.

Learning Outcomes:

At the end of the course, the student will be able to

- A. create a strategy, and implement appropriate tactics
- B. possess a working knowledge and execution of ICS/NIMS at the incident

To achieve the learning outcomes, the student will be able to

1. discuss fire behavior as it relates to strategies and tactics. (A)
2. explain the main components of pre-fire planning, and identify steps needed for a pre-fire plan review. (A)
3. identify the basics of building construction and how they interrelate to pre-fire planning, strategy, and tactics. (A)
4. describe the steps taken during size-up. (A)
5. examine the significance of fire ground communications. (A)
6. identify the roles of the National Incident Management System (NIMS) and Incident Management System (ICS) as it relates to strategy and tactics. (B)
7. demonstrate the various roles and responsibilities in ICS/NIMS. (B)

Course Requirements: To earn a grade of “C” or higher the student must earn **XXX%** of the total points for the course and meet all of the following course requirements.

Course Grading Scale:

Attendance Policy: **Attendance Policy:** The college attendance policy (for the classroom) is available at <http://www.bpcc.edu/catalog/current/academicpolicies.html>

Course Fees: (if applicable)

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