

FAQ's to the Fire Inspector Courses

Does the fire Inspector course provide the NFPA certification with it?

Yes. The option of Pro Board certification is available to students through the College of the Rockies.

What books or additional resources are needed?

There are no books to purchase. You will need access to the Canadian Building and Fire Codes which can be obtained for free online and under the materials tab for this course.

Is a printable version of the presentation content available?

Yes. Currently for Level I & I combined and level II, under the Materials tab for each chapter you will find a PDF hand-out that includes the narration transcribed.

Is the course all online?

Yes, except the written examination portion is proctored.

Is there a set start date?

No, you can start any time and complete at your own pace in line with the guidelines of your organization. We recommend you complete the course within 12 months.

Are there quizzes and/or exams?

Yes, there is a short multiple-choice quiz at the end of each chapter and a 50-question multiple choice final exam.

If you require ProBoard certification and evaluation by the College of the Rockies, you will be required to complete a hand-in assignment and a proctored written exam.

If you are completing Level II or Level I & II combined, you will also be required to conduct a virtual inspection in the presence of the evaluator using 360° video technology.

Is there a practical at the end of Level I and II or just an exam?

There is a hand in assignment at the end of Level I that must be completed prior to writing the COTR exam. This is a virtual inspection of a fire hall using 360° video technology like that used by the real estate industry to show a property that is for sale.

How is the practical monitored?

Computer monitors are shared between the student and the evaluator, and the student conducts a virtual inspection of a small multi-use building.

How does the 360° video work?

There is a tutorial on the use of 360° video technology if you are not familiar with its operation.

It is the same technology used by the real estate industry online to show a property that is for sale.