

On-Call Firefighter Selection Important Dates

Process Dates for On-Call Basic Course OC 01/2025

| Process | Date | Location |
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| Advert Open | 15 August 2024 | N/A |
| Advert Closes | 30 October 2024 | N/A |
| Online testing –Numerical/Verbal/Mechanical assessments | 15 – 25 November 2024 | Online |
| Point of Entry Selection Tests | 23 and 24 November 2024 | Central Station (TBC) |
| Competency Interview | 03 and 04 December 2024 | Local Station |
| Uniform/PPE fitting | 11 December 2024 | Stores - Glenfield |
| Medicals (An appointment will be arranged directly with you during this time period). | 19 December 2024 | Occupational Health – Wigston |
| Vetting and Reference Period (Disclosures, employment references and right to work checks will be carried out during this period. Appointments will be arranged directly for your disclosures and right to work check during this period). | 12 December 2024 – 17 January 2025 | To be determined |
| Start Day Induction | 14th February 2025 | Headquarters - Birstall |
| Training Induction | 15th February 2025 | Training and Development Centre - Loughborough |
| Home Station Induction | TBC by Watch Manager | Home Station |

Module Dates for Core skills – Basic skills

| Module | Date | Location |
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| Core Skills Pumps | 19th - 23rd March 2025 | Training and Development Centre - Loughborough |
| Safe Working At Heights and Water Awareness | 12th April 2025 & 13th April 2025 | Training and Development Centre - Loughborough |
| Trauma Care 1 | 10th - 11th May 2025 | Southern Station |
| Trauma Care 2 | 17th - 19th May 2025 | Southern Station |
| Core Skills Ladders Safe to Ride - Supernumerary | 4th - 8th June 2025 | Training and Development Centre - Loughborough |

Successful Assessment – Safe to ride, restricted operational responder with additional control measures

Module Dates for Core skills – Specialist Skills

| Module | Date | Location |
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| Breathing Apparatus Week 1 | 14th - 18th July 2025 | Training and Development Centre - Loughborough |
| Breathing Apparatus Week 2 | 21st - 25th July 2025 | Training and Development Centre - Loughborough |
| RTC | 6th - 10th September 2025 - Sat - Wed | Training and Development Centre - Loughborough |
| Breathing Apparatus Week 3 Safe to Ride – BA2 | 6th - 10th October 2025 - Mon - Fri | Training and Development Centre - Loughborough |
| HAZMATS | Sat 15 th & Sun 16 th November 2025 | Day 1 & 2– Training and Development Centre - Loughborough |

Successful Assessment – Safe to ride, restricted B.A. operational responder

Final Assessment

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| Final Assessment – Safe to Ride BA1 | 16th - 17th January 2026 - Fri - Sat | Training and Development Centre - Loughborough |
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Successful Assessment – Safe to ride, no operational restrictions.