

**CLASS SPECIFICATION**  
**SAN DIEGO CITY CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION**  
**FIRE ENGINEER - 1458**

**DEFINITION:**

Under general supervision, to drive, operate, and maintain fire apparatus and equipment in response to fires and other emergencies and non-emergencies for the protection of life and property; and to perform related work.

**\* EXAMPLES OF DUTIES:**

- Drives and operates pumps, aerial ladders, elevating platforms, and similar apparatus/equipment in extinguishing fires and assisting in other emergencies;
- Responds to emergencies and drives fire equipment and apparatus to emergency locations;
- Services and maintains equipment and apparatus;
- Participates in pre-fire and fire prevention inspections;
- Administers first aid;
- Assists in conducting and participates in training sessions and drills;
- Maintains fire stations and grounds;
- Prepares reports and maintains records on equipment condition and operation;
- Instructs personnel in the operation of fire equipment and apparatus.

**MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:**

Please note: the minimum qualifications stated below are a guide for determining the education, training, experience, special skills, and/or license which may be required for employment in the class. These are re-evaluated each time the position is opened for recruitment. Please refer to the most recent Job Description for updated minimum qualifications: <https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/sandiego/classspecs>.

Three years of full-time experience as a Fire Fighter I, II, and/or III with the San Diego City Fire-Rescue Department; **AND** current Apparatus Certification Record from the City of San Diego Fire-Rescue Department Training and Education Division indicating training and certification received for the following apparatus: service aerial ladder, triple combination pumper, brush apparatus with the accompanying off-road certification, and Engineer Candidate Certification. Possession of a valid California Class A or B Driver License with an "N" or "X" endorsement, AND a valid California Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) medical certificate dated within the last two years are required. A valid Commercial Driver License Class A, B, or C License with a Fire Fighter Endorsement will also be accepted.

- \* EXAMPLES OF DUTIES performed by employees in this class. The list may not include all required duties, nor are all listed tasks necessarily performed by everyone in this class.**