



**American Fire
Sprinkler Association**

VIP Course Schedule – Level 2 Begins July 14th, 2026

The course schedule contains the following components:

- Schedule for live lessons
 - *Two identical lessons are offered on each date listed below to accommodate varying time zones: **10:00am Central, and 4:00pm Central.** Apprentices need only attend one of these two identical lessons on each live lesson date.*
- Performance task schedule
- Learning objectives for modules

| Lesson | Date | Subjects | Performance Tasks | Related Modules |
|--------|-----------|--|--|-----------------|
| 1 | 14-Jul-26 | Hangers, Supports, and Restraints: <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Pipe hanger assemblies | Hangers, Supports, and Restraints: <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Install a hanger on a wood joist● Install a post-installed anchor● Cut a hanger rod to a specified length | 18201 |
| 2 | 28-Jul-26 | Hangers, Supports, and Restraints: <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Seismic bracing● Firestopping assemblies | Hangers, Supports, and Restraints: <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Make up and install seismic brace. | 18201 |
| 3 | 11-Aug-26 | General Purpose Valves <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Indicating control valves● Trim valves | General Purpose Valves <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Install a gate valve.● Install a supervisory (tamper) switch.● Install a butterfly valve. | 18202 |

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| 4 | 25-Aug-26 | General Purpose Valves <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supply system valves • Pressure control and air venting valves | General Purpose Valves <i>No tasks for this section.</i> | 18202 |
| 5 | 8-Sep-26 | Math for Sprinkler Fitters <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use basic math operations to solve problems. • Demonstrate practical calculation related to sprinkler systems. | Math for Sprinkler Fitters <i>No tasks for this section.</i> | 18203 |
| 6 | 22-Sep-26 | Math for Sprinkler Fitters <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Practice using math. | Math for Sprinkler Fitters <i>No tasks for this section.</i> | 18203 |
| | 24-Sep-26 | Supervisor Performance Task Log Due - Lessons 1-6 | | |
| 7 | 6-Oct-26 | Shop Drawings <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drawings used in sprinkler system installation. | Shop Drawings <i>No tasks for this section.</i> | 18204 |
| 8 | 20-Oct-26 | Shop Drawings <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Common symbols used in sprinkler system shop drawings • Building Information Modeling (BIM) | Shop Drawings <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use an instructor-supplied shop drawing to identify various types of information, including the sprinkler legend, title block, north arrow, sprinkler type and temperature, and pipe size. | 18204 |
| 9 | 3-Nov-26 | Shop Drawings <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Practice /recap/creative development | Shop Drawings <i>No tasks for this section.</i> | 18204 |

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| 10 | 17-Nov-26 | Standard Spray Sprinklers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Standard spray sprinkler characteristics • Types of occupancies • Types of construction | Standard Spray Sprinklers <i>No tasks for this section.</i> | 18205 |
| 11 | 1-Dec-26 | Standard Spray Sprinklers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sprinkler spacing requirements | Standard Spray Sprinklers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Given an instructor-supplied obstruction scenario, space a standard coverage spray sprinkler to avoid obstruction. • Determine the maximum sprinkler spacing based on different types of construction. | 18205 |
| | 3-Dec-26 | Supervisor Performance Task Log Due - Lessons 7-11 | | |
| 12 | 15-Dec-26 | Wet Pipe Sprinkler Systems <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wet pipe sprinkler system control valves | Wet Pipe Sprinkler Systems <i>No tasks for this section.</i> | 18206 |
| 13 | 5-Jan-27 | Wet Pipe Sprinkler Systems <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Types of switches | Wet Pipe Sprinkler Systems <i>No tasks for this section.</i> | 18206 |
| 14 | 19-Jan-27 | Wet Pipe Sprinkler Systems <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hydrostatic testing and system troubleshooting | Wet Pipe Sprinkler Systems <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complete a Contractor's Material and Test certificate for Aboveground Piping for a wet pipe sprinkler system. | 18206 |
| 15 | 2-Feb-27 | Wet Pipe Sprinkler Systems <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Summary/comprehension of wet systems. | Wet Pipe Sprinkler Systems <i>No tasks for this section.</i> | 18206 |

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| 16 | 16-Feb-27 | Dry Pipe Sprinkler Systems <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dry pipe sprinkler system valves | Dry Pipe Sprinkler Systems <i>No tasks for this section.</i> | 18207 |
| 17 | 2-Mar-27 | Dry Pipe Sprinkler Systems <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pitching piping and installing drains • Air sources and air maintenance devices | Dry Pipe Sprinkler Systems <i>No tasks for this section.</i> | 18207 |
| 18 | 16-Mar-27 | Dry Pipe Sprinkler Systems <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Testing and troubleshooting dry pipe sprinkler systems | Dry Pipe Sprinkler Systems <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complete a Contractor's Material and Test certificate for Aboveground Piping for a dry pipe sprinkler system. | 18207 |
| 19 | 30-Mar-27 | Dry Pipe Sprinkler Systems <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Summary/comprehension of dry systems | Dry Pipe Sprinkler Systems <i>No tasks for this section.</i> | 18207 |
| 20 | 13-Apr-27 | Course Review <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Test the knowledge gained throughout this course. | Course Review <i>No tasks for this section.</i> | All |
| | 27-Apr-27 | Supervisor Performance Task Log Due - Lessons 12-20 | | |

****Schedule is subject to change.****

**** If needed, a 1-month and 2- month extension can be provided for a fee. This course will close 60 days after the due date of the last performance task log.****

Level 2

This level is comprised of Sprinkler Fitting: Level 2, 4th Edition. This level's textbooks are correlated to the 2019 edition of NFPA 13. The course is divided into 7 modules. The subjects and their learning objectives are found below.

Module 18201 Hangers, Supports and Restraints (17.5 hours)

- Select and install pipe hanger assemblies.
- Install seismic bracing.
- Identify firestopping assemblies.

Module 18202 General Purpose Valves (15 hours)

- Identify the function and operation of the indicating control valves used in sprinkler systems.
- Identify the function and operation of the trim valves used in sprinkler systems.
- Identify the function and operation of the supply system valves used in sprinkler systems.
- Identify the function and operation of the pressure control and air venting valves used in sprinkler systems.

Module 18203 Math for Sprinkler Fitters (20 hours)

- Use basic math operations to solve problems.
- Demonstrate practical calculations related to sprinkler systems.

Module 18204 Shop Drawings (30 hours)

- Identify the types of drawings used in sprinkler system installation.
- Identify common symbols used in sprinkler system shop drawings.
- Identify the advantages of Building Information Modeling (BIM).

Module 18205 Standard Spray Sprinklers (20 hours)

- Identify the characteristics of standard spray sprinklers.
- Identify NFPA 13 occupancy classifications.
- Identify the types of construction.
- Describe the installation considerations for standard spray sprinklers.

Module 18206 Wet Pipe Sprinkler Systems (25 hours)

- Identify the function and operation of wet pipe sprinkler system control valves.
- Identify the types of switches used in wet pipe sprinkler systems.
- Describe how to test and troubleshoot common wet pipe sprinkler system issues.

Module 18207 Dry Pipe Sprinkler Systems (25 hours)

- Identify the function and operation of dry pipe sprinkler system valves.
- Make calculations for installing piping at correct pitch to drains.
- Describe the air sources and air maintenance devices used in dry pipe sprinkler systems.
- Describe how to test and troubleshoot common dry pipe sprinkler system issues.