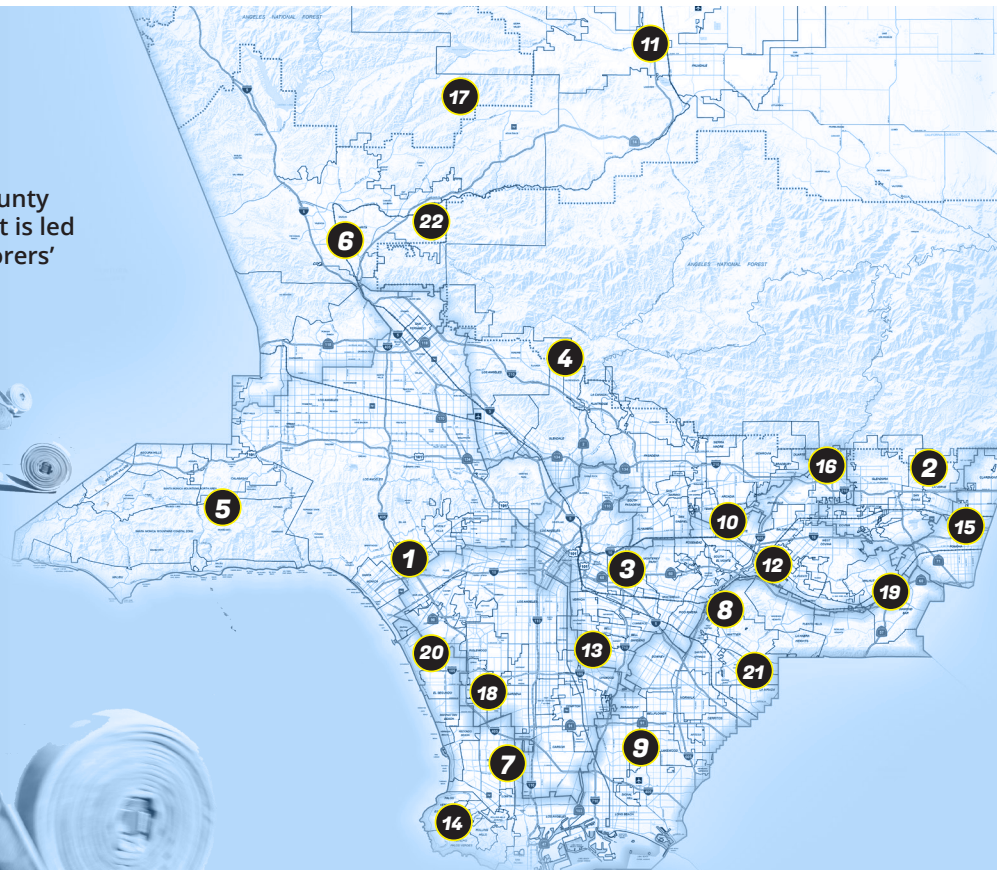


FIND AN EXPLORER POST NEAR YOU

There are 22 Explorer posts located throughout Los Angeles County with each post representing a battalion's jurisdiction. Each post is led by a professional firefighter who voluntarily serves as the Explorers' advisor and mentor.



BE A FIRE EXPLORER



POST 1

Baldwin Hills, Ladera Heights, Marina Del Rey, Universal City, Viewpark, West Hollywood, Windsor Hills

POST 2

Claremont, Glendora, San Dimas

POST 3

Bell, Bell Gardens, Commerce, East Los Angeles, Maywood

POST 4

Altadena, La Cañada Flintridge, La Crescenta

POST 5

Agoura, Agoura Hills, Calabasas, Hidden Hills, Malibu, Malibu Lake, Monte Nido Topanga, Westlake Village

POST 6

Canyon Country, Castaic, Gorman, Newhall, Sand Canyon, Santa Clarita, Stephenson Ranch, Val Verde, Valencia, West Ranch

POST 7

Carson, Compton, Gardena, Rancho Dominguez

POST 8

Pico Rivera, Whittier

POST 9

Bellflower, Cerritos, Compton, Hawaiian Gardens, Lakewood, Long Beach, Paramount, Signal Hill

POST 10

El Monte, Rosemead, San Gabriel, South El Monte, Temple City

POST 11

Antelope Acres, Green Valley, Lake Elizabeth, Lake Hughes, Lancaster, Leona Valley, Quartz Hill

POST 12

Bassett, Hacienda Heights, Industry, La Puente, Rowland Heights, Valinda

POST 13

Compton, Cudahy, Firestone, Huntington Park, Lynwood, South Gate, Walnut Park, Willowbrook

POST 14

Lomita, Palos Verdes Estates, Rancho Palos Verdes, Rolling Hills, Rolling Hills Estates

POST 15

Pomona

POST 16

Azusa, Baldwin Park, Bradbury, Covina, Duarte, Irwindale

POST 17

Acton, Agua Dulce, Juniper Hills, Lake Los Angeles, Little Rock, Llano, Longview, Palmdale, Pearblossom, Pearland, Sun Village, Valyermo, Wilsona Gardens, Wrightwood

POST 18

Gardena, Hawthorne, Hermosa Beach, Lawndale

POST 19

Diamond Bar, Pomona, Walnut

POST 20

Athens, Lennox, Inglewood

POST 21

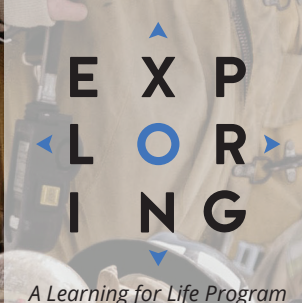
La Habra, La Mirada, Norwalk, Whittier

POST 22

Agua Dulce, Canyon Country, Sand Canyon, Santa Clarita, Valencia

Begin your Los Angeles County Fire Explorer journey, sign up at:

fire.lacounty.gov/explorer



EXPLORING THE POSSIBILITIES





The Los Angeles County Fire Department Explorer Program introduces teenagers and young adults to careers in the fire service.

A joint venture with “Learning for Life”, the Explorer Program was established in 1975 to develop and foster a relationship between young adults and the communities they live in. Explorers value their experiences in this program and many eventually join the ranks of the fire service or pursue leadership roles in other fields.

Once you become an Explorer, you will attend meetings weekly or every other week, participate in physical activities, volunteer at community and Department events, and earn scholarships.

Explorers are given the opportunity to participate in a six-weekend Explorer Academy. After graduation from the Academy, Explorers become certified to participate in fire station ride-alongs and respond with firefighters on actual emergencies.

BECOME A FIRE EXPLORER

-  Earn high school credits or community service credits for college
-  Develop teamwork and leadership skills for career development
-  Learn to use fire department tools and improve mechanical skills and aptitude
-  Work directly with firefighters to acquire fire and life safety skills

BASIC REQUIREMENTS

- 15-20 years of age
- Maintain a 2.0 grade point average in school
- Ability to read, write and comprehend directions and training materials in English
- Ability to work as a team member

APPLICATION PROCESS



- 1** Sign up for the Explorer Program at www.fire.lacounty.gov/explorer
- 2** Once contacted by an Explorer post advisor, fill out and submit a completed application.
- 3** Interview with an Explorer post advisor.
- 4** Submit a medical and physical exam form completed by your doctor.
- 5** Undergo and pass a physical agility test.



Introducing the youth of Los Angeles County to today's fire and emergency medical services, emphasizing community service and civic involvement through positive mentoring, training, education and career development.



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LOS ANGELES COUNTY FIRE DEPARTMENT

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MISSION

To protect lives, the environment, and property by providing prompt, skillful, and cost-effective fire protection and life safety services.

CORE VALUES

Integrity / Teamwork / Caring
Courage / Community / Commitment

VISION

The Los Angeles County Fire Department will be an exemplary organization acclaimed for our national reputation, our regional strength, and our hometown attentiveness as we provide fire protection and life safety services.