



Fire Science

The fire academy program at Bartow High School prepares students to enter the firefighter program at Ridge Career Center. For their training and state certifications earned through Ridge, students may earn as many as **36 FREE college credits** toward the Fire Science Technology Associate in Science degree at Polk State College.

Career Pathways – How it Works

Career Pathways is a partnership program that allows career academy students to earn college credits in their high school courses of study, saving them time and tuition costs.



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