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Before you watch the webinar please answer the following questions:

Write 5 things that you know about the Fire Service:

What skills and qualities do you think you need to work in the Fire Service?

**Now watch the webinar** - <https://vimeo.com/373913856/afcdc1a9ad>

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Can you name the 3 Fire & Rescue Services in Wales?

**Now you have seen the webinar can you answer the following questions.**

Which of the following departments are not part of the Fire & Rescue Service?

* Control
* I.T
* Fleet
* Security
* Stores
* Finance

Can you think of other departments?

Which of the following statements are incorrect?

* The fire service employs all kinds of people. Anyone can fit in.
* Wholetime firefighters are more important than On-call firefighters.
* The Fire & Rescue services also employ female firefighters.

List some of the skills and qualities the panel mentioned that are important to work for the Fire & Rescue Service.

The panel explained what the entry requirements are for the Fire & Rescue Service. What are they?

Which are NOT one of the shifts that a wholetime firefighter can work?

* 4 days on working and 4 days off, working from 12pm to 10pm and available on-call during the night.
* Full 2 days and nights working (48 hour shifts) and 4 days off.
* Working 9am until 5pm weekdays with weekends off.

Wholetime firefighters work 2 different shifts, but what do you know about the On-call (Retained Duty System) firefighters work pattern? E.g. hours of work, other jobs they may have, training (drill) nights per week.

What sort of starting salary would you expect an apprentice firefighter to earn approximately per annuum?

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Look at your local Fire & Rescue Service’s website to find out what kind of roles they are currently recruiting at the moment.

North Wales – [www.nwales-fireservice.org.uk](http://www.nwales-fireservice.org.uk)

Mid and West Wales – [www.mawwfire.gov.uk](http://www.mawwfire.gov.uk)

South Wales – www.southwales-fire.gov.uk

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Finally, in your own words what are your thoughts about a career in the Fire & Rescue Service?

How, according to the panel, should you find out more about working for the Fire & Rescue Service and how to apply?

**Further resources for Fire Service research:**

**Careers Wales website –** [www.careerswales.gov.wales](http://www.careerswales.gov.wales)

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