



Broome County Government Security Division

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2020 Peace Officer Basic Course

42nd SESSION

The Broome County Government Security Division under the authorization of the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services, will administer the Basic Course for Peace Officers.

December 7, 2019 - January 24, 2020

Times to be announced

Broome County Office Building, 60 Hawley Street, Binghamton, New York

Fee for this course is \$250.00 per person.

(Additional fees apply for course materials and uniforms)

Requirements For Satisfactory Completion of Basic Course

Authority: Article 35, Section 840, Executive Law.

The Municipal Police Training Council may recommend to the Governor rules and regulations with respect to: The requirements of minimum basic training which peace officers must complete before being eligible for certification as peace officers, pursuant to Section 2.30 of the Criminal Procedure Law. Each requirement must be met satisfactorily to qualify for the state certification of completion.

Attendance. Attendance shall be required of each peace officer at all sessions of the basic course except for valid reason. The director of the local peace officer training school is authorized to determine the validity of and excuse absences of not more than 10 percent of the hours of instruction.

Notebook. Each peace officer in the basic course shall maintain, as one of the requirements for certification, an adequate notebook during the course and shall submit such notebook to the director. The notebook shall contain appropriate entries of pertinent material covered during the classroom sessions of the basic course. Among the factors to be evaluated in the notebook are sufficiency of course content, organization, appropriateness of material, regularity of entries, neatness, accuracy and legibility.

Examination. The taking and passing of a written examination as prescribed by the council is required of each peace officer for certification.

Law Enforcement Skills: All students shall be required to participate in Defensive Tactics, Aerosol Devices, Impact Weapons, and Crowd & Riot Control Formations sections. There is no physical fitness requirement for this course, but students should be in excellent health and possess a level of physical conditioning to successfully participate in the skills sections. Students will be graded on their performance in each section.

2020 PEACE OFFICER ACADEMY

Name _____
Last First M. D.O.B.

Social Security Number _____

Home Address _____
Number - Street City State Zip

Employer / College _____

Business Address _____
Number - Street City State Zip

Work Title/Position _____

Telephone _____ Polo Shirt Size _____

**Send Application to: James Lewis, Security Services Supervisor, Broome County Government Security Division
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BASIC PEACE OFFICERS COURSE

I. INTRODUCTION TO LAW ENFORCEMENT

- A. Constitutional Law
- B. Discretionary Powers
- C. Ethical Awareness

II. LAWS OF NEW YORK STATE

- A. New York State Penal Law Offenses
- B. Justification – Use of Physical Force & Deadly Physical Force
- C. New York State Criminal Procedure Law
 - 1. Standards of Proof
 - 2. Laws of Arrest
 - 3. Search and Seizure
 - 4. Stop, Question, and Frisk
 - 5. Interview and Interrogation
 - 6. Accusatory Instruments
 - 7. Appearance Tickets
 - 8. Evidence Concepts (Rules of Evidence)
 - 9. Eyewitness ID
 - 10. Criminal Procedure Law §2.20

III. LAW ENFORCEMENT SKILLS

- A. Interpersonal Skills – Arrest Techniques
 - a. Communication/ Interpersonal Skills
 - b. Defense Tactics
 - c. Aerosol Devices
 - d. Impact Devices
 - e. Crowd and Riot Control Formations
 - f. Rapid Deployment and Active Shooter
- B. Penal Law §265.20 / Firearms Safety and Handling
- C. Off Duty and Plain Clothes Police Encounters

IV. INVESTIGATIONS

- A. Preliminary Investigation and Information Development

V. LOCAL TRAINING OPTIONS

Note: An examination is also required.

**All applicants accepted to the course will receive a letter of admissions.
Peace officers requiring this training will receive priority.**

New York State Peace Officer Academy participants **MUST** be employed by a recognized agency, and be listed on the NY State Peace Office Registry **PRIOR** to attending the Academy. College students registered in Criminal Justice programs will be considered, but will receive a Broome County Certificate of Completion only, unless employed as a part-time Peace Officer and listed on the NY State Registry.

It is the responsibility of each prospective participant's home agency to provide proof of Peace Officer registration, and to notify the NY State Department of Criminal Justice Services upon the participant's successful completion of the Academy.

**Criminal Justice students should petition the Criminal Justice Department for credits.
This course is also recognized for continuing education units given by the
NY State Recreation and Parks Society.**

Inquiries may be made to:

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