

Law Enforcement Training

2024 COURSE SCHEDULE











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MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF

Cuyahoga Community College (Tri-C®) is integral to the communities of Northeast Ohio. The Tri-C Public Safety Center of Excellence aligns with regional economic development efforts to offer in-demand programming and integrated pathways between workforce and academic programs, giving students more options for learning and future careers.

Tri-C trains more emergency response professionals than any other institution in Ohio. The College has always valued innovation and creativity and serves as a leader in addressing the region's workforce needs.

The Public Safety Center of Excellence has created programs specifically to fill employment shortages, such as Dispatch Communications, the Drone Academy, English Proficiency and Procedural Justice Training, that equip professionals with the tools to perform at the highest level.

All programs within the Public Safety Center of Excellence offer hands-on training from industry professionals. The majority of the classes take place at the state-of-the-art KeyBank Public Safety Training Center and the new Simulated Scenario Village at the College's Western Campus.

The Tri-C Public Safety Center of Excellence can set you on a path to a rewarding career or help you upgrade your skills for career advancement. For more information or to schedule a tour, visit tri-c.edu/publicsafety or call 216-987-3031.



Chief Clayton Harris
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Basic Peace Officer Training

Length:	740+ hours
Cost:	Cuyahoga County residents: \$5,875* Ohio residents (outside Cuyahoga County): Contact Academy office* Out-of-state residents: Contact Academy office *Prices subject to change
Included:	Online access to course materials and handouts Ohio Criminal and Traffic Field Guide Standard First Aid/CPR/AED certification Two uniform shirts and physical training (PT) clothing
Start Dates:	Full-time day academy: Feb. 5 and Aug. 26 Part-time evening academy: Aug. 26
Credits:	24
Course Description:	Tri-C's Ohio Peace Officer Training Commission (OPOTC)-certified program is for individuals seeking employment as a police officer in the state of Ohio. This paramilitary-structured academy includes all OPOTC-mandated training in addition to taser operator certification, active shooter training and first aid/CPR certifications.
Other Information:	Maximum class size: 30 Apply at tri-c.edu/police . Cost of state exam is covered in tuition. If student fails the first attempt, they are responsible for the \$95 retest. Financial aid and scholarships available to qualified students.
Course Contact:	Rachael Sedlak, 216-987-3076



Basic Peace Officer Training, Sponsored

Length:	740+ hours
Cost:	Contact Academy office
Included:	Online access to course materials and handouts Ohio Criminal and Traffic Field Guide Standard First Aid/CPR/AED certification Two uniform shirts and PT clothing
Start Dates:	Full-time day academy: Feb. 5 and Aug. 26
Credits:	Noncredit
Course Description:	Tri-C's OPOTC-certified program is for individuals who have been sworn with a department and need to complete their Peace Officer Basic Training. This paramilitary-structured academy includes all OPOTC-mandated training in addition to taser operator certification, active shooter training and first aid/CPR certifications.
Other Information:	Maximum class size: 30 Apply at tri-c.edu/police . Cost of state exam is covered in tuition. If student fails the first attempt, they are responsible for the \$95 retest.
Course Contact:	Rachael Sedlak, 216-987-3076



BASIC ACADEMIES

Corrections

Length:	145 hours
Cost:	\$1,200* *Price subject to change
Included:	Course materials and handouts Standard First Aid/CPR/AED certification One uniform polo shirt and one T-shirt
Start Dates:	TBD
Course Description:	This OPOTC-certified training academy fulfills basic training requirements per AC Section 109:2-9-02(A) for new or newly assigned correctional staff. Gain the skills necessary to become a professional correctional officer. Seven units of discussion include administration, legal, jail security, human relations, medical overview, subject control techniques and first aid/CPR/AED. Written and practical skill tests administered throughout. Upon completion, participants will be qualified to take the state exam. Note: Workout clothing is necessary for subject control skills.
Other Information:	Participants must be sponsored by an agency to attend this training. Cost of state exam is covered in tuition. If student fails the first attempt, they are responsible for the \$95 retest.
Course Contact:	Carrie Havens, 216-987-3033 Agencies: Call to discuss group rates

Dispatch Communications

Length:	192 hours
Cost:	\$1,700* *Price subject to change
Included:	Course materials
Start Dates:	Spring: March 23 * Fall: Aug. 31 * *Dates subject to change
Course Description:	This course combines classroom and hands-on training to cover the basic skills, knowledge and abilities needed to successfully meet the demands of this critical work. Curriculum builds on foundational topics such as communication skills, call-taking and radio techniques and incorporates the most up-to-date information on technology and work- related issues in public safety communications centers. Hands-on training consists of keyboarding; listening and responding to actual 911 and non-emergency calls; skill-building exercises in listening, multitasking, information gathering and decision making; entering calls using computer aided dispatching (CAD); and dispatching and clearing calls.
Other Information:	This course provides state-mandated training to prepare students to enter the field of 911 dispatching. Those who successfully pass the final exam receive certification demonstrating completion of a training course that meets and exceeds industry-accepted national basic training standards.
Course Contact:	Meegan McKenna 216-987-3031

BASIC ACADEMIES

Private Security

Length:	124 hours
Cost:	Cuyahoga County residents: \$2,650* Ohio residents (outside Cuyahoga County): \$3,005* Out-of-state residents: Contact Academy office *Prices subject to change
Included:	Online access to course materials and handouts Standard First Aid/CPR/AED certification One uniform polo shirt and one T-shirt
Dates:	TBD
Credits:	12
Course Description:	This OPOTC-certified course is for individuals currently employed or seeking employment in commercial/retail loss prevention, asset protection, private security or other private security officer functions.
Other Information:	Cost of state exam is covered in tuition. If student fails the first attempt, they are responsible for the \$95 retest. Financial aid and scholarships available to qualified students.
Course Contact:	Carrie Havens, 216-987-3033

Advanced Emergency SUV/Cruiser Night Driving

Length:	8 hours	
Cost:	\$175	
Included:	Class materials	
Dates:	Feb. 16 2-10 p.m. March 22 2-10 p.m. April 19 3-11 p.m. Aug. 23 4 p.m. – midnight Sept. 20 3-11 p.m. Oct. 18 3-11 p.m. Nov. 15 2-10 p.m.	
Course Description:	This class helps departments reduce liability issues through classroom and hands-on training in the specific hazards of nighttime illumination, multitasking and vehicle dynamics to increase driving and decision-making skills as well as knowledge of Ohio Revised Codes and police liability.	
Other Information:	Participants must wear department uniform and provide department vehicle (one vehicle/two officers). Minimum class size: 5* *May be offered for specific departments on a mutually agreed-upon date.	
Course Contact:	Meegan McKenna, 216-987-3031 Agencies: Call to discuss group rates	



FIREARMS

Private Security Qualification

Length:	20 hours
Cost:	\$275
Included:	Course materials, including use of weapon and ammo
Dates:	Must attend all three dates consecutively Feb. 16, 6–10 p.m. and Feb. 17-18, 8 a.m. − 5 p.m. May 17, 6–10 p.m. and May 18-19, 8 a.m. − 5 p.m. Aug. 16, 6–10 p.m. and Aug. 17-18, 8 a.m. − 5 p.m. Nov. 15, 6–10 p.m. and Nov. 16-17, 8 a.m. − 5 p.m.
Course Description:	This course is for security officers to become compliant with 4749.10 of the Ohio Revised Code and covers course of fire, rules of engagement and use of force.
Other Information:	Participants who miss any part of the training will not pass the course. Copy of OPOTC certificate and background check and/or department letter stating employment in good standing 14 business days prior to training.
Course Contact:	Carrie Havens, 216-987-3033

Private Security Requalification

Length:	4 hours	
Cost:	\$125	
Included:	Class materi	als, including use of weapon and ammo
Dates:	Jan. 19	6–10 p.m.
	April 12	6–10 p.m.
	July 12	6–10 p.m.
	Oct. 18	6–10 p.m.
Course Description:	This mandate semi-automa	ory training can be completed with a revolver or atic weapon.
Other Information:	Submit copy of OPOTA certificate and background check and/or department letter stating employment in good standing 14 business days prior to training.	
Course Contact:	Carrie Havens, 216-987-3033	



Limited English Proficiency

Length:	6 hours	
Cost:	\$85	
Included:	Course materials	
Dates:	TBD 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.	
Course Description:	Law enforcement officers are mandated to provide equal service to all members of the public, including those who are limited English proficient (LEP) and deaf or hard of hearing (D/HOH). Effective and accurate communication between officers and the diverse communities they serve is essential. Officers must recognize that communication barriers can prevent LEP and D/HOH persons from accessing vital public services, as well as knowing and understanding their constitutional and civil rights. This course provides students with the knowledge and skills needed to interact with and provide excellent service to LEP and D/HOH individuals.	
Other Information:	Participants receive digital certification upon successful completion. Minimum class size: 6	
Course Contact:	Email LETraining@tri-c.edu	

Police Motorcycle Operator

Length:	80 hours	
Cost:	\$1,550	
Included:	Course materials	
Dates:	May 13-24 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. October 7-18 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.	
Course Description:	This comprehensive course includes classroom and hands- on training in police motorcycle duties, with a focus on slow speed maneuver, tight turns and emergency braking. Students must provide the following equipment: Department motorcycle, over-the-ankle footwear, long pants (no holes), long-sleeved shirt or jacket, full-fingered gloves, eye protection and DOT- or SNELL-certified helmet. Classes take place rain or shine, so please dress for the weather.	
Other Information:	Prerequisites: Law enforcement officer; basic motorcycle handling skills; good physical condition; motorcycle endorsement certification. Participants receive digital certification upon successful completion. Minimum class size: 6	
Course Contact:	Meegan McKenna, 216-987-3031	



Police Motorcycle Instructor

Length:	120 hours
Cost:	\$1,850
Included:	Course materials
Dates:	May 6-24 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Course Description:	This comprehensive course includes classroom and hands- on training in police motorcycle duties, with a focus on slow speed maneuver, tight turns and emergency braking. Students must provide the following equipment: Department motorcycle, over-the-ankle footwear, long pants (no holes), long-sleeved shirt or jacket, full-fingered gloves, eye protection and DOT- or SNELL-certified helmet. Classes take place rain or shine, so please dress for the weather.
Other Information:	Prerequisites: Law enforcement officer; basic motorcycle handling skills; good physical condition; motorcycle endorsement certification. Participants receive digital certification upon successful completion.
Course Contact:	Meegan McKenna, 216-987-3031

Police Urban Mountain Bicycle

Length:	105 hours
Cost:	\$475
Included:	Course materials
Dates:	May 13-17 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.* *One day adjusted for night riding
Course Description:	This physically and mentally demanding training course combines emergency vehicle operations for bike officers with patrol procedures, tactics, night operations, scenarios and basic bike maintenance and on-the-road repairs. Learn to ride like a pro, avoid crashes and use your bike to foil the bad guys every time. Off-road riding and bike-specific live-fire exercises may be added at the instructor's discretion. Participants must attend all class dates and pass written and practical examinations to receive a certificate of completion.
Other Information:	Participants must be law enforcement officers in good physical condition, with basic bicycle-handling skills. Those who successfully complete the course receive IPMBA Police Cyclist membership. Minimum class size: 6 (max 10)
Course Contact:	Carrie Havens, 216-987-3033



Police Physical Agility Exam

Length:	4 hours
Cost:	\$70
Dates:	Jan. 21 Feb. 18 March 24 April 21 May 19 June 23 July 21 Aug. 18 Sept. 22 Oct. 20 Nov. 17 Dec. 15
Course Description:	The Police Physical Agility Exam is conducted for numerous police departments throughout Northeast Ohio. The exam measures participants' fitness performance as it relates to the law enforcement profession.
Other Information:	A certificate of completion will be emailed two business days after successful completion of the exam, based on Cooper's Standard. Participants are responsible for providing the agency/agencies they are testing for with a copy of the certificate. Test scores will be forwarded to the agency upon request. Certificates and scores may be valid for up to one year, depending on agency standards.
Course Contact:	Carrie Havens, 216-987-3033 Police Physical Agility Testing

SIMULATED SCENARIO VILLAGE

About the Village



Building A

The Village Training Center features the VirTra training simulator area, dispatch communications training room, indoor mat room, jail cell training area, classroom/multipurpose room (up to 80 people), command room and an observation patio.



Building B

This commercial front building includes single-story and two-story buildings joined along a connecting wall. The building comes equipped with moveable walls and a smoke system. Possible scenario configurations include, but are not limited to, storefront, office space and mixed-use space.



Building C

This commercial front building includes two two-story buildings and one three-story building joined along connecting walls. The building comes equipped with moveable walls. Possible scenario configurations include, but are not limited to, storefront, apartments and mixed-use space. **Access to floors 1 and 3 only.**



Building D

This canopy-covered building comes equipped with moveable walls. Possible scenario configurations include, but are not limited to, bank, gas station, drive-thru and ER.



Building E

This two-story residence includes a two-car garage and full basement. It is equipped with moveable walls and a smoke system.

SIMULATED SCENARIO VILLAGE

Rental Fees*

FACILITY	RENTAL PERIOD	COST*
VirTra Training Simulator	2 hours min.	\$90/hour
Building B (two-story commercial)	8 hours	\$300
Building C (three-story commercial)	8 hours	\$300
Building D (canopy-covered)	8 hours	\$300
Building E (residential)	8 hours	\$300
Dispatch Communications	8 hours	\$700
Mat Room	8 hours	\$400
Jail Cell Training Area	8 hours	\$400
Confined Space Training Area	8 hours	\$250
Classroom - Half	8 hours	\$400
Classroom - Full	8 hours	\$600
Multipurpose Room - Half	8 hours	\$250
Multipurpose Room - Full	8 hours	\$400

^{*}Fees subject to change without notice.

Call for pricing:

- StressVest and blanks
- RedMan suits
- Drive pad

Cruisers

Riot gear

PSTC classrooms

Reservations must be secured five weeks prior to the first day of training.

Call **216-987-3031** to reserve a space.

Payment is due 15 business days prior to the first day of training and should be made payable to the Public Safety Training Office – Law Enforcement Division.

If full payment is not received by the deadline, your event may be canceled.

All spaces require proof of liability insurance. If written proof of insurance is not submitted to the Public Safety Training Office – Law Enforcement Division 15 days prior to the first day of training, your event may be cancelled. The campus scheduling specialist will advise if your event requires proof of insurance.

Indoor Firing Range for Law Enforcement Professionals

Tri-C's Public Safety Center of Excellence features a fully staffed indoor firing range. The range is open only to law enforcement professionals.

The state-of-the-art range features range lighting and vehicle access for tactical scenarios, an allsteel bullet trap and a separate weapons cleaning room.

Range Features

- 10 lanes
- 75-foot shooting distance
- Vehicle access entry for tactical scenarios
- All-steel bullet trap
- Electronic target controls
- Range lighting for OPOTC and tactical scenarios
- Calibers up to and including .223 and .308
- HVAC system switches out air every 90 seconds
- · Weapons cleaning room
- Range operator present

Reservation Options

Annual Membership

- Call for pricing on monthly and annual contracts
- Access to all 10 lanes
- Cleaning room access, including sonic cleaner access
- · Classroom access

Hourly Rates

- \$70/hour*
- · Access to all 10 lanes
- Cleaning room access

CALL TODAY TO RESERVE!

Visit tri-c.edu/range or call 216-987-0643 to reserve or learn more.







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