

CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT

The Certificate of Achievement in Criminal Justice with a Law Enforcement Training Academy (LETA) Emphasis prepares students for a career as a peace officer with Category I and II Nevada Law Enforcement Agencies. Students are awarded thirty credits in criminal justice, three credits in English and a Nevada POST Category I Certificate. The curriculum places a strong emphasis on Community Oriented Policing and Problem Solving (COP & PS). Testing methodology is structured for an active learning environment that will include written examinations, scenarios and case studies.

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES - Graduates of this program will have the opportunity to:

- Demonstrate the basic fundamentals of academic course work as required by the Nevada Commission on Peace Officer’s Standards and Training (POST).
- Demonstrate proficiency in the operation of academic course work as required by the Nevada Commission on Peace Officer’s Standards and Training (POST).
- Demonstrate the proper firing techniques for firearms and use of force requirements for a Nevada Peace Officer.
- Participate in the use of defensive tactics techniques that are authorized by Nevada Law Enforcement agencies.
- Demonstrate physical activity necessary to pass the Nevada POST Physical Agility Test.

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (3 Credits):

	CR	SEMESTER
COMMUNICATIONS: ENG 100, 101, 107, 113	3-5	_____

SPECIAL PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS (30 Credits):

	CR	SEMESTER
CRJ 110B Introduction to Nevada Law Enforcement	3	_____
CRJ 111B Firearms I	3	_____
CRJ 114B Firearms II	2	_____
CRJ 167B Preliminary Investigation for Police Recruits	3	_____
CRJ 170B Physical Training for Law Enforcement	1	_____
CRJ 210B Community Policing in Southern Nevada	3	_____
CRJ 216B Police Patrol Tactics	3	_____
CRJ 219B Emergency Vehicle Operation and Control	3	_____
CRJ 221B Criminal Procedures for Law Enforcement	3	_____
CRJ 229B Defensive Tactics	3	_____
CRJ 233B Nevada Criminal Law	3	_____
Computation included in CRJ 167B		
Human Relations included in CRJ 210B		

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Total Credits

Students may elect to graduate using the degree requirements in effect at the time of matriculation, or when they declared or changed major or the current catalog. If a program is official after a student has matriculated, the student may choose the degree requirements of the new program. In no case may a student use a catalog which is more than six years old at the time of graduation.

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