

Basic Law Enforcement Certificate (BL11)

DESCRIPTION:

The Basic Law Enforcement certificate program provides students with the necessary skills, standards, and knowledge in order to become qualified, proficiently trained, ethical and competent peace officers. Successful completion of the program will make the student eligible to be certified as a Georgia Peace Officer.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES:

Graduates of the Basic Law Enforcement certificate program are prepared for entry-level positions in law enforcement.

ADMISSIONS CRITERIA

1. Submit a completed application and application fee;
2. Be at least 18 years of age;
3. Submit official high school transcript or GED transcript;
4. Submit official college transcripts, if applicable;
5. Meet the following assessment requirements:

TEST	Reading	Writing	Numerical
COMPASS	70	32	26
SAT	430	NA	400
ACT	13	12	17

OTHER CONDITIONS FOR ADMISSION:

Applicants must also be accepted into the academy by the Georgia Peace Officers Standards and Training Council. The requirements include United States citizenship, a satisfactory criminal background check, GCIC and NCIC finger print checks, completion of a physician's affidavit, and certified driver history.

BASIC LAW ENFORCEMENT CURRICULUM

The Basic Law Enforcement certificate program is designed for the semester system. A student may enter the program winter, spring, or summer semesters. To graduate, students must earn a minimum of 42 semester credit hours. The program requires a minimum of 700 contact hours and generally takes 1 semester to complete.

Note: Conviction of a felony or certain misdemeanors may prohibit employment in the law enforcement field.

<u>Program Courses</u>	<u>Credits</u>
Occupational Courses	42
LETA 1010 - Health & Life Safety for Basic Law Enforcement*	2
LETA 1012 - Ethics and Liability for Basic Law Enforcement*	2
LETA 1014 - Firearms Training for Basic Law Enforcement*	4
LETA 1016 - Emergency Vehicle Operations for Basic Law Enforcement*	4
LETA 1018 - Defensive Tactics for Basic Law Enforcement*	2
LETA 1020 - Police Patrol Operations for Basic Law Enforcement*	4
LETA 1022 - Methods of Criminal Investigation for Basic Law Enforcement*	4
LETA 1024 - Criminal Law for Criminal Justice for Basic Law Enforcement*	4
LETA 1026 - Criminal Procedure for Basic Law Enforcement*	4

LETA 1028 - Police Traffic Control and Investigation for Basic Law Enforcement*	3
LETA 1030 - Principles of Law Enforcement for Basic Law Enforcement*	3
LETA 1032 - Introduction to Criminal Justice for Basic Law Enforcement*	3
LETA 1034 - Constitutional Law for Criminal Justice for Basic Law Enforcement	3

*(OL) designation indicates course may be available online during selected semesters. * "C" or higher grade is required for this course.*

PROGRAM COSTS

Tuition/Fees: \$3,155

Books/Supplies: \$700

Course Supply Fees:

- LETA 1014 Firearms Training for Basic Law Enforcement: \$275
- LETA 1016 Emergency Vehicle Operations for Basic Law Enforcement: \$135

(Costs are estimates and are subject to change.)

TOP 10 REASONS

why OTC is the right choice for you!

1. Great-paying careers!
2. Strong **job placement!**
3. Affordable tuition with financial aid options you don't have to pay back!
4. Over 100 majors to choose from!
5. Flexible class scheduling: day, evening, and online classes!
6. Faculty with real-world experience
7. Hands-on learning
8. Small class sizes
9. An Associate's Degree, diploma, or certificate in less 2 years or less!
10. We **GUARANTEE** your education!

GET STARTED TODAY!

1. Select a program! Free career counseling is available.
2. Review the Admissions Checklist and APPLY online at www.ogeecheetech.edu!
3. Plan for expenses. You can view tuition and fees and available financial aid options online as well.

QUESTIONS:

Contact Admissions at 912.688.6994 or via email at enrollmentservices@ogeecheetech.edu!

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