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Gilroy, CA 95023

Course Outline

COURSE: JLE 240 DIVISION: 50 ALSO LISTED AS:

TERM EFFECTIVE: Fall 2022

CURRICULUM APPROVAL DATE: 10/11/2022

SHORT TITLE: SWAT Update

LONG TITLE: SWAT Update

<u>Units</u>	<u>Number of Weeks</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Contact Hours/Week</u>	<u>Total Contact Hours</u>
.5 TO 1.5	18	Lecture:	0	0
		Lab:	1.4 TO 4.5	25.2 TO 81
		Other:	0	0
		Total:	1.4 TO 4.5	25.2 TO 81
		Total Learning Hrs:	25.2 TO 81	

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

This Special Weapons and Tactics (SWAT) update course is designed to provide the student with current tactics and techniques associated with planning, entries, searching, and evacuating in high risk police actions. Topics include tactical movements and entries, hostage situations, tactical assaults. Multi- weapon use, sniper tactics, combat tactics. PREREQUISITE: JLE 100

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Completion of JLE 100, as UG, with a grade of C or better.

1. Commission on Police Officer Standards & Training (POST) certified basic law enforcement academy diploma or equivalent as determined by the Dean of Academy Instruction. NOTE: Approval of equivalent training is not a guarantee state regulatory or licensing agencies will also grant equivalency.

2. Prior to beginning this course students must already be familiar with, and be able to demonstrate all of the skills listed below. These will not be taught in the course; rather, they will be the starting point for advanced officer training that builds upon them. These minimum knowledge and skill levels are regarding:

- Officer safety
- Proper and safe firearms handling
- Proper and safe firearms storage
- Proper and safe firearms cleaning techniques
- Ability to achieve a qualifying score during tactical handgun shooting
- Ability to achieve a qualifying score during shotgun shooting
- Ability to achieve a qualifying score during AR15 shooting
- Proper and safe tactical movement
- Proper and safe arrest and control technique
- Proper and safe ground fighting technique
- Proper and safe handling and use of chemical weapons
- Proper and safe handling and use of nonlethal weapons
- Effective verbal communication used in policing
- Effective non-verbal communication used in policing
- Proper CPR technique
- Proper first aid technique

COREQUISITES:

CREDIT STATUS: D - Credit - Degree Applicable

GRADING MODES

P - Pass/No Pass

REPEATABILITY: R - Course may be repeated

Maximum of 99 times

SCHEDULE TYPES:

02 - Lecture and/or discussion

03 - Lecture/Laboratory

04 - Laboratory/Studio/Activity

STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES:

By the end of this course, a student should:

1. Develop an awareness of characteristics and conditions common to an Active Shooter or Critical Incident situations.
2. Review and demonstrate proper tactical response and deployment to resolve an Active Shooter or Critical Incident

COURSE OBJECTIVES:

By the end of this course, a student should:

1. Be familiar with movement techniques and approaches to initial entry, hostage situations, active shooter review drills.

CONTENT, STUDENT PERFORMANCE OBJECTIVES, OUT-OF-CLASS ASSIGNMENTS

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I. Weapons (1 hour)

1. Safety and inspection review
2. Officer Safety
 - a. No live ammo or loaded weapons are allowed in the training area or during any simulated training exercises.

II. Breaching Skills and Scenario (4-10 hours)

1. Breaching tools
2. Ram
3. Rip Ram
4. Hooligan
5. Breaching Shotgun
6. Wall Banger
7. Scenario - Hostage rescue techniques
8. Debrief from instructor with students
9. Skills Exam

III. Slow Search Scenario (4-12 hours)

1. One suspect hiding in various locations
2. Two suspects hiding in various locations inside a house
3. Suspect shooting at entry team
4. Debrief from instructor with students
5. Skills exam

IV. Movement techniques and approaches to initial entry (2-8 hours)

1. Suspect compromising team at entry
2. Suspect in bedroom armed
3. Multiple suspects uncooperative in hallway
4. Initial entry point door barricaded & team using alternate entry point
5. Debrief from instructor with students
6. Skills exam

V. Various force on force scenarios (4-16 hours)

1. Officer down at entry point
2. Office down in hallway
3. Suspect shooting at entry team from bedroom
4. Suspect shooting at entry team in hallway
5. Debrief from instructor with students
6. Skills exam

- VI. Active Shooter Deployment (6-24 hours)
 - 1. Command and Control
 - 2. Rally point
 - 3. Responsibilities
 - 4. Make Plan
 - a. Consider safe /stealthy approach
 - b. Discuss team member responsibilities prior to response
 - 5. Follow-up teams
 - a. Large complexes may require additional teams
 - b. Rescue teams
- VII. Expectations / Dangers (4-10 hours)
 - A. Multiple suspects
 - B. Suspects utilizing body armor
 - C. Booby traps / Terrorist situation (Bombs, chemical & biological weapons)
 - 1. Radio Transmissions (Explosives)
 - D. When to reassess situation (Active Shooter vs. barricaded subject)
 - E. Officer Down
 - F. Injured victims / Suspects

METHODS OF INSTRUCTION:

Discussion Skills, Demonstrations Scenarios

OUT OF CLASS ASSIGNMENTS:

Required Outside Hours: 8

Assignment Description: Weapon cleaning

METHODS OF EVALUATION:

Skill demonstrations

Percent of total grade: 100.00 %

This is a skills course and students will complete multiple skills exams throughout.

REPRESENTATIVE TEXTBOOKS:

Department Policy SWAT Manual, Department 2022.

This is a skills based course given to trained SWAT Officers. The department policy is reviewed for Use of Force and Weapon updates.

Reading Level of Text, Grade: 12

ARTICULATION and CERTIFICATE INFORMATION

Associate Degree:

CSU GE:

IGETC:

CSU TRANSFER:

Not Transferable

UC TRANSFER:

Not Transferable

SUPPLEMENTAL DATA:

Basic Skills: N

Classification: Y

Noncredit Category: Y

Cooperative Education:

Program Status: 1 Program Applicable

Special Class Status: N

CAN:

CAN Sequence:

CSU Crosswalk Course Department:

CSU Crosswalk Course Number:

Prior to College Level: Y

Non Credit Enhanced Funding: N

Funding Agency Code: Y

In-Service: N

Occupational Course: C

Maximum Hours:

Minimum Hours:

Course Control Number: CCC000633588

Sports/Physical Education Course: N

Taxonomy of Program: 210550