



**Basic Course for Peace Officers
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Topic		Required Hours	Instructor Pre-Requisites
Introduction to Law Enforcement – Part 2			
Constitutional Law.....	Part 2-A	2	GT
Discretionary Powers.....	Part 2-B	2	GT
Ethics and Professionalism..... <i>*Practical Exercise Required*</i>	Part 2-C	8	GT
Procedural Justice.....	Part 2-E	2	GT
Laws of New York – Part 3			
New York State Penal Offenses.....	Part 3-A	16	GT
Use of Physical Force and Deadly Physical Force.....	Part 3-B	11	GT & Use of Force Update Training
New York State Criminal Procedure Law..... <i>CPL §2.20 Duties of a Peace Officer -Appendix Materials</i>	Part 3-C	21	GT
Civil Liability and Risk Management.....	Part 3-E	2	GT
Law Enforcement Skills – Part 4			
Report Writing..... <i>*Practical Exercise Required*</i>	Part 4-B	7	GT
Fundamental Crisis Intervention Skills for Law Enforcement..... <i>*Practical Exercise Required*</i>	Part 4-F	20	GT & Fundamental Crisis Intervention Skills for LE Instructor
Defensive Tactics and Principles of Control..... <i>*Practical Exercise Required*</i>	Part 4-J	40	GT & Defensive Tactics Instructor and DT Refresher Course
Firearms Safety and Handling.....	Part 4-M	3	GT
Off-Duty and Plain Clothes Police Encounters..... <i>*Practical Exercise Required*</i>	Part 4-S	4	GT
Active Shooter.....	Part 4-T(a)	2	GT
Aerosol Subject Restraint.....	Part 4-U	6	GT & ASR Instructor



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Table with 4 columns: Topic, Part, Required Hours, Instructor Pre-Requisites. Rows include Professional Communications (8 hours), Persons With Disabilities (6 hours), and Preliminary Investigation and Information Development (2 hours). Grand Total: 162 hours.