

SANTA ANA COLLEGE
CRIMINAL JUSTICE ACADEMIES
COURSE SYLLABUS

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MISSION STATEMENT

Santa Ana College
inspires, transforms, and
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**COURSE TITLE: Basic Police Motorcycle Operator Course CJA
060**

COURSE OBJECTIVES:

Upon completion of the course students will be able to:

1. Identify the components of the police motorcycle
2. Demonstrate the ability to upright a downed police motorcycle
3. Describe routine maintenance associated with the police motorcycle
4. Employ proper tactics associated with motorcycle enforcement
5. Demonstrate firearms proficiency wearing motorcycle equipment and uniform

GRADING:

All testing procedures and protocols are consistent with California Peace Officers Standards and Training (POST) rules and regulations

POST certified instructors evaluate student performance in all tested exercises.

Scale: 70% or higher – Pass / Lower than 70% - No Pass

SCHEDULED COURSE:

See Santa Ana College 2019-2020 Catalog at sac.edu, or call the CJA Office at 714 566-9200

REQUIRED MATERIALS:

Supplied by instructor during the first class meeting

COURSE CONTENT:

Lecture

1. Introduction to Motorcycle Enforcement
 - A. Safe operation of a police motorcycle
 - B. Confidence on a police motorcycle
 - C. Enforcement on a police motorcycle

2. Safety Orientation
 - A. Rules and protocols

3. Basic riding concepts
 - A. Balance
 - B. Head and eyes
 - C. Clutch and throttle
 - D. Look where you want to go
 - E. Leaning
 - F. Braking

4. Street and freeway riding
5. Tactical and traffic stops
 - A. Solo enforcement
 - B. Paired enforcement
 - C. Tactics

Total Lecture Hours – 9.5 hours

Lab

1. Introduction to the motorcycle and briefings
 - A. Equipment and maintenance

2. Skill exercises
 - A. Collision avoidance
 - B. Firearms training

3. Practical application exercises

Total Lab Hours – 70.5

Total Course Contact Hours – 80 (9.5 hours Lecture/70.5 hours Lab)

LEARNING METHODS TO BE EMPLOYED:

Class discussions, Group Study & Exercises, Handouts, Instructor Demonstrations, Lecture, Other:
Practical Application Exercises

SKILLS TO BE MEASURED BY:

Multiple Practical Application Exercises

Skills tests

STANDARDS OF STUDENT CONTACT:

From the 2019-2020 SAC Catalog page 61: Students enrolling in district educational programs assume an obligation to obey state law and district rules and regulations governing the conduct of students. Students who enroll in those instructional programs in which the college has affiliations with various outside associations must comply with the college's policies and procedures and also with the outside association's policies and procedures. This includes but is not limited to students enrolled in the programs of Fire Academics, Criminal Justice Academies and Nursing.

ACADEMIC ACCOMODATION STATEMENT:

A student with a disability, who would like to request an academic accommodation, is responsible for identifying herself/himself to the instructor and to the Disabled Students Programs and Services (DSPS). To make arrangements for academic accommodations, contact the Disables Student Office in Johnson Center, U-103, or phone (714) 564-6264, TTY (714) 564-6284 for a referral to the appropriate DSPS Department.