



IMPACT WEAPONS INSTRUCTOR

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

This California Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training (POST)-certified course provides students with the skills and knowledge to provide instruction for the use of impact weapons in the public safety environment. Topics include legal issues and points of authority in the use of force; POST expanded course outlines and lesson plans; preparing for physical skills instruction; injury prevention and the proper use of training equipment; documentation requirements related to the use of impact weapons; reviewing impact weapon strike zones, striking techniques, and katas; reviewing impact weapon blocking techniques and katas; retaining and controlling impact weapons; and evaluating student performance. Pass/No Pass only.

Because this course is designed to provide practical hands-on training in police tactics and weapon usage, participants in this course will engage in physically demanding classroom training exercises that include a risk of injury to the participants.

Upon completion of the course, all students will receive an ARC SRPSTC Certificate of Completion and a grade submitted for their college transcripts. Only in-service peace officers shall receive POST credit.

Important Note: *Students are strongly encouraged to arrive on time in order to complete the registration process and avoid impeding instructional time. Late students who miss this process will not be allowed to attend the course.*

ENROLLMENT LIMITATION:

Students must 1) be free of felony convictions; 2) possess a valid California Driver's License; 3) undergo a fingerprint and criminal history check; 4) be a minimum of 18 years of age; 5) be a United States high school graduate; pass the GED, pass the California High School Proficiency Examination, or have attained a two-year or four-year degree from an accredited college or university; and 6) complete a medical suitability examination.

PREREQUISITES:

PSTC 1683 (*Continuing Professional Training for Peace Officers*), or placement through the assessment process.; POST certified basic law enforcement academy 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.

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:

This is a physically demanding course and participants should be in good physical condition. Participants with prior injuries should be cleared by their agency physician for intense physical activity. Protective equipment is provided. Participants who are unable to fully participate in this physically demanding course will be dismissed from the class.

MATERIALS NEEDED:

Students are required to bring agency issued impact weapon, tape for hands and/or workout gloves, notebook, pen, sweats and tennis shoes.

COURSE DATES & LOCATION:

Please click on link below to see current course dates and locations.
<https://apps.arc.losrios.edu/SRPSTC/reports/calendarbymonth.asp>

HOURS:

8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

2024 FEES: \$90.00*

\$69.00 Enrollment fee
\$19.00 Material fee
\$2.00 SRF fee

(No SRF Fee for Summer Courses)

* Students who have not established legal residence in CA are required to pay additional tuition and fees. Payment for non-resident tuition must be paid at the time of registration.

All Fees Subject to Change



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CREDIT: One and one-half (1.5) units through [American River College](#)

RESERVATIONS: ***Mandatory** College Enrollment Instructions/to obtain your college Student ID number:

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- a) Please click on the following link:
http://www.losrios.edu/lrc/lrc_app.php
- b) Please click on "Apply to American River College"
- c) If you are new to the OpenCCC website, you will need to create an account. Please write down your username and password as you may need it in the future. If you are a returning user, please log in with your username and password
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IMPORTANT: Make sure to fill out the date in the box that says "When did you start your present stay in California?" If you were born in California, please enter your date of birth. Leaving it blank on the application for admissions will automatically make you an out of state resident and you will be charged out of state tuition fees

**Save each page as you complete it so all of the information that you have entered will be saved in case you are timed out*

Student Identification number is required prior to registration

CERTIFICATION: P.O.S.T. Plan II #: 2970-21265 (Baton/Impact Weapons Instructor and S.T.C. #: 218-7947 (Impact Weapons Instructor)