

DALLAS POLICE ACADEMY
Basic Training Curriculum

COURSE #	COURSE TITLE AND SYNOPSIS	HOURS
PHASE ONE - (Administrative - Non-testable)		
Phase 1 Administrative Instruction		
# 001.000	Human Resources Processing	4
# 002.000	Academy Administrative Processing	4
# 003.000	Family Orientation Night	2
# 004.000	Human Resources Employee Orientation	2
# 005.000	Employee Benefits	2
# 006.000 Personnel Processing Completion		
# 006.010	Veterans Affairs & Benefits	2
# 006.020	Computer Authorization Paperwork (schedule in Week 6)	1
# 006.030 Computer and Network Information		
# 006.031	Security Awareness Training (schedule with # 006.032 as a 4 hr block)	1
# 006.032	Network/Email/HRIS/Police Manager Overview (schedule with # 006.031 as a 4 hr block)	3
# 007.000	Quartermaster	8
# 008.000	Hepatitis Shot	1
# 009.000	Drill & Ceremony	1
# 010.000 Community Service		
# 010.010	Community Service Project	8
# 010.020	Spirit of Compromise/Cooperation	1
# 010.030	Leadership Abilities	1
# 010.040	Team Building Skills	1
# 010.050	Problem Solving Skills	1
# 011.000	The Three R's of Customer Service	1
# 012.000	Adult Basic Education Testing	2
# 013.000	Associations Overview	3
# 014.000	Financial Peace	4
PHASE 1 (Non-Testable) TOTALS		53
PHASE ONE - (Academy Mental and Physical Training - Testable)		
Phase 1 Academic Instruction		
# 101.000	Exam & Evaluation Procedures/Study Techniques/Notebooks	3
# 102.000	Code of Conduct	2
# 103.000	General Orders	3
# 105.000	Discipline Procedures	1
# 106.000	Sexual Harassment (Administrative Directive 3-61)	1
# 107.000	Drugs in the Workplace (Administrative Directive 3-49)	1
# 108.000	Violence in the Workplace	1
# 110.000 Physical Training		
# 110.010	PT - Aerobic & Anaerobic Exercise (approximately - varies per class)	50
# 110.020	PT - Fit Force Assessment	12
PHASE 1 (Testable) TOTALS		74
PHASE TWO - (TCOLE - Testable)		
Phase 2 Instruction		
# 200.000	Introduction and Curriculum Overview (Required - 2 hours) TCOLE Requirements Academy Rules & Regulations	4
# 201.000 Fitness and Wellness, and Stress Management (Required - 16 hours)		
# 201.010	Fitness and Wellness	8
# 201.020	Stress Management	8
# 202.000	Professional Policing (Required - 8 hours)	8
# 203.000	Professionalism and Ethics (Required - 8 hours)	8
# 204.000	United States and Texas Constitutions, Bill of Rights, and CJ System (Required - 8 hours)	8
# 205.000 Multiculturalism and Human Relations (Required - 10 hours)		
# 205.010	TCOLE (Texas Commission on Law Enforcement Officers Standards and Education) Objectives	2
# 205.021	Anglo Community	1
# 205.022	African-American Community	4

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# 205.023	Asian Community	2
# 205.024	Hispanic Community	3
# 205.025	Native American Community	1
# 205.031	Gay & Lesbian Community	4
# 205.032	Hearing/Visually/Mobility Impaired	2
# 206.000	Code of Criminal Procedure (Required - 20 hours)	20
# 207.000	Arrest, Search, and Seizure (Required - 28 hours)	28
# 208.000	Penal Code (Required - 44 hours)	
# 208.010	Penal Code - Chapters 1 - 21	12
# 208.020	Penal Code - Chapters 22 - 35A	16
# 208.030	Penal Code - Chapters 36 - 71	16
# 209.000	Traffic (Required - 68 hours)	
# 209.010	Traffic Collision Investigation & Traffic Direction (schedule 2 days in Basic Training Computer Lab)	38
# 209.020	Traffic Law Enforcement	30
# 210.000	Intoxicated Driver and SFST (Required - 24 hours)	24
# 211.000	Civil Process (Required - 8 hours)	8
# 212.000	Texas Alcoholic Beverage Code (Required - 4 hours)	4
# 213.000	Health and Safety Code - Controlled Substance Act (Required - 12 hours)	12
# 214.000	Texas Family Code - Juvenile Issues (Required - 10 hours)	10
# 215.000	Written Communications (Required - 16 hours) (schedule after Penal Code)	16
# 216.000	Spanish (Required - 16 hours)	16
# 217.000	Force Options (Required - 24 hours)	
# 217.010	Force Options - Law	8
# 217.020	Force Options - Concepts	16
# 217.030	Force Options - Objective Reasonableness - Constitutional Policing (Part 1)	6
# 218.000	Mechanics of Arrest - Strategies of Defense (Required - 40 hours)	
# 218.010	Defensive Tactics Module 1 - Mechanics of Arrest (Lecture)	6
# 218.020	Defensive Tactics Module 2 - Movements/Stances/Posture	8
# 218.030	Defensive Tactics Module 3 - Pressure Points	4
# 218.040	Defensive Tactics Module 4 - Personal Weapons	16
# 218.050	Defensive Tactics Module 5 - Handcuffing/Searching	14
# 218.060	Defensive Tactics Module 6 - Takedowns	24
# 218.070	Defensive Tactics Module 7 - Escape from Mount/Guard/Headlock	16
# 218.080	Defensive Tactics Module 8 - Redman (30 second war)	4
# 219.000	Firearms - Strategies of Defense (Required - 48 hours)	
# 219.010	Introduction & Classroom Drill	11
# 219.020	FATC (Firearms Training Center)	48
# 220.000	Emergency Medical Assistance (Required - 16 hours)	16
# 221.000	Emergency Communications (Required - 12 hours)	
# 221.010	Emergency Communications	6
# 221.020	NCIC/TCIC (National Crime Information Center/Texas Crime Information Center) [to be taught on the day following the Phase 2 Final Exam and before the TCOLE Test]	8
# 222.000	Professional Police Driving (Required - 32 hours)	
# 222.010	Defensive Driving	6
# 222.020	EVOC - Emergency Vehicle Operation Course (24 hours reported to TCOLE)	29
# 222.030	Tactical Police Driving - Legal/Policy Lecture	3
# 223.000	Communication and Problem Solving (Required - 16 hours)	16
# 224.000	Patrol/Consular Notification (Required - 42 hours)	
# 224.011	Preparation and Patrol	4
# 224.012	Public Service/Crime Prevention/Consular Notification	2
# 224.013	RBT Module 4 - Patrol Procedures - Pedestrian Stops	2
# 224.014	Concepts and Techniques	4
# 224.015	Crowd Control	2
# 224.016	RBT Module 5 - Patrol Procedures - Traffic Stops	8
# 224.017	RBT Module 6 - Patrol Procedures - Building Search	8
# 224.018	RBT Module 7 - Patrol Procedures - Rapid Rescue Deployment	9

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# 224.020	Officer Safety (Part 1)	4
# 225.000	Victims of Crime (Required - 10 hours)	
# 225.010	Victim's Services Coordinator	4
# 225.020	Victims of Crime	6
# 226.000	Family Violence and Related Assaultive Offenses (Required - 20 hours)	20
# 227.000	Crisis Intervention Training (CIT) and Mental Health Code (Required - 16 hours)	
# 227.010	CIT and Mental Health Code (SOP 1600)	17
# 227.020	Elderly/Alzheimer Patients	1
# 227.030	Homeless Community	2
# 227.040	Mentally Handicapped	4
# 228.000	Hazardous Materials Awareness (Required - 6 hours)	6
# 229.000	Criminal Investigations (Required - 44 hours)	
# 229.011	Introduction to Criminal Investigation	4
# 229.012	Interview Techniques	4
# 229.013	Booking Procedures	2
# 229.014	Case Management & Courtroom Demeanor	4
# 229.015	Moot Court	4
# 229.021	General Criminal Investigation	2
# 229.022	Auto Theft	2
# 229.031	Homicide/Assaults/Elder Abuse	2
# 229.032	Sexual Assaults	4
# 229.033	Child Abuse and Exploitation	4
# 229.034	Hate Crimes	2
# 229.041	Basic Crime Scene Investigation	6
# 229.042	Homicide Practical	4
# 230.000	Racial Profiling (Required - 4 hours)	4
# 231.000	Asset Forfeiture (Required - 4 hours) (Schedule after all law classes have been taught)	4
# 232.000	Identity Crimes (Required - 4 hours)	4
# 233.000	TCOLE Rules Overview (Required - 3 hours)	4
# 240.000	RBT (Reality Based Training)	
# 240.010	Deadly Force Policy and Introduction to RBT	
# 240.011	RBT Module 1 - Deadly Force Policy (Lecture)	2
# 240.012	RBT Module 2 - Deadly Force Policy (Practical)	2
# 240.013	RBT Module 3 - Introduction to Reality Based Training - Drills 1 thru 4	4
	PHASE 2 (TCOLE - Testable) TOTALS	749
	PHASE TWO - (Testing)	
	Phase 2 Testing	
# 251.000	Examination, Evaluation & Review	
# 251.010	Weekly Exam (approximately - varies per class)	30
# 251.020	Phase II Final Exam	4
# 251.030	TCOLE Review	8
# 251.040	TCOLE (Texas Commission on Law Enforcement) Licensing Examination	4
	PHASE 2 (Testing) TOTALS	46
	PHASE THREE - (Dallas Police Department)	
	Phase 3 Instruction	
# 301.000	Law and Philosophy	
# 301.010	Department Philosophy - Excellence in Policing	4
# 301.020	City Code	4
# 301.030	Fair & Impartial Policing	4
# 302.000	Communications/Report Writing/Radio Procedures	
# 302.010	Spanish (Intermediate) - (Total 48 hours with RBT Module 12 & 13)	40
# 302.020	Verbal Communications (SOP 1305)/Internal Complaint Avoidance & Analysis	2
# 302.030	Offense & Arrest Report Writing (SOP 1100)	40
# 302.040	Mobile Work Station	4
# 302.050	Radio Procedures (SOP 1301, 1304, 1306)	4
# 302.060	TCIC/TLETS Testing	6

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# 302.080	RMS (Report Management System) Training	16
# 302.090	Blue Team - Use of Force documentation program training	4
# 303.000	Officer Safety and Awareness	
# 303.011	Officer Safety (Part 2)	4
# 303.012	Tactical Mindset	8
# 303.020	Officer Involved Shooting	
# 303.021	Officer Involved Shooting - Investigation	2
# 303.022	Officer Involved Shooting - Aftermath	2
# 303.030	Tactical Medical Training	2
# 304.000	Firearms Training Center Modules	
# 304.010	FATC Module 1 - Concealed Weapons (immediately after TCOLE test) (Academy)	2
# 304.020	FATC Module 2 - Down but not Disabled - One-Handed Tactical Shooting	4
# 304.030	FATC Module 3 - Close Quarters/Moving and Shooting - Pistol and Shotgun	4
# 304.040	FATC Module 4 - Use of Cover - Advanced Moving and Shooting	4
# 304.050	FATC Module 5 - Qualifications (New/Backup weapons) & Armorer Inspection of weapons	4
# 305.000	Human Relations	
# 305.010	Rape Crisis Intervention	4
# 306.000	Patrol Tactics and Procedures	
# 306.010	Mobile Field Force	14
# 306.020	City Geography	2
# 306.030	Tactical Assistance - Helicopter and K-9	1
# 306.050	Traffic Enforcement (ticket writing, e-citations)	12
# 306.080	ICS	
# 306.081	ICS 100	3
# 306.082	ICS 200	3
# 306.083	ICS 700	3
# 306.084	ICS 800	3
# 306.090	Juvenile Information System (JIS)	4
# 306.100	Mobile Video Training	3
# 306.110	Bait Car Theft	1
# 306.120	Tactical Police Driving Course - Skills Module	8
# 306.140	Municipal Court Procedures	2
# 307.000	Patrol Bureau SOP	
# 307.010	Emergency Vehicle Operations - Chases (General Orders 301)	2
# 307.020	Felony/Robbery - in - progress (SOP 1520)	1
# 307.030	Evidence delivery to court and prisoner transporting (SOP 1606, 1615)	1
# 307.040	Burglary - residential, business & m/v (SOP 1506, 1507); coin operated machine (SOP 1508), burglary-in-progress, burglar alarms, open building & criminal trespass (SOP 1509, 1512)	2
# 307.050	Protective Orders, family violence & Genesis Women's Shelter (SOP1801)	6
# 307.060	Juvenile procedures (SOP 1300)	4
# 307.070	DWI - Adult and Youth (SOP 802)	3
# 307.080	Other SOP's - Assaults (No Family) (SOP 1504), Assist Officer (SOP 1505), Death/Suicide (SOP 1513), Sex Assaults (G.O. 304.05), Shoplifts (SOP 1523), Thefts (SOP 1526), UUMV (SOP 1529), Fight Disturbances (SOP 1902), Fireworks (SOP 1902), Loud Music (SOP 1903), and Random Gunfire (SOP 1904)	2
# 308.000	Administrative Functions	
# 308.010	Formal Inspection	1
# 308.00	TASER Issuance	1
# 308.030	FTO Orientation & Reserve Officers	2
# 308.040	Badge Pinning, Oath of Office and Class Picture	3
# 308.050	Issue ID Card, Warrant of Appointment, Ammo, OC Spray and Barrels	1
# 308.080	Graduation	4
# 308.090	In-Service Requirements	3
# 309.000	Mechanics of Arrest - Strategies of Defense	
# 309.010	Defensive Tactics Module 8 - O.C. Spray	8
# 309.020	Defensive Tactics Module 9 - Impact Weapons	8

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# 309.030	Defensive Tactics Module 10 - Conducted Energy Device (TASER)	16
# 309.040	Defensive Tactics Module 11 - Edged Weapon Avoidance	6
# 309.050	Defensive Tactics Module 12 - Redman (Force Continuum)	16
# 309.060	Defensive Tactics Module 13 - Excited Delirium/Drug Induced Psychosis	2
# 309.070	Defensive Tactics Module 14 - Weapon Retention	8
# 309.080	Defensive Tactics Written and Practical Exams	16
# 309.090	Force Options - Objective Reasonableness - Constitutional Policing (Part 2)	4
# 310.000	Reality Based Training	
# 310.010	RBT Modules - preparation for Role Play	
# 310.011	RBT Module 8 - Officer Safety Practice	8
# 310.012	RBT Module 9 - Intermediate Traffic Stops (SOP 1700, 1833)	8
# 310.013	RBT Module 10 - Intermediate Building Search	8
# 310.014	RBT Module 11 - Disturbance Calls	8
# 310.015	RBT Module 12 - Spanish Traffic Stops [Part of # 302.10 - Spanish Language]	4
# 310.016	RBT Module 13 - Spanish Felony-in-progress [Part of # 302.10 - Spanish Language]	4
# 310.017	RBT Module 14 - Foot Pursuits	8
# 310.018	RBT Module 15 - [Reserved for Future Use]	
# 310.019	RBT Module 16 - [Reserved for Future Use]	
# 310.020	Preparation for FTO Modules	
# 310.021	RBT Module 17 - Burglary Module	8
# 310.022	RBT Module 18 - Traffic and Felony Traffic Stops	8
# 310.023	RBT Module 19 - Violent Felonies-in-Progress	8
# 310.030	FTO Modules - Preparation for Situation Simulation	
# 310.031	Burglary Module	8
# 310.032	Traffic and Felony Traffic Stops Module	8
# 310.033	Violent felonies-in-progress Module	8
# 310.040	Situation Simulation	
# 310.041	Situation Simulation (Actor - Junior Class)	16
# 310.042	Situation Simulation (Student - Senior Class)	16
# 311.000	Examination, evaluation & review (approximately - varies per class)	
# 311.010	Recruit Evaluation	3
	PHASE 3 TOTALS	478

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PHASE 1 (Non-Testable) TOTALS	53
PHASE 1 (Testable) TOTALS	74
PHASE 1 TOTALS	127
PHASE 2 (TCOLE - Testable) TOTALS	749
PHASE 2 (Non-Testable) TOTALS	46
PHASE 2 TOTALS	795
PHASE 3 TOTALS	478
DALLAS POLICE ACADEMY TOTALS	1400
DALLAS POLICE ACADEMY TRAINING DAYS	175
DALLAS POLICE ACADEMY TRAINING WEEKS	35