



Correctional Officer Crossover to Florida Law Enforcement Officer Academy - 5278

Career Pathway: [Public Safety](#)

Location(s): [Courses for this program are offered at all BC locations.](#) Program specific courses for this program are offered at the A. Hugh Adams Central Campus.

Program Entrance Requirements: All candidates entering the program must have proof of a standard high school diploma or GED and are required to complete the pre-program testing through Broward College Institute of Public Safety Regional Selection Center. The candidate must complete and achieve passing scores (10.0 on all sections) on the TABE test (Adult Basic Ability Test). All test registrations must be completed online at <http://www.broward.edu/admissions/testing/Pages/default.aspx>.

Candidates who are seeking to sponsor themselves must complete the above test first before contacting the open enrollment coordinator. For additional information on this process, please visit our website at www.broward.edu/ips.

Seating is limited to 40 students per academy program.

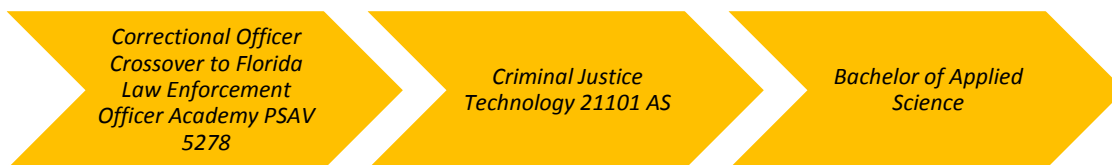
Program Description: The Police Service Aide Academy Training Program is a limited access program. The Institute is certified by the Florida Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission to provide basic and advanced training.

The Police Service Aide Academy prepares students for employment as Parking Enforcement Specialists, Traffic Crash Investigators, and Community Service Officers in accordance with Chapters 316.640 and 943, Florida Statute. Courses of study include but are not limited to First Responder, Vehicle Operation, Interpersonal Skills Traffic Control, Legal, Ethics, Crime Scene Investigation and Courtroom Preparation and Testimony. Practical skills and simulated activities complement the classroom instruction. This minimum standards program is regulated by Florida statutes, The Florida Department of Education, The Florida Department of Law Enforcement and is a highly structured and disciplined program.

Upon successful completion of the training Program, a student is eligible to seek employment as a Police Service Aide or Community Service Officer. For additional information on agency requirements for hire, students should refer the hiring agency.

Additional Program Information: Students completing their academy training who do not already have a degree are strongly encouraged to continue their education by completing the A.S. degree in Criminal Justice Technology. Students who complete the Police Service Aide Academy are eligible to receive 3 college credits towards the A.S. degree in Criminal Justice Technology. For additional information, contact the program manager at 954-201-6803.

Build Your Education



Recommended Course Sequence

Full Time	Course ID	Description	Hours
Term 1	<i>CJK0293</i>	<i>Overview of Law Enforcement</i>	<i>64</i>
	<i>CJK0297</i>	<i>Interactions in Crisis Situations</i>	<i>10</i>
	<i>CJK0296</i>	<i>Reporting Procedures</i>	<i>32</i>
	<i>CJK0064</i>	<i>Fundamentals of Patrol</i>	<i>35</i>
	<i>CJK0065</i>	<i>Calls for Service</i>	<i>36</i>
	<i>CJK0077</i>	<i>Criminal Investigations</i>	<i>50</i>
	<i>CJK0078</i>	<i>Crime Scene to Courtroom</i>	<i>35</i>
	<i>CJK0092</i>	<i>Critical Incidents</i>	<i>44</i>
	<i>CJK0087</i>	<i>Traffic Stops</i>	<i>30</i>
	<i>CJK0084</i>	<i>DUI Traffic Stops</i>	<i>24</i>
	<i>CJK0088</i>	<i>Traffic Crash Investigations</i>	<i>32</i>
	<i>CJK0393</i>	<i>Crossover Program Updates</i>	<i>8</i>
	<i>CJK0020</i>	<i>CMS Law Enforcement Vehicle Operations</i>	<i>48</i>
	<i>CJK0422</i>	<i>Dart firing Stun Gun</i>	<i>8</i>
	<i>CJK0392</i>	<i>Crossover Handgun Transition Course</i>	<i>24</i>
	<i>CJK0295</i>	<i>Correctional Crossover to Law Enforcement Officer Wellness</i>	<i>35</i>
Total Program Hours			515

Notes: Students attend the Broward Corrections Officer Crossover to Law Enforcement Officer Academy, Monday-Friday, 3:30am - 12:30pm. Schedules are subject to change. Students must maintain excellent attendance at all required courses. Students will wear academy approved attire and must follow the IPS Academy Rules and Regulations and Broward College Student Code of Conduct.

Students are strongly encouraged to meet with an [advisor](#) to create an educational plan.

CHOOSE YOUR COURSES

Program Highlights



Credit for Prior Learning: Accelerate your path to completion with these options:

- Credit by exam
 - Earned Industry certifications
 - Prior Learning Assessment
 - And much more...
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Related Industry Certifications: Upon completing this program, graduates will be eligible to sit for the following industry certifications/licenses:

- Florida Department of Law Enforcement, State Officer Certification Exam for Law Enforcement.
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Get an Internship: After completing your first year of coursework make sure to visit the Career Center for internship opportunities that help you take your career to the next level!



Median Wage and Job Growth Outlook: Broward College has [Career Coach!](#) It is designed to help you find a good career by providing the most current local data on wages, employment, job postings, and associated education and training.



Fund Your Education:

This Program is [Financial Aid](#) eligible. [Scholarships](#) are available.

Get Started Today!

START APPLICATION

