

LABETTE COMMUNITY COLLEGE BRIEF SYLLABUS

SPECIAL NOTE:

This brief syllabus is not intended to be a legal contract. A full syllabus will be distributed to students at the first class session.

TEXT AND SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIALS USED IN THE COURSE (if any):

Please check with the LCC bookstore <http://www.labette.edu/bookstore> for the required texts for this class.

<u>COURSE NUMBER:</u>	CRIM 127
<u>COURSE TITLE:</u>	POLICE DEFENSE TACTICS
<u>SEMESTER CREDIT HOUR:</u>	1
<u>DEPARTMENT:</u>	Criminal Justice
<u>DIVISION:</u>	General Education
<u>PREREQUISITE:</u>	None

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

This course covers fundamental methods of protection against persons who are resistive and combative, handcuffing, and restraint of prisoners and the mentally ill. The course is needed by local agencies and students to help prevent injury both of the officers and the prisoner by teaching proper apprehension techniques.

COURSE OUTCOMES AND COMPETENCIES:

Students who successfully complete this course will be able to:

1. Prepare the student so he/she can capably protect themselves against armed or aggressive persons.

- Demonstrate the proficiency in the use of the police baton.
- Demonstrate the front and rear pistol disarming holds.
- Demonstrate the high risk prone, kneeling and standing search techniques.

2. Develop fundamental methods of handling large crowds and the mentally ill.

- Demonstrate the various police holds and come-along holds and discuss their uses and limitations.
- Apply the accepted methods of handcuffing and the use of other restraints.
- Explain the proper application of pepper spray and the officer's responsibility.