Sacramento Police Department  
Mandatory Academy Follow-up Training  
2020

The following course is offered to academy graduates as they enter the field training program at the Sacramento Police Department. These new officers are brought back to the training environment several times as they progress through the field training.

Course Title: Standardized Field Sobriety Testing - Training

Course Description: To provide the basic operational theory and practical training to reasonably, safely, and effectively conduct roadside field sobriety testing and properly determine impairment.

Course Objectives: Upon completion of this course the student will be able to:
- Explain the relevance of Standardized Field Sobriety Testing.
- Describe the nomenclature and phases of the tests
- Demonstrate and evaluate the tests to NHTSA standards
- Demonstrate an understanding of Federal Law, existing law, state law, and department policy regarding DUI investigations and search warrant protocols.
- Demonstrate an understanding of proper documentation procedures and report writing.

Representative Methods of Evaluation:
- Class participation
- Class performance
- Written Examination
- Demonstrate and pass a skill test