



# EL PASO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

## REGION VIII TRAINING ACADEMY

### 3RD QUARTER TRAINING CALENDAR



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2020 Course Description	JUNE	JULY	AUG.
<p><b>DE-ESCALATION: (8 hrs.) (TCOLE 1849)</b>                      The purpose of this course is to improve the response of Peace Officers to incidents that involve persons in crisis, who are behaving erratically. The emphasis of public safety is at the heart of this training  <b>This course is a TCOLE requirement for Intermediate Peace Officer Certification AND it is a TCOLE training cycle requirement if the officer does not achieve Intermediate Certification before the end of the training cycle.</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Dep. M. Avila</b>  <b>Limited to 24 students</b></p>	N/A	21	31
<p><b>DEFENSIVE DRIVER'S COURSE: (6 hrs.) (TCOLE 3931)</b>                      This course is designed to familiarize the student with skills that will improve their chances of avoiding future collisions that could result in serious injury and/or death. The student will learn techniques for driving defensively.  <i>Per Policy, all personnel authorized by EPCSO to operate a county vehicle must attend a Defensive Driving course, provided by the Academy, every three (3) years during the course of their employment with the Office.</i>  <b>Prerequisite- Licensed Drivers</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1500</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Dep. M. Avila/Ofc. J. Martinez</b>  <b>Limited to 24 students</b></p>	N/A	23	18
<p><b>D.W.I. DETECTION AND STANDARD FIELD SOBRIETY TESTING (SFST) INSTRUCTOR COURSE: (50 hrs.) (TCOLE 1016)</b>                      This course prepares officers to instruct SFST course to their peers. Participants will experience hands-on training exercises and simulated alcohol "web lab" workshops. Successful graduates are able to teach the SFST Practitioner Course.  <b>To qualify for a TCOLE SFST Instructor Certificate, an applicant must meet all proficiency requirements including: (1) Successful completion of the National Highway Transportation Safety Administration (NHTSA) Standardized Field Sobriety Testing Practitioner Course, 2176 or 2067; or the SFST taken with Academy; (2) At least three years' experience as a Standardized Field Sobriety Testing practitioner; (3) Current instructor license or certificate issued by the commission; (4) Successful completion of the commission approved SFST Instructor Course, 1016 or Drug Recognition Expert (D.R.E.) Instructor Course 1015.</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1700*</b>                      *Practical portions may be conducted after 1700 hrs.  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Dep. M. Avila/Lt. R. Rojas &amp; Sgt. D. Rodriguez</b>  <b>Limited to 20 students</b></p>	N/A	N/A	3-7
<p><b>D.W.I. DETECTION AND STANARDIZED FIELD SOBRIETY TESTING (SFST) PRACTITIONER COURSE: (24 hrs.) (TCOLE 2067)</b>                      This course will certify the peace officer in the most current NHTSA approved SFST Training Curriculum. The 3-day course will include an alcohol workshop on Day 2 and Day 3.  <b>Time: 0800-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Dep. M. Avila/Various Instructors</b>  <b>Limited to 20 students</b></p>	N/A	N/A	12-14

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<p><b>HEARTSAVER AED/CPR AHA RECERTIFICATION: (4 hrs.) (TCOLE 3832)</b>  <i>For EPCSO personnel only.</i> This is a <b>recertification</b> course that will review the use of AED with CPR based on recent updates. (2 sessions)  <b>**When registering, please indicate session**</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1200 and 1300-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor(s): Academy Staff</b>  <b>Limited to 12 students per session</b></p>	24	13	N/A
<p><b>INMATE TRANSPORT: (16 hrs.) (TCOLE 3523)</b>  This course will provide instructions on how to properly prepare an inmate for transport to TDC: searching, applying restraints, positioning in vehicle, as well as the necessary information that should be provided to dispatch/central security. The student will also be provided on instructions on how to properly inspect the transport vehicle-general maintenance and how to use emergency equipment. Officer's will also be giving instructions on surveillance detection, ambush avoidance and counter ambush procedures.  <b>Prerequisite- Armed Detention Officers and Transportation Officers</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. L. Trevino</b>  <b>Limited to 12 students</b></p>	15-16	15-16	N/A
<p><b>INTERMEDIATE ARREST, SEARCH, AND SEIZURE: (24 hrs.) (TCOLE 2108)</b>  Upon the completion of this course, the student will be able to explain the various circumstances when authorized by law to arrest persons. The course will additionally provide the student with the skills to describe and explain suspicious activity, and probable cause. The student will also be able to discuss the search warrant requirements, and explain the procedures for obtaining a search warrant among other topics dealing with arrest, search and seizure.  <b>This course is a TCOLE requirement for Intermediate Peace Officer Certification.</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Dep. J. Pizana/Sgt. P. Soria</b>  <b>Limited to 24 students</b></p>	N/A	1-3	N/A
<p><b>INTERMEDIATE CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION AND INVESTIGATION: (24 hrs.) (TCOLE 2105)</b>  This course is designated to provide students with a better understanding of the legal aspects and investigation of child abuse and neglect. The student will have a better understanding of the investigative tools for interviewing and identifying child abuse and neglect.  <b>This course is a TCOLE requirement for Intermediate Peace Officer Certification.</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Dep. J. Pizana/Det. O. Montoya</b>  <b>Limited to 24 students</b></p>	3-5	N/A	N/A

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<b>INTERMEDIATE INTERPERSONAL COMMUNICATIONS IN CORRECTIONS: (16 hrs.) (TCOLE 3503).</b> This course is designed to provide the Detention Officer with an understanding of basic communication skills and the ability to use them. <b>This course is a TCOLE requirement for Intermediate Jailer Certification.</b> <b>Time: 0800-1700</b> <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. M. Chavez</b> <b>Limited to 24 students</b>	N/A	14-15	N/A
<b>INTERMEDIATE SPANISH CHALLENGE EXAM: (TCOLE 2111)</b> Please note that this is a challenge exam. No TCOLE credit hours will be given; however, successful completion of this course will satisfy the TCOLE requirement for Intermediate Certification. <b>**When registering, please indicate session**</b> <b>Time: 0800-1000 and 1300-1500</b> <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. M. Chavez</b> <b>Limited to 24 students per session</b>	N/A	1	19
<b>INTERMEDIATE SUICIDE DETECTION AND PREVENTION IN A JAIL SETTING: (8 hrs.) (TCOLE 3501)</b> This course will help the officer to take a proactive approach to identifying and preventing suicidal attempts in a jail setting. This course is designed to train the officer on early warning signs and symptoms an inmate may possess. This training will make the officer aware of potential liabilities that may occur when suicides are successful in a facility. The officer will additionally become aware of the state and national statistics on suicides in lockups. <b>This course is a TCOLE requirement for Intermediate Jailer Certification.</b> <b>Time 0800-1700</b> <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. M. Chavez</b> <b>Limited to 24 students</b>	24, 25	N/A	25, 26
<b>INTERMEDIATE USE OF FORCE FOR PEACE OFFICERS: (16 hrs.) (TCOLE 2107)</b> The student will obtain a basic overview of the terminology and concepts regarding use of force. The student will also obtain information concerning research indicating factors and situations where use of force may be likely. The student will be able to demonstrate on a written objective type examination an understanding of this area to a specified percentage. <b>This course is a TCOLE requirement for Intermediate Peace Officer Certification.</b> <b>Time: 0800-1700</b> <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Dep. J. Pizana</b> <b>Limited to 24 students</b>	11-12	N/A	N/A

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<p><b>INTERMEDIATE USE OF FORCE IN A JAIL SETTING: (16 hrs.) (TCOLE 3504)</b>                      Upon completion of this course, the student will have a thorough understanding of the use of force guidelines when using force on an inmate and to follow established protocol with the policy and procedures. The officer will understand the defenses to prosecution as depicted in Chapter 9 of the Penal Code along with the causes of disruptive behavior and disturbances and will be able to take preventative actions to protect against potential civil liability.  <b>This course is a TCOLE requirement for Intermediate Jailer Certification.</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. L. Trevino</b>  <b>Limited to 24 students</b></p>	N/A	7-8	N/A
<p><b>MENTAL HEALTH OFFICER COURSE: (40 hrs.) (TCOLE 4001)</b>                      This course is required to obtain Mental Health Officer Certification from TCOLE. The purpose of the Mental Health Officer course is to further inform and educate the officer in the area of mental health and issues pertaining to serving as a mental health officer, to include advanced crisis intervention training.  <b>Prerequisite- Basic Crisis Intervention Training - Course # 3841 or 3842 (completed prior to 4/1/2018); Crisis Intervention Training – Course 1850 (completed on or after 4/1/2018); or Basic Peace Officer Course (completed on or after January 2005); AND current AED/CPR certification (Red Cross, AHA, or equivalent).</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. M. Chavez</b>  <b>Limited to 24 students</b></p>	N/A	6-10	N/A
<p><b>NEW DETECTIVE COURSE: (24 hrs.) (TCOLE 3280)</b>                      This course is designed to provide basic investigative techniques for new detectives. It covers the importance of proper investigation; striving for and being able to maintain the highest quality of investigation in all cases. This three-day course consists of:  <b>Day 1:</b> Legal Aspects of Investigation; Case Management; Search Warrants  <b>Day 2:</b> Eyewitness Identification – Photographic Lineups &amp; Show-ups (TCOLE #3286)  <b>Day 3:</b> Interview &amp; Interrogation; Follow-up Investigation  <b>Time: 0800-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Dep. J. Pizana/Various Instructors</b>  <b>Limited to 30 students</b></p>	8-10	NA	N/A
<p><b>OLEORESIN CAPSICUM (O.C.) SPRAY RECERTIFICATION: (2 hrs.) (TCOLE 3343)</b>                      Mandatory biennial recertification for El Paso County Sheriff's Office personnel who carry O.C. in their duty assignment.  <b>**When registering, please indicate session**</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1000 &amp; 1300-1500</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. L. Trevino</b>  <b>Limited to 12 students per session</b></p>	22	10	N/A

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<p><b>PPCT COMPREHENSIVE RECERTIFICATION: (8 hrs.) (TCOLE 2040)</b>                      This course is designed as a refresher course for officers on how to understand, define and explain the components of survival learning research, control principles within PPCT systems - demonstrate proficiency in tactical handcuffing, PPCT joint locks, pressure point techniques, defensive countermeasures/strikes.  <b>Time: 0800-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. L. Trevino</b>  <b>Limited to 20 students</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>**Maximum Level**</b></p>	29	14	N/A
<p><b>TASER RECERTIFICATION: (4 hrs.) (TCOLE 3347)</b>                      Mandatory annual recertification for El Paso County Sheriff's Office personnel who carry Electronic Control Weapon in their duty assignment.  <b>**When registering, please indicate session**</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1200 and 1300-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. M. Chavez/Dep. M. Avila</b>  <b>Limited to 12 students per session</b></p>	N/A	N/A	28
<p><b>ARMED DETENTION OFFICER SIMULATOR TRAINING – NO TCOLE CREDIT</b>                      The simulation training gives Detention Officers a virtual setting similar to real life situations which gives them the opportunity to experience different scenarios in a jail and courtroom setting and in transporting inmates and allows officers to test their abilities and reactions.  <b>Prerequisite: Must be an Armed Detention Officer.</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1100</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. J. Martinez</b>  <b>Limited to 6 students</b></p>	18	N/A	13
<p><b>BASIC PATROL RIFLE CERTIFICATION: (24 hrs.) (TCOLE 3322)</b>                      This is a basic course that introduces the student to the nomenclature, care, operation and qualification of department approved AR-15 Rifle. Students must bring their assigned rifles, cleaning equipment and appropriate range attire.  <b>Requirement: Outside Agencies will need a minimum of 350 rounds of .223 and 50 rounds of handgun ammunition per student.</b>  <b>Prerequisite: Peace Officers only.</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. J. Martinez/Dep. M. Avila</b>  <b>Limited to 15 students</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>**Maximum Level**</b></p>	N/A	8-10	N/A

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<p><b>BASIC SHOTGUN CERTIFICATION: (24 hrs.) (TCOLE 2055)</b>  <i>For EPCSO Detention Officers only.</i> This is a basic certification course. It is required for those persons who will be carrying a shotgun on duty or using a shotgun during the course of specific assignments. <u>This is not a recertification course or practice.</u>  <b>Requirement: Must bring the shotguns from their respective duty assignments. The Academy will not provide the weapons.</b>  <b>Prerequisite: Student must not be prohibited by state, federal law, or rule from attending training by the commission through suspension or revocation; must currently hold a Jailer's certification.</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. J. Martinez</b>  <b>Limited to 12 students      ** Maximum Level**</b></p>	24-26	N/A	N/A
<p><b>DETENTION OFFICER DAY FIREARMS/BI-ANNUAL QUALIFICATIONS – NO TCOLE CREDIT</b>  <i>Mandatory for Detention Officers of the El Paso County Sheriff's Office who carry a handgun in their duty assignment. Armed Officers assigned shotguns and/or rifles will qualify with all weapons when attending.</i>  <b>Requirement: Must wear long sleeve and must bring weapon qualifying with. (IE shotgun, etc.)</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1100 &amp; 1300-1600</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. J. Martinez</b>  <b>** Maximum Level**</b></p>	8	1	10
<p><b>FIREARMS INSTRUCTOR COURSE: (40 hrs.) (TCOLE 2222)</b>  This course is required to obtain Firearms Instructor Proficiency Certification from TCOLE. The student will be required to shoot two courses of fire (pistol/shotgun) on the first day with a minimum of 90% (2 attempts). If the student is unable to achieve 90% then they will not be allowed to participate in the course at this time. A comprehensive examination must be given, it will be supplemented by a skills proficiency demonstration. The student will also be required to conduct a live fire range evaluated on a pass/fail basis.  <b>Prerequisite:</b> Not prohibited by state or federal law or rule from attending training related to firearms or from possessing a firearm; never had a license or certificate issued by the commission suspended or revoked; AND currently hold an Instructor Proficiency Certification from TCOLE.  <b>Time: 0800-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. J. Martinez</b>  <b>** Maximum Level**</b></p>	N/A	28-31	N/A
<p><b>OPEN RANGE - NO TCOLE CREDIT</b>  The firearms range will be open to all <i>EPCSO Deputies and Armed Detention Officers</i> who are interested in practicing their shooting skills.  <b>Requirement: Must provide your own ammunition.</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1100 &amp; 1300-1600</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. J. Martinez</b>  <b>**Maximum Level**</b></p>	12, 29	3, 24	21, 28

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<p><b>PEACE OFFICER DAY FIREARMS/BI-ANNUAL QUALIFICATIONS – NO TCOLE CREDIT</b>  <i>Mandatory for Peace Officers of the El Paso County Sheriff's Office. Deputies assigned shotguns and/or rifles will qualify with all weapons when attending to include off duty weapons.</i>  <b>Requirement: Must wear long sleeve and must bring weapon qualifying with. (IE shotgun, etc.)</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1100 &amp; 1300-1600</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. J. Martinez</b>  <b>** Maximum Level**</b></p>	17	22	7
<p><b>PEACE OFFICER LOW LIGHT FIREARMS/BI-ANNUAL QUALIFICATIONS – NO TCOLE CREDIT</b>  <i>Mandatory for Peace Officers of the El Paso County Sheriff's Office. Deputies will qualify with only their duty handgun while attending Low Light Qualifications.</i>  <b>Requirement: Must wear long sleeve and must bring weapon and duty belt qualifying with.</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1100 &amp; 1300-1600</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. J. Martinez</b>  <b>** Maximum Level**</b></p>	N/A	17	14
<p><b>PEACE OFFICER SIMULATOR TRAINING – NO TCOLE CREDIT</b>  A virtual training simulator where officers can test their reflexes and decision making skills in hundreds of shoot/no shoot scenarios. The simulator immerses participants in a panoramic scene of incidents and with a simple click, the officer can escalate simulated confrontations prompting officers to deploy guns or O.C. spray.  <b>Prerequisite: Must be a Peace Officer.</b>  <b>**When registering, please indicate session**</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1100 &amp; 1300-1600</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. J. Martinez</b>  <b>Limited to 6 students</b></p>	23	N/A	12
<p><b>PRACTICAL PISTOL ACCELERATOR</b>  The student will obtain an overview of marksmanship fundamentals, drills, and tools to create a "Better Shooter". The student will obtain information on the foundation required to become more efficient behind a handgun. The student will be able to recognize errors in their own shooting, and correct errors. The student will also learn techniques to improve shooting with a minimal round count. The student will leave the firearms range with a plan for improvement.  <b>Requirement: Must bring duty handgun, duty belt, magazine carrier, body armor, eye/ear protection (instructors can issue these if needed), appropriate footwear (closed toe shoes/boots), means of hydration, and note taking material (small notebook and pen is recommended).</b>  <b>Prerequisite: Must be an Armed Detention Officer or Peace Officer.</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. J. Martinez</b>  <b>Limited to 10 students</b>  <b>** Maximum Level**</b></p>	N/A	N/A	20



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<p><b>RED DOT OPTIC TRANSITION COURSE: (8 hrs.) (TCOLE 6019)</b>                      This course is required for the use of a Red Dot Optic on a duty, secondary or off duty handgun per Office policy. This training will cover the fundamentals of employing the Red Dot Optic equipped pistol.  <b>Requirement: Must bring Red Dot equipped handgun and duty belt or holster.</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. J. Martinez/ Dep. M. Avila</b>  <b>Limited to 20 Students</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>** Maximum Level**</b></p>	N/A	2	6
<p><b>WEAPON MOUNTED LIGHT TRANSITION: (4 hrs.) (TCOLE 6019)</b>  <b>For EPCSO Deputies only.</b> The purpose of this course is to educate Peace Officers on the proper use and deployment of any weapon mounted light system in the line of duty per Office policy.  <b>Requirements: Weapon Mounted Light, duty belt, and duty hand gun.</b>  <b>Time: 2000-2400</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. J. Martinez/Dep. M. Avila</b>  <b>Limited to 20 students</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>** Maximum Level**</b></p>	N/A	6	5

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## ONLINE POWER DMS

**Must follow regular protocol for registration.**

<p><b>OFFICER STRESS IN CORRECTIONS: (4 hrs.) (TCOLE 2190)</b>            Whether it's acknowledged to be factual or not, stress is a silent killer among correctional officers and detention officers. This viewpoint is often challenged by correctional officers who resist the suggestion it can happen to them as they are stronger than the average person working inside a large jail or prison thus immune to such an invasion of the body, spirit or mind. This class will provide student with the awareness of stress and stress-related issues within the Correctional setting.  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. L. Trevino</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by May 31</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by June 30</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by July 31</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>
<p><b>CULTURAL DIVERSITY: (8 hrs.) (TCOLE 3939)</b> Upon completion of this course the student will be able to identify the various dimensions of diversity. TCOLE mandated course for Peace Officers and Jailers. This course is required only <u>ONE TIME</u> during the four year cycle to maintain a Basic Peace Officer &amp; Detention Officer License. Those holding a Peace Officer Intermediate or higher are exempt from this provision.  <b>This course is a TCOLE requirement for Intermediate Peace Officer certification AND it is a TCOLE training cycle requirement if the officer does not achieve Intermediate Certification before the end of the training cycle.</b>  <b>All Jailers must take this course during TCOLE Training Cycle, unless exempted by Certification level in another license.</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. M. Chavez</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by May 31</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by June 30</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by July 31</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>
<p><b>SPECIAL INVESTIGATIVE TOPICS: (8 hrs.) (TCOLE 3232)</b>            The goal of this course is to provide the student with a better understanding of Texas State laws concerning Child Abuse and Child Protective Services; to provide the student with the information for dealing with sexual assault interviews involving both children and adults; to have the student learn what is mandated for registered sex offenders and to learn about the different types of sex offenders and sex offenses.  <b>This course is a TCOLE requirement for Intermediate Peace Officer Certification AND it is a TCOLE training cycle requirement if the officer does not achieve Intermediate Certification before the end of the training cycle.</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Dep. M. Avila</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by May 31</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by June 30</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by July 31</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>
<p><b>MISSING &amp; EXPLOITED CHILDREN COURSE (8 hrs.) (TCOLE 3275)</b>            This course provides a basic overview of trends and background information relevant for a first responder or investigator responding to a missing or exploited child report. This training is not intended to replace detailed training of any individual sub-topic. Continue to consult specialized trainings for additional policies, best practices and legal definitions.  <b>This course is a TCOLE requirement for Intermediate Peace Officer Certification.</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Dep. M. Avila</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by May 31</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by June 30</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by July 31</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>

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<p><b>INTERMEDIATE INMATE RIGHTS AND PRIVILEGES: (16 hrs.) (TCOLE 3502)</b>                      This course will provide the officer with the history of the Constitution and its amendments in order to provide a better understanding of the rights and privileges inmates possess. The course will go into the differences between a right and a privilege. The course additionally provides the officer with case law and established precedence.  <b>This course is a TCOLE requirement for Intermediate Jailer Certification.</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. L. Trevino</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by May 31</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by June 30</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by July 31</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>
<p><b>PURSUIT POLICY: (4 hrs.) (TCOLE 6019)</b>                      This course will cover EPCSO Policy 9.03 - it is the policy of this Office to only engage in vehicular pursuits in response to the most serious incidents, when the risk of allowing the subject of the pursuit to remain at-large is greater than the risk of the pursuit itself. Therefore, the Office, by this policy, regulates the authority to engage in vehicular pursuits and the manner in which vehicular pursuits are undertaken.  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Dep. J. Pizana</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by May 31</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by June 30</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by July 31</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>
<p><b>PRISON RAPE ELIMINATION ACT (PREA): (4 hrs.) (TCOLE 3507)</b> The Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) of 2003 is a Federal law established to address the elimination and prevention of sexual assault and rape in correctional systems. PREA applies to all federal, state, and local prisons, jails, police lock-ups, private facilities, and community settings such as residential facilities.  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. M. Chavez</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by May 31</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by June 30</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by July 31</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>
<p><b>COMBINED RACIAL PROFILING AND ASSET FORFEITURE: (6 hrs.) (TCOLE 3257)</b>                      The student will be able to identify the legal aspects and the legislative requirements placed upon peace officers and law enforcement agencies regarding racial profiling and demonstrate understanding of the forfeiture of seized property.  <b>This course is a TCOLE requirement for Intermediate Peace Officer Certification.</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Dep. J. Pizana</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by May 31</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by June 30</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by July 31</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>
<p><b>LEGISLATIVE UPDATE: (4 hrs.) (TCOLE 3186)</b>                      This course will cover recent judicial decisions that are important for law enforcement officers, administrators, and policy makers. This course is a general summary of selected court cases and changes to Texas' criminal law as wrought by the 86th session of the Texas Legislature.  <b>This course is a TCOLE requirement for current training unit (09/01/19 – 08/31/20) for all Peace Officers.</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Dep. J. Pizana</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by May 31</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by June 30</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by July 31</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>

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## REGION VIII TRAINING ACADEMY

### 3RD QUARTER TRAINING CALENDAR



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<b>**Physical Fitness Requirement**</b>
Some courses offered by the El Paso County Sheriff's Office Region VIII Training Academy will require a degree of physical fitness.
<b>Minimum Level-</b> This level will consist of walking, stepping, and very light cardiovascular exercise.
<b>Medium Level-</b> This level will consist of jogging; minimal levels of calisthenics (i.e. push-ups, sit-ups, side straddle hop); and/or beginning levels of hands on contact (i.e. PPCT and O.C.).
<b>Maximum Level-</b> This level will consist of running; sprinting; advanced calisthenics; and/or advanced levels of hands on contact (i.e. mobile field force, physical fitness exams).
<b>Medium and maximum-</b> These levels will require a blood pressure screening and students who do not pass will not be allowed to participate without a doctor's release on file.