Basic Law Enforcement Training (BLET) is designed to give students essential skills required for entry-level employment as law enforcement officers with state, county, or municipal governments, or with private enterprise.

This program utilizes State commission-mandated topics and methods of instruction. General subjects include, but are not limited to, criminal, juvenile, civil, traffic, and alcohol beverage laws; investigative, patrol, custody, and court procedures; emergency responses; and ethics and community relations.

Students must successfully complete and pass all units of study mandated by the North Carolina Criminal Justice Education and Training Standards Commission and the North Carolina Sheriffs’ Education and Training Standards Commission to receive a certificate.

Basic Law Enforcement Training (BLET) Requirements

1. Must meet with the BLET Director: You may make an appointment by calling 910-898-9710 email herronp@montgomery.edu. Please set up meeting as early as you can!
2. Must be a US citizen. A copy of your birth certificate or naturalization certificate is required.
3. Student can be a minimum of 19 years old, BUT must turn 20 years old before the class would end to be eligible for admission.
4. Must provide an official high school or GED transcript.
5. Must score at least a 10th grade reading level on Reading Assessment exam.
6. Must have a valid NC Driver’s License. A certified NC driver’s history is required.
7. Must obtain sponsorship from a NC public law enforcement agency prior to and throughout enrollment.
8. Must NOT have a felony conviction. Certain misdemeanors may also disqualify. The BLET Director will review these for you.
9. Must provide a certified copy of your criminal history from all counties/states you have resided in since the age of 16 years old. (If you are a military veteran you must provide a copy of your DD 214 and a criminal history from the branch of service you were a member of.)
10. Must get a medical exam to be recorded on forms provided by the BLET Director.

IMPORTANT: Your first step after contact with Student Services is to contact the BLET Director. You will be given an appointment for a meeting where the program will be explained fully. You will also be given various forms and instruction so you can complete the documentation process LISTED ABOVE to be accepted into BLET. All documentation must be received and approved prior to registration. You will be notified of the due date for all documentation.

NOTE: Please start EARLY! Some out-of-state and military documentation can take time.

Tentative evening class scheduled: September – May
Monday – Thursday
5:30 – 10:30 pm

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