Providing Superior Training
Macomb’s Criminal Justice Training Center is accredited by the Michigan Commission on Law Enforcement Standards (MCOLES), and its Police Academy is recognized throughout the state for developing superior police officers.

The academy’s 17-week, 850-hour training program exceeds Michigan’s mandated training standards for certified police officers. Successful completion also earns you 15 credits toward the required associate or bachelor’s degree.

With the skills and knowledge you gain through classroom and hands-on learning, graduation from Macomb’s Basic Police Academy qualifies you to serve with the finest police departments in Michigan and many other states in the U.S.

Learn from Police Veterans
Macomb Police Academy instructors are all law enforcement professionals and subject matter experts in the areas that they teach. They are continuously developing and refining the training the academy offers to ensure that it is providing academy cadets and graduates with the skills crucial for their ongoing success in the field.

In-Service and Pre-Service Candidates

In-Service Candidates are employed by a law enforcement agency and must pass the MCOLES written and physical agility pre-employment tests before entering the Police Academy. Preference is given to agencies that are members of the Macomb Criminal Justice Training Center.

To reserve a seat for a candidate or for more information, email daviesk@macomb.edu.

Pre-Service Candidates (self-sponsored) are not currently employed by a law enforcement agency. To be admitted to the Police Academy, pre-service candidates must first pass the MCOLES written and physical agility pre-employment tests and acquire a minimum of 50 college credits hours.

For a listing of MCOLES testing dates and locations, including those offered at Macomb, email cjtc@macomb.edu.

State-of-the-Art Training Facility
Macomb’s Emergency Services Training Center on the College’s East Campus in Clinton Township hosts the Police Academy, as well as all of the College’s police, fire and emergency medical personnel training.

The Emergency Services Training Center includes state-of-the-art classrooms, gymnasium, computer lab, interactive simulators, scenario rooms and the largest indoor firearms range in Michigan. The Police Academy is offered twice a year:

Spring Academy
January–May
Monday–Friday, 6:30am to 4:30pm

Fall Academy
August–December
Monday–Friday, 6:30am to 4:30pm

For tuition and program fees, application, or for additional information about the Police Academy, please email daviesk@macomb.edu.

For more information

cjtc@macomb.edu

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Employment Outlook

Employment opportunities with an Associate of Applied Degree in Law Enforcement and graduation from the Police Academy include police officer and sheriff’s deputy, which earn a median salary in Michigan of $58,230 with projected job growth of 3.4 percent through 2024.

Looking for a Job?
Contact Career Services
586.445.7321
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