

SAULT COLLEGE OF APPLIED ARTS & TECHNOLOGY
SAULT STE. MARIE, ONTARIO

COURSE OUTLINE

Course Title: LAW ENFORCEMENT I

Code No.: IAS 202

Program: LAW AND SECURITY

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PART I Course Description

The purpose of this course is to set out and examine the principles and procedures which are the legal authorities (derived from Common and Statute Law) in respect to arrest, custody, search and seizure, use of force, and compelling appearances in court. The student will be taught the principles and concepts of the Canadian System of Justice and their application as they affect the freedom and rights of the citizen. Emphasis will be given to the role, responsibility, and accountability the police have in our system of justice.

PART II Course Objectives

1. Understand the principles and concepts of the Canadian system of justice and their application as they affect the freedom/ rights of the citizen.
2. Realize the important role, responsibility, and accountability the police have in our system of justice.
3. Discuss the history and development of the authorities given to law enforcement officers through common and statute law.
4. Understand current trends and events in the criminal justice system.

PART III Content

1. Arrest:
 - definitions
 - steps to proper arrest
 - types of offences
 - citizens powers of arrest
 - police powers of arrest.
2. Search and Seizure:
 - definitions
 - search without warrant
 - search of prisoners
 - authorities for search.
3. Narcotic and Food Drug Acts:
 - search authorities
 - search with and without warrant.
4. Use of Force:
 - role and responsibility of citizens and police officers when using force.

PART III Content (cont'd)

5. Compelling Appearances in Court:
- arrest warrants
- summonses
- release by Police Officer on the street
- release by Police Officer in charge of station
- appearance notice, promise to appear, undertaking,
summons, recognizances.
6. Current Trends in Law Enforcement.

Evaluations

1. Mid-Term Test - 25 points
2. Final Test - 25 points
3. Class Presentation - 25 points
4. Classification of Offences - 25 points

Resources

The Pocket Criminal Code. 1989

Grading

A grade of A⁺, A, B, C, or R will be given upon completion of the course in agreement with the marking policy of Sault College.

90 - 100 = A⁺

80 - 89 = A

70 - 79 = B

60 - 69 = C

Below 60 = R

- A⁺" - Consistently Outstanding
"A" - Outstanding Achievement
"B" - Consistently Above Average Achievement
C" - Satisfactory or Acceptable Achievement

<u>Course Schedule</u>	<u>Instructor</u>	
January 9	Jim Crosbie & Dan Blair	Introduction
January 16	Dan Blair	
January 23	Dan Blair	Classification of Offences Due
January 30	Jim Crosbie	
February 6	Dan Blair	
February 13	Jim Crosbie	
February 20	Jim Crosbie	Mid-Term Test
<u>SCHOOL BREAK</u>		
March 6	Jim Crosbie	Class Presentations Begin
March 13	Dan Blair	
March 20	Dan Blair	
March 27	Jim Crosbie	
April 3	Dan Blair	
April 10	Jim Crosbie	
April 17	Jim Crosbie	Final Test
April 24	Dan Blair	