General Student Policies

This is intended as a summary of student policies for the Public Safety Training Center. A detailed description is contained in the Student Guidelines posted on the PSTC website. Students should refer to that guideline for detailed explanations.

Conduct: Students will conduct themselves in a professional manner at all times while at the Public Safety Training Center.

Attendance: Students must attend all portions of courses to receive credit. Absences may be made up in coordination with the instructor.

Dress: The Public Safety Training Center does not require uniforms but students must dress in an appropriate manner. Students employed or sponsored by an agency are expected to follow their employer's guidelines for dress.

Academic Standards: For any course leading to licensing, students must score a minimum grade of 80 percent on all written tests with the exception of a course final exam where they must score a minimum of 90 percent. For all other classes, students must pass all written exams with a minimum score of 70 percent.

Skills Proficiencies: All skills demonstrations, if required, are scored on a pass/fail basis. Proficiency standards will be according to learning objectives and lesson plan requirements for the course. If there are mandated licensing standards, those standards will apply.

Tobacco Use: PSTC is a tobacco free facility; this includes smoking, vaping, or any other form of tobacco.

Equipment Needs: Students may be required to provide limited equipment for specific courses or blocks of instruction. Refer to individual course postings to find a listing of required equipment.

Violations: Violations of any of these or any policy contained in the Student Guidelines may result in the student being dismissed from training.