

JAMESTOWN COMMUNITY COLLEGE
State University of New York

Master Course Syllabus

Course Title: Peace Officer Firearms

Course Abbreviation and Number: CRI 1410

Credit Hours: 2 **Division:** SSBU **Course Type:** Lecture/Lab

Course Description: This course is a requirement for New York State Peace Officers. It is a comprehensive study in the fundamental use of firearms. The student will be provided with detailed instruction in firearms safety, weapons nomenclature, shooting skills, ammunition, tactical situations, position shooting and use of force issues. A portion of the course will be practical application of learned skills on the firearms range.

Prerequisite: Students must be a sworn and properly registered Peace Officer as required by NYS statute.

Course Attributes: C,E

(C=Career, E=Elective, H=Humanities, L=Liberal Arts & Sciences, N=Mathematics/Sciences, S=Social Sciences, VEDP=Values, Ethics & Diverse Perspectives)
4-letter codes represent SUNY General Education Courses, please see below to determine which SUNY General Education requirement(s) is met.

Student Learning Outcomes:

After successful completion of this course, students will be able to:

1. Demonstrate an understanding of the basic principles and philosophies of the use of firearms within the scope and duties of a NYS Peace Officer.
2. Demonstrate the fundamental skills needed to properly and safely handle and/or operate a firearm.
3. Describe Article 35 of the NYS Penal Law and its applicability to Use of Force.

Additional Student Learning Outcomes that meet SUNY General Education Requirements:

Does this course meet a SUNY General Education requirement(s)? Yes

Topical Outline:

Weapons Nomenclature	Deployment
Firearms Safety	Ammunition
Range Safety	NYS Penal Law Art
Ballistic Vests	Art. 35 and Use of Force Issues
Tactical Shooting Situations	Position Shooting
Low-Light Shooting	Practical Exercises

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