

WORKFORCE EDUCATION SERVICE (WES)*

The WES department at Highline College can provide tuition assistance and support services for some CE short-term certificates and professional/ technical AAS programs if a student meets funding and program eligibility criteria. To learn more about WES grants and eligibility criteria, please attend a mandatory funding orientation in Building 10, Room 103. For more general information, please visit our website at **workforce.highline.edu**.

Orientation Hours

(September 4-June 26) 1-3 p.m. every Friday

For any additional questions, please contact WES at (206) 592-3802 or email retrain@highline.edu.

STUDENT TESTIMONIALS

One of the many reasons that I enrolled into the course was to find out how I can enhance my skill set on my job by becoming a better asset to the team, and to gain knowledge to further my career as a security officer. **—E. Brazil (Fall 2015)**

We learned about behavior awareness, situational awareness, and attention to detail. There was a lot of information to take in but well worth it. I can't wait for the next session! **—A. Vellejo (Fall 2015)**

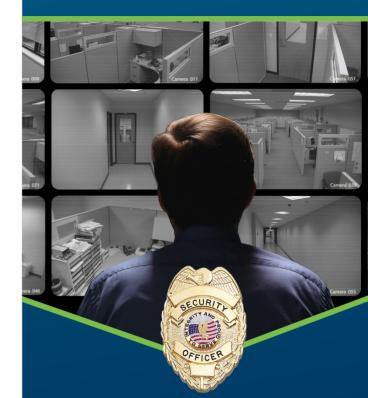
My eyes have been opened to a lot of things now. I feel more alert and aware of my surroundings when I'm out in public. **—B. Trent (Fall 2015)** COLLEEGE Continuing Education, MS 99-101 P.O. Box 98000 Des Moines, WA 98198-9800

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Private Security Academy







PRIVATE SECURITY ACADEMY

The Private Security Academy (PSA) is designed for individuals either currently employed or seeking employment in the private security field, loss prevention, assets protection and other police functions.

The academy will satisfy the state-mandated PSA curriculum. Students will also participate in additional specialized training which will enhance their skills, providing greater career opportunities. An emphasis will be put on internal and external communication skills, report writing and observation skills. Students will also utilize the college's Learning Management System – Canvas - for weekly assignments, discussions and resources. Using Canvas will allow students to learn skills in Microsoft Office Suite (Word, Excel and PowerPoint), internal communication skills and time management.

Students who successfully complete the Private Security Academy will earn 8 college credits, applicable toward the Associate of Applied Science degree in Criminal Justice at Highline College. Students will also receive First Aid/CPR certification.

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

- Must be at least 18 years old at the time of acceptance to the Academy
- Must complete and pass a Washington State Patrol (WSP) Background check
- Must commit to meeting the course attendance requirements

ACADEMY COSTS

\$1,150.00 per person*

(funding may be available—please see Workforce Education Service (WES) information)

WHAT IS INCLUDED IN THE COST?

- 100 hours state of the art instruction taught by industry professionals
- Course supplies and materials
- CPR/First Aid Certification

FULL Gear including:

- Polo Shirt
- 5.11 Tactical Pants
- Side Zip Boots
- Wool Cap
- White Tee
- Sweatpants
- Sweatshirt
- Duty Belt
- Handcuffs/Handcuff Case
- Expandable Baton/Baton Holder
- Flashlight/Flashlight Pouch
- Training Spray/Training Spray Pouch
- Posse Box
- Patrol Duty Bag

CAREER PATHWAYS

Upon completion of the Private Security Academy, students will be able to find potential career paths through a variety of private security companies that service:

- Retail Loss Prevention
- The Entertainment Industry
- County, City and State Fairs
- Maritime Infrastructure

- Casinos and Card Houses
- Trademark and Piracy Investigations
- Uniformed Static Posting
- Surveillance
- Loss Prevention Apprehension
- Internal Theft Investigations

ACADEMY DATES AND TIMES FOR SUMMER QUARTER 2016

First day of class

Tuesday, June 28 at 6 p.m. (No class June 29-July 6)

Class resumes

Thursday, July 7-Thursday, August 18 Tuesday/Thursday evenings from 6-10 p.m. Saturdays from 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

CONTACT INFORMATION

To register for this course or to find out more information, please call Continuing Education at (206) 870-3785 or visit our website at **ce.highline.edu**.

