Hello! We want to first say, thank you again for choosing Tier 1 Academy for your security guard training services. Below is a list of equipment you may want/need, and what Instructor Hines recommends and uses. By no means are you required to use what Instructor Hines prefers, this is simply to help you if you do not know what to get or where to start. We at Tier 1 Academy hope this helps. Please contact us if you have any questions or concerns. Instructor Hines is always more than glad to help.

Be advised, do not buy or carry a bunch of stuff just to say you have it because having equipment is half the equation. Know what you are carrying and most importantly, why you are carrying it! Nothing annoys me more than Security Officers who are armed to the teeth, but have so much stuff, they can’t get to any of it in the event they need to or worst, they have not practiced or trained with any of their equipment. Lastly, make sure you buy quality stuff. When it comes to hardware, you get what you pay for. You buy some thing that is cheap, you will get cheap results I.E batons that break when used to hit the aggressor…

**Links To Instructor Hines Equipment**

**General Security Equipment**

[Chargers](https://www.amazon.com/dp/B0BM8G3W11?ref=ppx_yo2ov_dt_b_fed_asin_title&th=1)

[Car Charger Port](https://www.amazon.com/gp/product/B0D4215HCX/ref%3Dox_sc_act_title_1?smid=A2DGEJFAWVOIP0&th=1)

[Car Charger & Wall Plug](https://www.amazon.com/gp/product/B0746Y2GHZ/ref%3Dox_sc_act_title_6?smid=ATVPDKIKX0DER&psc=1)

[Credentials Wallet](https://www.amazon.com/dp/B0BNXHJJX3?ref=ppx_yo2ov_dt_b_fed_asin_title&th=1)

[Lockout Access Automotive Vehicle Rod](https://www.amazon.com/Car-Repair-Tool-Emergency-Carrying/dp/B0CPVFYYNR/ref%3Dsr_1_7?crid=ZQ3VT6X9GW1G&dib=eyJ2IjoiMSJ9.DzF9TQRmRSvo9gxKM6bDovBW9vpVug9ehDgAq9QaIvsEnHzfo1OLuQo-8O2I-osEpqjwjqwYRfuny-m8a9WvYu6ZWKuMCaLshvxj2RYKmfNuCHxZZskevL0Xj0pfX2lyzRQGYjB72ODc1Lg3sWh7VMeGrkNeZ6bKGOqFAcORhubQNYmyyIqrS-iSygbiO6DFsFcZJmPTxWuVxC7V54ME9_SsBh0frdodchrrCDMgBRj0MSEbIz1CqfCwZsdwnjIMgAkHVBN_ATyd_xY1ahBkn_GoVZfSi6XLNln8d3QFPbk.mumxeMfti7K0SUwqCPbyOxrrA4_ll9cNvQkBxKT5WRI&dib_tag=se&keywords=TSafe+Essentials+Automotive+Kit-+Long+Reach+Tool+Kit+Car+Truck+Commercial+Grade+Lockout+Access+Automotive+Vehicle+Rod&qid=1730599730&sprefix=tsafe+essentials+automotive+kit-+long+reach+tool+kit+car+truck+commercial+grade+lockout+access+automotive+vehicle+rod%2Caps%2C55&sr=8-7)

[Narcan](https://www.amazon.com/NARCAN-Emergency-Treatment-Overdose-Single-Dose/dp/B0CDQMYP39)

[First Aid Kit](https://www.amazon.com/gp/product/B0C1THV35B/ref%3Dox_sc_act_title_9?smid=A39JHNLVFNGNRI&th=1)

Notepad (purchased from big lots)

[Flashlight](https://www.klaruslight.com/article/203.html)

[Good Cellular Device (Androids!!!)](https://www.bestbuy.com/site/samsung-galaxy-s23-256gb-phantom-black-at-t/6530814.p?skuId=6530814)

[Utility Knife](https://www.amazon.com/gp/product/B0DGQ98D6N/ref%3Dewc_pr_img_2?smid=A3DLGYJ1D67M5N&th=1)

**Clothing**

[Work Pants (Summer)](https://www.511tactical.com/taclite-pro-pants.html)

[Work Pants (Winter)](https://www.511tactical.com/511-tactical-pants-mens-cotton.html)

[Work Pants (Professional)](https://www.511tactical.com/urban-fast-tac.html)

[Under Layer (Cold Gear)](https://www.underarmour.com/en-us/p/shirts_and_tops/mens_ua_base_4.0_crew/1353349.html?dwvar_1353349_color=001&dwvar_1353349_size=XXL&country=US&currency=USD&cid=PS_OMD_US_32314_GFEXYIR3XE_58700005711899663_71700000064226870&gad_source=1&gclid=Cj0KCQiAouG5BhDBARIsAOc08RS-laWz50QaxfGhPSsylgXwhDwwSVyCzrlLkmFHVV0OtFONH--D9KcaAjAXEALw_wcB&gclsrc=aw.ds)

[Boots](https://www.walmart.com/ip/Interceptor-Men-s-Force-6-Steel-Toe-Tactical-Boots/55333418?wmlspartner=wlpa&selectedSellerId=0&wl13=2009&gclsrc=aw.ds&adid=2222222227755333418_117755028669_12420145346&wl0=&wl1=g&wl2=c&wl3=501107745824&wl4=pla-394283752452&wl5=9007833&wl6=&wl7=&wl8=&wl9=pla&wl10=8175035&wl11=local&wl12=55333418&veh=sem_LIA&gclsrc=aw.ds&gad_source=1&gclid=Cj0KCQiAouG5BhDBARIsAOc08RTIlTOiS5pY0UEb2s4OGtiTA8eIB5873dlPgNFspRG67AIpjsSBTtgaAvrqEALw_wcB)

[Heated Vest](https://www.amazon.com/dp/B07HFFM98X?ref=ppx_yo2ov_dt_b_fed_asin_title&th=1&psc=1)

[Work Jacket](https://www.walmart.com/ip/YanHoo-Men-s-Hoodie-Fleece-Jacket-6-Zip-Pockets-Warm-Winter-Jacket-Military-Tactical-Jacket-2023-Walmart-Prime-Sale/5071308965)

[Work Jacket #2](https://www.galls.com/galls-mens-softshell-jacket?PMOPV1=BLK&PMOPV2=5X&utm_source=google&utm_medium=cpc&utm_campaign=wp__galls__pmax__g__private_label&utm_id=21010676159&ad_group_id=&ad_group=&ad_id=&ad=&placement_id=&utm_content=--&utm_term=----&gad_source=1&gbraid=0AAAAAD-WE4EdLL4YLQoF0fNb-wB8QEpwM&gclid=Cj0KCQjwtpLABhC7ARIsALBOCVpqrD_WXYeIemWRQzuCuRMVbOzwLPhZ4B5rRoWXIySE9hIpcck1J3QaAsi6EALw_wcB)

Gloves (Still Looking For One I Can Recommend)

**Duty Equipment**

[Belt](https://www.511tactical.com/trainer-belt-1-12-wide.html) (5.11)

[Duty Belt](https://safelifedefense.com/shop/tactical-belt/?nbt=nb%3Amicrosoft%3Ao%3A409746358%3A1142394327554229%3A71399802477704&nb_mt=e&nb_bmt=be&nb_oii=2323199350695818&nb_qs=safelife%20defense%20duty%20belt&nb_fii=&nb_li_ms=&nb_lp_ms=&nb_pi=33570o&nb_pc=Online&nb_ci=2323199350695818&msclkid=5b1bb01080d61a94c1aed6a3726a520c&utm_source=bing&utm_medium=cpc&utm_campaign=BiLi%20-%20Shopping%20-%20Smart%20-%20Catch%20All&utm_term=2323199350695818&utm_content=Catch%20All)

[Blackhawk Serpa Close Quarters Concealment Holster](https://www.blackhawk.com/holsters/serpa-1/serpa-close-quarters-concealment-holster/1580.html)

[Blackhawk T-Series L2C Holster](https://staccato2011.com/products/staccato-2011-t-series-l2c-holster-by-blackhawk-holsters/)

[Blackhawk Serpa L3 Duty Holsters](https://www.blackhawk.com/holsters/serpa-1/serpa-l3-duty-holsters/406.html)

[Dual Mag Carrier](https://omegaholsters.com/bullets-out-dual-pistol-mag-carrier-with-mrd/)

[Single Mag Carrier](https://www.amazon.com/gp/product/B0844R7QZJ/ref%3Dox_sc_act_title_10?smid=A3V41M929G3VNK&psc=1)

[Taser](https://www.accreditedsafety.com/shop/taser-x26c-black/)

[Taser Holster](https://www.blackhawk.com/holsters/taser/taser-x-26/x26p/x2-level-2-duty-holster/1702.html)

[Handcuffs](https://www.handcuffwarehouse.com/smith-wesson-model-300b-blue-black-finish-hinged-handcuffs/)

[Hand-Cuff Key](https://www.galls.com/galls-carbon-fiber-pocket-clip-cuff-key?PMWTNO=000000000002189)

[Hand-Cuff Holster (Light Duty)](https://www.galls.com/bianchi-accumold-single-cuff-case?PMSRCH=ACCUMOLD%20SINGLE%20HANDCUFF%20CASE)

[Hand-Cuff Holster (Heavy Duty)](https://www.galls.com/lawpro-molded-single-handcuff-case)

[Baton](https://www.galls.com/asp-talon-16in-dis-loc-airweight-bato?gclid=Cj0KCQjwgO2XBhCaARIsANrW2X0QUmNDRqAdKjA1d4fPnkRCVRdei0XVt_yHd8qOK2LU3xzW6wliKm8aAofXEALw_wcB)

[Scabbard](https://www.galls.com/asp-envoy-60-rotating-scabbard)

[Self-Defense Knife](https://www.benchmade.com/products/176bk?fbclid=IwY2xjawK8VttleHRuA2FlbQIxMABicmlkETFlRXhPZ0ZHVnVEMHpZaW1kAR7r3WZzn3GO1XJlH_m7nq9HtQ7sxQ3Ule_Q36CRb3UqCPsNUbFZEKYXa7HO9w_aem_8rj-PC6aARgXg_03CrdmDA)

**Safety Gear**

[Bulletproof Vest](https://safelifedefense.com/shop/tactical-enhanced-multi-threat-vest-level-iiia/?wickedsource=google&wickedid=Cj0KCQjwm5e5BhCWARIsANwm06gK2UF6GeukAb9NPISA_tQH3iMfNFeZAzfoKRVTlq3vHShrCwYSe2gaAqIAEALw_wcB&wickedid=692360324314&wcid=21068723491&wv=4&wickedsource=google&wickedid=Cj0KCQjwm5e5BhCWARIsANwm06gK2UF6GeukAb9NPISA_tQH3iMfNFeZAzfoKRVTlq3vHShrCwYSe2gaAqIAEALw_wcB&wickedid=692360324314&wcid=21068723491&wv=4&gad_source=1&gclid=Cj0KCQjwm5e5BhCWARIsANwm06gK2UF6GeukAb9NPISA_tQH3iMfNFeZAzfoKRVTlq3vHShrCwYSe2gaAqIAEALw_wcB)

[Bulletproof Vest (Cheaper Option)](https://bulletproofzone.com/collections/bulletproof-vests/products/compassarmor-uhmwpe-concealed-bulletproof-kevlar-vest-iiia-with-extra-pockets?pb=0&fbclid=IwY2xjawKtcGZleHRuA2FlbQIxMABicmlkETFZSnpacXV0djhqQm9SU2dKAR5Htt-0uHRwHzq0kyfevrRBRDrBPsg7ZsR_SqwTlbb6JEKliGWHQfmgGDjLUA_aem_iam3ZtUarfHB98FQ3P89GA)

[Body Cam](https://www.amazon.com/gp/product/B0DCG79JJ5/ref%3Dsw_img_1?smid=A107HD6MV123RG&th=1)

[Tourniquet](https://www.amazon.com/CAT-Combat-Application-Tourniquet-Time-Stamp/dp/B01ITAKG6A/ref%3Dpd_bxgy_d_sccl_1/147-8215765-7211517?pd_rd_w=MoJpJ&content-id=amzn1.sym.53b72ea0-a439-4b9d-9319-7c2ee5c88973&pf_rd_p=53b72ea0-a439-4b9d-9319-7c2ee5c88973&pf_rd_r=V7765MM5VQCSQVTKQKMD&pd_rd_wg=IS3il&pd_rd_r=18964a9e-b919-4530-b118-0f3f076a713e&pd_rd_i=B01ITAKG6A&psc=1)

[Tourniquet Holster](https://www.amazon.com/North-American-Rescue-Tourniquet-Holster/dp/B00D8GUKMQ?source=ps-sl-shoppingads-lpcontext&ref_=fplfs&psc=1&smid=A25KC4I3K8FZ6H&gQT=1)

[Reflective Gear](https://www.amazon.com/dp/B0C7QSGNM6?ref=ppx_yo2ov_dt_b_fed_asin_title&th=1)

**Duty Firearms**

[Staccato P](https://staccato2011.com/handguns/staccato-p/)

[M&P 2.0 Compact](https://www.smith-wesson.com/product/m-p-9-m2.0-4-inch-compact-no-thumb-safety-10-rounds) (4 inch barrel)

[Glock 19 Gen 3](https://tew-afirearms.com/shooting-sports/handguns/semi-automatic/g19-gen3/detail/d4893429-f41f-4404-926b-3c96640b911e/f60b5456-5dbe-472b-9a8f-d6edf94c3e2b)

**Misc Equipment**

Lunch & Immediate Equipment Backpack (Camelback given by friend years ago)

[Equipment Bag](https://www.amazon.com/gp/product/B09C897L5Q/ref%3Dox_sc_act_title_1?smid=A24ZXML14F7ET8&psc=1)

[Portable Battery](https://www.amazon.com/gp/product/B072JWN6LC/ref%3Dewc_pr_img_1?smid=AE0PT0KZ16QG0&psc=1)

[Tactical Pen](https://www.theatomicbear.com/products/tactical-pen-stealth-pen-pro?srsltid=AfmBOoq9I4YiVl_OyoqbfRX6C518WS4ZLvCCJ3pswUK8eaGz-gSdwBFj)

 [Tactical Pen Ink Cartridges](https://www.amazon.com/gp/product/B00M2KT3AY/ref%3Dox_sc_act_title_4?smid=A1GVOGPTIH9SQB&psc=1)

[Pens](https://www.amazon.com/gp/product/B076DFXDHW/ref%3Dox_sc_act_title_5?smid=A3MS4DVIDF4K43&psc=1)

[Laser Pointer/Light/UV Light](https://www.amazon.com/gp/product/B0CN6JMTML/ref%3Dox_sc_act_title_11?smid=A3E6E1V9X0VZ5Q&th=1)

[Airpods](https://www.bestbuy.com/site/samsung-galaxy-buds3-pro-wireless-earbud-headphones-silver/6585614.p?skuId=6585614)

Carabiner

Bug Spray

[Fatigue Mat](https://www.homedepot.com/p/TrafficMaster-Comfort-Zone-Gray-20-in-x-32-in-Commercial-Door-Mat-60451170220x32/307324996)

[Space Heater](https://www.homedepot.com/pep/BLACK-DECKER-1-500-Watt-Electric-Personal-Ceramic-Space-Heater-BHDC201/315205598?g_store=&source=shoppingads&locale=en-US&pla&mtc=SHOPPING-CM-CML-GGL-D27E-027_023_PORT_HEATING-NA-NA-NA-PLALIA-5872413-NA-NA-NA-NBR-NA-NA-NEW-NA&cm_mmc=SHOPPING-CM-CML-GGL-D27E-027_023_PORT_HEATING-NA-NA-NA-PLALIA-5872413-NA-NA-NA-NBR-NA-NA-NEW-NA-21843283379-175050692291-331451257415&gad_source=1&gclid=Cj0KCQiA4-y8BhC3ARIsAHmjC_HNBds-iUkUd2Y2047Q-nA4v9DngtyjEft6pDjNN-jQE3RlDxGOOK0aAklLEALw_wcB&gclsrc=aw.ds)

[Handheld Metal Detector](https://www.galls.com/garrett-metal-detectors-super-scanner-handheld-metal-detector)

[Crowd Control Stanchions](https://www.amazon.com/dp/B078GFQJRM/?coliid=I3FNUU95VBB1OW&colid=6TLCLJK32QMG&psc=1&ref_=list_c_wl_lv_ov_lig_dp_it)

Shoe Strings (From DSW)

Lighter

**Consumables**

[5 Hour Energies](https://www.amazon.com/gp/product/B07QG43KZ2/ref%3Dppx_yo_dt_b_search_asin_title?ie=UTF8&psc=1)

[Gallon Water Jug](https://www.amazon.com/gp/product/B07WGXHZWL/ref%3Dox_sc_act_title_2?smid=A2VQ8ZXTBQ8JWR&psc=1)

[Spork & Knife](https://www.amazon.com/gp/product/B01FYJ6ICK/ref%3Dox_sc_act_title_3?smid=ATVPDKIKX0DER&psc=1)

**Hygeine**

Lotion

Tooth Brush

Mouth wash

Fragrance Spray

**Security Gear Manufacturers**

Galls.com

5.11.com

thirteenfiftyapparel.com

Underarmour.com