

Northeast Regional Law Enforcement Advanced Firearms Instructor Training Course Information and Application Packet

Advanced Handgun Instructor- Sept. 9-13, 2019 Advanced Rifle Instructor- Sept. 16-18, 2019

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D.R.A.W. SCHOOL ADVANCED INSTRUCTOR TRAINING COURSE

The **D.R.A.W. School Advanced Handgun Instructor Training** course is a 5-day, 40-hour instructor development and certification course designed to provide law enforcement instructors with the advanced skills, training and knowledge required to teach the D.R.A.W. School firearms training methods to their officers. This course combines an online prerequisite training course, classroom instruction, practical exercises and live-fire training. The **D.R.A.W. School Advanced Rifle Instructor Training** course is a 3-day, 24-hour instructor development and certification course that provides instructors with increased ability help officers master the use of their patrol rifle or carbine. With many departments utilizing rifles, instructors must be able to train and qualify officers on long guns in a highly efficient manner without compromising instruction.

NOTE- Both the Advanced Handgun Instructor and the Advanced Rifle Instructor courses must be taken together for this particular course offering.



"With 25 years in law enforcement, D.R.A.W. School has to be the biggest positive change I've seen in firearms training! It increases ones speed and accuracy. I highly recommend this as a MUST for all law enforcement officers!"

- Ofc. W. Pickett, Santa Paula Police Dept.

D.R.A.W. School Instructor Training (DSIT)

DSIT is a hybrid instructional course that is designed to maximize training time, while ensuring that the proper skills are learned, retained and applied by instructor candidates. Each segment of the curriculum starts with an academic study of the subject where instructor candidates learn the science behind the methodology. Next, they are immersed in a series of specifically designed practical exercises that help them correctly perform each physical and mental function in the proper sequence. This portion is performed in the



classroom utilizing dry-fire exercises. As each sequence is mastered, the speed is increased and fast dynamic movement is added. Once the practical exercises are mastered, instructor candidates then perform the same skills in a live-fire environment on the range. At the end of the course, instructor candidates will shoot a 50-round qualification course that includes many of the skills they learned and practiced during the course. Please see the attached Daily Course Schedule for a list of daily activities.

PLEASE NOTE- While the DSIT course may be POST-approved or formally recognized in your respective state, it is NOT meant to replace any state or federal requirements for becoming certified as a law enforcement firearms instructor unless specifically approved by your state. DSIT is for currently certified law enforcement instructors that have already passed their respective in-state law enforcement or agency instructor courses and are currently certified as such. However, sworn officers who are not currently instructors and wish to attend may apply. DSIT is often used as a course primer for instructor candidates at state LE schools.

"DSIT opened my eyes to how outdated the training I received and continue to teach really is! I recognized how impractical many of the 'traditional' training techniques in law enforcement really are."



- Sr. DPO K. Chao, San Mateo Co. Probation Dept.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Instructor candidates must be currently employed and/or sworn with a local, state or federal law enforcement or public safety agency. Former law enforcement officers or instructors that currently work at a college or train with a law enforcement agency as an instructor are also eligible to apply. The following is a list of individuals that are eligible to apply for DSIT:

- 1. Local, state and federally certified law enforcement officers
- 2. Local, state or federally certified law enforcement instructors
- 3. Former/retired LEOs currently instructing at a college or through an agency
- 4. Military firearms instructors conducting military/police firearms training
- 5. Other certified public safety instructors as approved on a case-by-case basis



"In my 11 years in law enforcement and 4 years in the Marine Corps, I have never been more impressed and constantly engaged in a firearms training course. The realism, practicality and top-notch instruction far exceeded my expectations!"

- Sgt. W. Ferrelli, Bluffton Police Department

REGISTRATION PROCESS

To attend DSIT, the application at the end of this packet must be filled out in its entirety and returned to D.R.A.W. School via email (it is a PDF fillable document) along with any required supporting documentation by the deadline, **August 30, 2019**. Each instructor candidate must submit a copy of their law enforcement and instructor credentials (LE credentials only if not currently a certified instructor) and a letter from their agency stating that they are currently in good standing.

The registration fee per instructor candidate is \$999.00. Payment type, including purchase order numbers if used, must be submitted with the application. Payments made via credit/debit will be charged upon approval of the application and receipts will be sent via email. *Please provide the name and email address of the person(s) that should receive the receipt for payment, i.e. chief, purchasing department, etc. Seating is limited to eighteen (18) instructor candidates for this course. Acceptance and approval is based on a first-come, first-served basis.

Refund requests will be issued if the instructor candidate notifies D.R.A.W. School thirty days (30) before the start of the course that they cannot attend. A non-refundable fee of \$299.00 will apply in such cases. Refund requests made less than thirty days from the start of the course are non-refundable. If an application is received and the desired dates are full, the instructor candidate will be notified by phone or email.

DRESS CODE

Instructor candidates should wear comfortable clothing that is conducive for a firearms training environment. It is highly recommended that soft tactical uniforms, tactical pants, tac-shirts, department/agency-issued t-shirts or other tactical/practical uniforms be worn for DSIT (no shorts). Clothing will become dirty throughout various parts of the course and during range training exercises, so we do not recommend wearing clothes that instructor candidates do not wish to get dirty. The range is outside, so please bring sunscreen and/or long-sleeve shirts and hat to wear during range activities. It is recommended that a lightweight water-repellent jacket be brought in case of rain during the range exercises. Comfortable, supportive footwear is highly recommended for all segments of the course. Instructor candidates should wear their armor to properly simulate their entire duty uniform ensemble during training. Official department-issued uniforms are required on the final day of the handgun course for presentations and graduation ceremony.

"I have been an instructor going on 20 years and this is the best firearms training course I have been to in the last ten years. Bringing the science of D.R.A.W. School to what and how we do things was a real eye opener!"



- Cpl. P. Bonanno, Southern California Sheriff's Dept.

EQUIPMENT AND PACKING LIST

Each instructor candidate must wear their entire duty belt/rig as it would be worn on duty during all practical and live-fire range exercises. Level II and Level III duty holsters are required to be used. It is highly recommended that instructor candidates use the Level II/III holster issued by their department. **The use of IWB holsters is NOT allowed in DSIT.** Because of the training methodology used, DSIT does NOT restrict the use of certain Level II and Level III holsters. The following is the equipment list for the **HANDGUN** course:

- 1. Semi-automatic duty handgun (it is recommended that a back-up handgun be brought in case of primary firearm malfunction/failure).
- 2. Full duty belt/rig with secured Level II or Level III duty holster
- 3. Minimum of three (3) magazines and magazine pouch
- 4. Concealable body armor or armor carrier as worn on duty
- 5. Duty flashlight with holster on duty belt/rig (one-handed operation required)
- 6. Knee pads are recommended (but not required) for shooting at various elevations
- 7. Baseball-style ball cap with bill is REQUIRED for ALL range exercises
- 8. Ear protection- electronic noise-cancelling preferred

- 9. Eye protection- must be wrap around; prescription eye-glasses are acceptable
- 10.600 rounds minimum of target ammunition
- 11. 10 handgun dummy rounds
- 12. Firearm cleaning kit
- 13. Classroom note book
- 14. Laptop or tablet capable of Internet use for training video series.

The following is an equipment list for the **RIFLE** course:

- 1. Semi-automatic patrol rifle or carbine with a sling
- 2. Minimum of three (3) rifle magazines with carrier (pouches attached to kit, battle belt, etc.)
- 3. Semi-automatic duty handgun with at least one (1) spare magazine
- 4. Level II or Level III duty holster on drop-leg platform or duty belt
- 5. Concealable body armor, active shooter kit and/or tactical kit with rifle-rated plates
- 6. Knee pads are recommended (but not required) for shooting at various elevations
- 7. Baseball-style ball cap with bill is REQUIRED for ALL range exercises
- 8. Ear protection- electronic noise-cancelling preferred
- 9. Eye protection- must be wrap around; prescription eye-glasses are acceptable
- 10. 1000 rounds of rifle target ammunition
- 11. 10 rifle dummy rounds
- 12. Firearm cleaning kit
- 13. Classroom note book
- 14. Laptop or tablet capable of Internet use for training video series.

PHYSICAL FITNESS

DSIT is a physical course with daily practical and range exercises that can be physically demanding at times. Applicants are highly encouraged to have a physical fitness capacity capable of allowing them to participate in all exercises and complete the course. If an applicant has any medical issues or physical limitations, they are required to state those on the application and in-class registration forms. However, this does NOT disqualify an applicant from attending. It is highly recommended that instructor candidates



refrain from consuming beverages that have a tendency to cause dehydration (soda, sugary drinks, energy drinks, etc.), and drink plenty of water or other electrolyte-based drinks during the course to stay properly hydrated.

TRAINING VENUE AND RANGE

DSIT is being hosted at the **Whiskey Ridge Shooting Preserve** in Millsboro, DE. Both the classroom and range will be utilized at this location for all DSIT related training. The address is 38149 Parker Road, Millsboro, DE 19966. If possible, instructor candidates are encouraged to visit this location before the start of class so they know the best way to get there from their accommodations. The **Ocean View Police Department POC** is **Sgt. Rhys**

Bradshaw at **302-539-111**. Please direct all DSIT-related questions to **D.R.A.W. School Chief Firearms Instructor Jason Speller** at **704-935-4433 Ext. 801**.

TRAVEL AND LODGING

All instructor candidates should arrive on Sunday afternoon prior to class. **Holiday Inn Express Bethany Beach** is the official host hotel has arranged lodging and special rates for instructor candidates attending DSIT. The hotel is approximately 20 minutes away from the Whiskey Ridge Shooting Preserve. Daily complimentary hot buffet-style breakfast is provided, which includes an assortment of meats, eggs, pastries, fruits, cereals and juices. Amenities include complimentary hi-speed wireless internet, business center, fitness center with free weights, and pool. Holiday Inn Express Bethany Beach is a 5-minute walk from the beach and boardwalk, located near many restaurants, shopping and entertainment venues. To make reservations, call the Holiday Inn Express Seaford directly at the number below, identify yourself as attending **Law Enforcement D.R.A.W. School** and use Room Block Code "**Police Training.**" The state government rate has been arranged for all instructor candidates at \$94.00 per night. This rate applies to both single king or double queen rooms. Availability of king rooms is on a first come, first served basis.



Holiday Inn Express Bethany Beach

39642 Jefferson Bridge Road Bethany Beach, DE 19930 Phone: 302-541-9200 Rate- \$94.00 per night

Booking Code: "Police Training"



"My bottom line is that I walked in as a skeptic, but I walked out a believer. If you have an opportunity to train in the D.R.A.W School method, do what you have to do to make that happen! Of all the schools and training I have undertaken in the last 25 years, these five days of D.R.A.W. School have been the best and most productive of the lot.

- SO R. Bemis, US Probation, Federal Firearms Instructor



D.R.A.W. School Handgun Instructor Training Course

September 9-13, 2019 Course Schedule

MONDAY	0800-0830- (Classroom) Registration and Introduction				
	0830-1200- (Classroom) Module 1- Mastering the Basics				
	1200-1300- Lunch				
	1300-1500- (Range) Module 1 Practical Exercises				
	1500-1700- (Range) Safety Briefing and Module 1 Live-Fire Exercises				
TUESDAY	0800-0900- (Classroom) Module 2- Mastering Reloading				
	0900-1100- (Classroom/Range) Module 2 Practical Exercises				
	1100-1200- (Range) Safety Briefing and Module 2 Live-Fire Exercises				
	1200-1300- Lunch				
	1300-1400- (Classroom) Module 3- Mastering Malfunctions				
	1400-1500- (Classroom/Range) Module 3 Practical Exercises				
	1500-1700- (Range) Module 3 Practical Exercises				
WEDNESDAY	0800-0900- (Classroom) Module 4- Incapacitated Shooting				
	0900-1200- (Classroom) Module 4 Practical Exercises				
	1200-1300- Lunch				
	1300-1500- (Range) Module 4 Practical Exercises				
	1500-1700- (Range) Safety Briefing and Module 4 Live-Fire Exercises				
	0800-0900- (Classroom) Module 5- Mastering the Ground				
	0900-1200- (Range) Module 5 Practical Exercises				
THURSDAY	.1200-1300- Lunch				
	1300-1500- (Range) Safety Briefing and Module 5 Live-Fire Exercises				
	1500-Until- (Range) D.R.A.W. School Firearms Qualifications				
	1900- Class Dinner Off Site*				
	0800-0900- (Classroom) Online Training System Training				

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	0900-1000- (Classroom) Departmental/Agency Implementation					
	1000-1200- (Classroom) Instructor Candidate Presentations					
FRIDAY	1200-1300- (Classroom) Lunch					
	1300-1500- (Classroom) Instructor Candidate Presentations					
1500-1600- (Classroom) Final Course Exam						
	1600-1700- (Classroom) Course Graduation					

^{*}Class dinner location will be determined by class prior to Thursday afternoon. Local instructor candidates are encouraged to bring family members to the class dinner if they wish to do so.



D.R.A.W. School Rifle Instructor Training Course

September 16-18, 2019 Course Schedule

MONDAY	0800-0830- (Classroom) Registration and Introductions				
	0830-0930- (Classroom) Module 1- Mastering the Basics				
	0930-1100- (Classroom/Range) Module 1- Practical Exercises				
	1100-Until- (Range) Safety Briefing and Module 1 Live-Fire Exercises				
	1200-1300- Lunch				
	1300-1400- (Classroom) Module 2- Mastering Reloading				
	1400-1500- (Classroom/Range) Module 2 Practical Exercises				
	1500-Until- (Range) Safety Briefing and Module 2 Live-Fire Exercises				
TUESDAY	0800-0900- (Classroom) Module 3- Mastering Malfunctions				
	0900-1100- (Classroom/Range) Module 3 Practical Exercises				
	1100-Until- (Range) Safety Briefing and Module 3 Live-Fire Exercises				
	1200-1300- Lunch				
	1300-1400- (Classroom) Module 4- Incapacitated Shooting				
	1400-1600- (Classroom/Range) Module 4 Practical Exercises				
	1600-Until- (Range) Safety Briefing and Module 4 Live-Fire Exercises				
WEDNESDAY	0800-0900- (Classroom) Module 5- Mastering the Ground				
	0900-1000- (Classroom/Range) Module 5 Practical Exercises				
	1000-1200- (Range) Safety Briefing and Module 5 Live-Fire Exercises				
	1200-1300- Lunch				
	1300-1600- (Range) D.R.A.W. School Firearms Instructor Qualifications				
	1600-Until- (Classroom) Final Course Exam and Graduation				

The D.R.A.W. School Instructor Training Rifle course is a *minimum* of 24-hours. As you will notice on the above schedule, all range activities can be extended if needed to assist all instructor candidates in the course. The instructor and/or instructor candidates may wish to run additional live-fire drills while on the range at the conclusion of the day. Therefore, instructor candidates should except to stay at the range past 1700 if needed.



D.R.A.W. School Instructor Training Course

Instructor Candidate Registration Application
Ocean View Police Department
PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION CLEARLY

APPLICATION MUST BE SUBMITTED PRIOR TO DEADLINE FOR CONSIDERATION									
Select Course that you would like to attend: ☐ Advanced Handgun & Rifle- Sept. 9-18, 2019 (\$999.00)									
INSTRUCTOR CANDIDATE CONTACT INFORMATION									
Name: (Last)	(First)		(Middle	!)				
Agency Name:		,	Phon	e:	,				
Agency Mailing Address	3:		·						
City:	State:			Zip:					
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Do you have any physical limitations? Yes No If yes, please list:									
Do you have any medical conditions? Yes No If yes, please list:									
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*If paying via check or money order, please scan and email check and entire application with supporting documents to email address shown below first and then mail entire application to D.R.A.W. School.									
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Card Name:			Personal _	Agency	(**See Below)				
Card Number:			Exp. Date:		CVV:				
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Rifle Make/Model:				Caliber:					
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	SUPPORTING DOC	UMENTA	TION CHEC	KLIST					
The following support	ing documentation m	nust be su	bmitted with	your comp	leted application:				
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