

# Police Academy ScholarS (PASS)

Are you ready to become part of an elite and exclusive program at Monroe College? The Police Academy ScholarS (PASS) program is a two-year preparatory program designed to provide students at the Monroe College School of Criminal Justice with the skills and mentorship to fully prepare them to enter a police academy and ultimately become police officers. The PASS program is open to incoming students with a strong interest in law enforcement and policing.

## Why choose PASS?

- All PASS students are placed in cohorts similar to the squads in the NYPD Police Academy, led by a faculty mentor with years of experience in law enforcement. Students attend all workshops together, enabling them to develop a cohesive team, form study groups for their courses, and make lasting friendships.
- The PASS program consists of workshops, conducted three Fridays per semester. The workshops focus on written test prep, preparation for police academy subjects, the hiring process, physical training and workouts, and police tactics. Additionally, off campus field trips will be part of the learning curriculum
- PASS students have the opportunity to connect to a number of mentors and instructors within the Criminal Justice System, from active and retired NYPD detectives and supervisors to former prosecutors and defense attorneys. This unique group of experts will provide the tools and insight necessary to become a police officer.
- PASS students can access all the benefits of the School of Criminal Justice, including the newly installed Law Enforcement Training Simulator (LETS). The LETS technology can be used to test appropriate use of force, accuracy and response time through shooting drills and scenarios.

## Admissions Requirements

Students will apply for the PASS program alongside their initial Monroe College application. Considerations for admission into the program will include a review of academic records, disciplinary record, a background check, and high school attendance records.

- Application
- Personal statement
- High school transcript
- High school diploma
- College transcript (if applicable)
- \$35 application fee
- Admissions interview
- PASS faculty board interview



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## PROGRAM SPECIFICS

PASS participants will meet for eighteen three-hour sessions over six semesters. The sessions, scheduled from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm on three Fridays per semester, will focus on written test prep, preparation for police academy subjects, the hiring process, physical training and workouts, and police tactics. Students must maintain full-time status and a 3.0 GPA in order to remain in good standing. Students must also take CJ 206 (Police Patrol Procedures) or CJ 208 (History of the NYPD) and CJ 280 (Physical Fitness for Today's Professional) or CJ 281 (Defensive Tactics) as recommended for the AS in Criminal Justice. At the end of the program, the students will come together for a graduation and awards ceremony.

1ST YEAR			2ND YEAR		
Semester 1	Semester 2	Semester 3	Semester 4	Semester 5	Semester 6
<b>SEPTEMBER (Session 1)</b> Written Test Overview Overview of Hiring Process Physical Workouts	<b>JANUARY (Session 4)</b> Written Test Prep: Memory Tips Hiring: Employment History Tactics	<b>MAY (Session 7)</b> Written Test Taking Strategies Reviewed Hiring: Credit History Physical Workouts	<b>SEPTEMBER (Session 10)</b> History of NYPD Hiring: Medical Testing Tactics	<b>JANUARY (Session 13)</b> Police Science: Part I Hiring: Background Checks Physical Workouts	<b>MAY (Session 16)</b> Law: Part I Law: Part II Tactics
<b>OCTOBER (Session 2)</b> Practice Written Test Administered Tactics	<b>FEBRUARY (Session 5)</b> Practice Written Test Administered Physical Workouts	<b>JUNE (Session 8)</b> Practice Written Test Administered Tactics	<b>OCTOBER (Session 11)</b> What it Means to be an NYC Police Officer Hiring: Psychological Interview Physical Workouts	<b>FEBRUARY (Session 14)</b> Police Science: Part II Hiring: Working with Your Investigator Tactics	<b>JUNE (Session 17)</b> Social Science: Part I Social Science: Part II Physical Workouts
<b>NOVEMBER (Session 3)</b> Review of Written Test from Session #2 Hiring: Obtaining your Drivers License Physical Workouts	<b>MARCH (Session 6)</b> Review of Written Test from Session #5 Hiring: Drug and Alcohol Policy Tactics	<b>JULY (Session 9)</b> Review of Written Test from Session #8 Hiring: Criminal History Physical Workouts	<b>NOVEMBER (Session 12)</b> Overview of Subjects Taught at the NYPD Academy Hiring: Psychological Interview Tactics	<b>MARCH (Session 15)</b> First Aid Basics Justification and Use of Deadly Force Physical Workouts	<b>JULY (Session 18)</b> Graduation and Awards Ceremony

