CRIMINAL PROCEDURES
Course Syllabus

Course Number: LAW-0508
OHLAP Credit: No
OCAS Code: None
Course Length: 30 Hours
Career Cluster: Law, Public Safety, Corrections & Security
Career Pathway: Law Enforcement Services
Career Major(s): Criminal Justice Practical Law Enforcement

Pre-requisite(s): None
Course Description: Study principles of criminal procedure as they apply to important areas of jurisdiction, venue, complaints, warrants, search and seizure. The focus of the course is on the operational level of law enforcement.

Textbooks:
- Introduction to Criminal Justice, Larry J. Siegel - Wadsworth (2009)
- Crime Scene Processing, Patrick Jones, & Ralph E. Williams (2009)

On-line Resources:
- http://www.cleet.state.ok.us/Professional_CertificationL_Levels.htm

Curriculum Resources:
- Private Security Series – CIMC
- Medical Learning Activities II CD-ROM
- http://www.okcimc.com

Course Objectives:
This course introduces the student to the application of the procedural requirements of the US Criminal Justice System as mandated by the US Constitution, Title 22 Oklahoma State Statute, and case law. The student The Fourth, Fifth, and Sixth Amendment safeguards of the US Constitution are emphasized, with a particular focus upon the purposes of Arrest Law, the law of Warrants, Search and Seizure, the Exclusionary rule, Trial procedures, and other process remedies.

SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES
1. Describe various protections of the Fourth, Fifth and Sixth amendments.
2. Identify exceptions in Oklahoma statute allowing law enforcement agencies to enforce laws outside their jurisdictions.
3. Identify the requirement for serving an arrest or search warrant.
4. Describe the misdemeanor exceptions for making an arrest based on probable cause.
5. Describe the elements for making a citizen's arrest.
6. Describe a peace officer's authority to make a misdemeanor and felony arrest.

ODCTE Objective

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Teaching Methods: The class will primarily be taught by the lecture and demonstration method and supported by various media materials to address various learning styles. There will be question and answer sessions over material covered in lecture and media presentations. Supervised lab time is provided for students to complete required projects.

Grading Procedures:
1. Students are graded on theory and lab practice and performance.
2. Each course must be passed with seventy (70%) percent or better.
3. Grading scale: A=90-100%, B=80-89%, C=70-79%, D=60-69%, F=50-59%.
4. Career Major grades established during coursework are a major criteria in successfully obtaining certification.

Description of Classroom, Laboratories, and Equipment:
Tulsa Technology Center campuses are owned and operated by Tulsa Technology Center School District No. 18. All programs provide students the opportunity to work with professionally certified instructors in modern, well-equipped facilities.

Available Certifications/College Credit
The student may be eligible to take state, national or industry exam after completion of the program. College credit may be issued from Oklahoma State University-Okmulgee or Tulsa Community College. See program counselor for additional information.

College Credit Eligibility:
The student must maintain a grade point average of 2.0 or better.