



Stanislaus County Sheriff Regional Training Division

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REGULAR BASIC ACADEMY ENTRANCE EXAMINATION

- Dates:** Second Saturday of each month.
Time: 8:00 a.m. **Candidates need to arrive approximately 10-15 minutes early.** Late arrivals will not be allowed to test.
Location: Stanislaus County Sheriff's Regional Training Division Gym, Building B
3805 Cornucopia Way in Modesto, CA 95358
Bring: Valid picture ID such as driver's license or military ID. Student must be 18 years of age or older.
Registration: **\$10.00** exact change only. No prior registration necessary.

*** Please eat breakfast & bring water and lunch ***

Testing Process

In accordance with Peace Officer Standards and Training (POST), we require a physical agility and written test of all applicants to the Academy. Candidates should wear gym clothing for the testing process. The physical agility test consists of the following:

Physical Agility

1. Run 500 yards in 2 minutes or less.
2. Run a 99-yard obstacle course in 25 seconds or less. Course consists of several sharp turns, a number of curb height obstacles, and a 34-inch high obstacle that must be vaulted.
3. Lift and drag a 165-pound life-like sand dummy 32 feet in 20 seconds or less.
4. Run 5 yards to a 6-foot chain link fence, climb over fence, and continue running for 25 yards. Run 5 yards to a 6-foot solid fence, climb over the fence, and continue running for 25 yards.

Written Exam

Candidates that successfully complete the physical agility test will be allowed to take the written examination (2 hours allowed) after providing valid identification. Each student will be required to take the multiple choice written test that is designed to test the candidate's abilities in :

1. Ability to read and comprehend English.
2. Ability to recognize proper spelling, grammar, and sentence structure.

To help prepare you for the POST Entrance Exam, open the following web pages:

<http://www.post.ca.gov/selection/poWrittenPracticeTest.pdf>

Notification of Test Results

Candidates that qualify to take the written test will be notified of their results within approximately 2 weeks by mail or email. **Please do not call the Center for the results, as they will not be given over the phone.** Candidates that pass with a minimum T-score of 42 may reserve a seat in a future Academy class.

**** NOTE: Do not lose your letter. T-Scores WILL NOT be re-issued.
If you misplace your T-Score results you must re-take the exam.**