

## CJ112-Police Field Operations

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<b><u>Required Text:</u></b>	<b>Police Operations (Theory &amp; Practice) 6<sup>th</sup> Edition, Hess, Orthmann, Cho</b>		

### Course Description:

This course introduces the nature and purpose of patrol activities, including routine and emergency procedures, types of patrol, arrest procedures and field interviews. This course also covers various types of law enforcement equipment, technology and vehicle operations. Emphasizes report documentation, courtroom testimony and police tactical communications.

### Course Objectives:

- The student will learn the elements of law enforcement field operations.
- The student will learn about myths and common misunderstandings with regard to police and the law enforcement community.

### Requirements:

- **Mid-Term Examination-(25% of grade):**  
The test can be a combination of multiple choice, matching, true/false, and/or most likely essay questions.
- **Group Paper/Project & Presentation-(25% or 50% of grade):**  
Students will be assigned into a small group to prepare a paper/project, which the group will then present to the class. The topic will be selected by the instructor. Criteria for the paper/project will be provided during the first class. Presentation dates will be assigned by the instructor. The paper/project will be turned in at the same time for all groups and the due date will be provided. Non-participation in this project will result in a grade of ZERO. Each group will maintain an activity log of their progress throughout the term. **Groups can option to make the project worth 50% of their grade. This option is available, if all members of the group agree to expand their project and is approved by the instructor. Once agreed upon, the final exam will not be an option for the team, unless approved by the instructor.**
- **Final Examination-(25% of grade):**  
The test can be a combination of multiple choice, matching, true/false, essay questions, and material from the group paper/project and presentation.
- **Class Attendance, Quizzes, Field Trip, and Participation-(25% of Grade):**  
Students are to read each assigned chapter prior to class and be prepared to discuss chapter material. Lectures are not designed to simply explain the book. Lectures are designed to bring different views, current issues, and to expand upon ideas and clarify issues for students. Students will research law enforcement issues each week.

### Withdrawal Policy:

Official withdrawal from the class is required by the registrar, or you will receive a grade of “F” for failure or “Y” for no basis for grade. Failure and No Basis for Grade will impact your financial aid eligibility. Non-attendance does not constitute withdrawal. For additional withdrawal information, see the registrar’s office or refer to the schedule of classes.

### Grades:

Grades will be a determined on a percentage basis from the results on the listed requirements; percentages are as follows:

“A”=90-100%   “B”=80-89%   “C”=70-79%   “D”=60-69%   “F”=Below 59%

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**Please do not call me at the Albany Police Department to contact me regarding a question or concern involving this class. Please use the above listed message phone number, send me an e-mail to [corders@linnbenton.edu](mailto:corders@linnbenton.edu) or contact me before or after class.)**

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If you feel you have been discriminated against in any interaction at Linn-Benton Community College or have been harassed by another person while at LBCC please contact us immediately based on the following:

**A student complaint about another student**

Contact: Lynne Cox  
(541) 917-4806  
[coxly@linnbenton.edu](mailto:coxly@linnbenton.edu)

**A student complaint about an LBCC staff member**

Contact: Scott Rolen  
(541) 917-4425  
[rolens@linnbenton.edu](mailto:rolens@linnbenton.edu)

**An LBCC staff member complaint about another staff member or student**

Contact: Scott Rolen  
(541) 917-4425  
[rolens@linnbenton.edu](mailto:rolens@linnbenton.edu)

**EXTRA CREDIT FOR BEING A NOTE TAKER** *(If needed, only one student will receive this extra credit. If more than one student is interested, there will be a drawing to select the note taker.):*

There are one or more students in this class who require a note taker. The Center for Accessibility Resources is recruiting for a volunteer to do so. Volunteer Note Takers are compensated with a \$50 gift card to either the LBCC Campus Store or Food Services at the end of the term for successfully providing notes to students in need. Directions are available for how to sign up and how to upload the notes electronically. Students depend on volunteer note takers for access to class notes. CFAR is asking for a reliable and responsible volunteer to provide this service for the whole term. Note taking is an experience that you can put on your resume or future job applications. If you would like to volunteer please see me after class. **\*\*\*In addition to the aforementioned benefit from CFAR, the note taker will receive 10 points of extra credit towards the mid-term exam and 10 points towards the final exam.\*\*\***

**IMPORTANT DATES**

Mid-Term Exam Due: May 2, 2019 @ 6:00 p.m.  
Final Exam Due: June 7, 2019 @ 6:00 p.m.      Class Presentations: TBA

**\*\*\*The project and the exams (only if they are take home) must be printed out and submitted directly to the instructor on or before the listed due dates and times. Projects and/or exams will receive a ZERO if they are emailed to the instructor and/or if they are submitted late.\*\*\***