

Basic Law Enforcement Training (BLET)

The Basic Law Enforcement (BLET) certificate is an evening program designed to qualify students for entry-level employment as law enforcement officers. Job opportunities for successful graduates include policy officer, deputy sheriff, highway patrol, and state trooper.

The BLET program utilizes state-commissioned mandated topics and methods of instruction. General subjects include but are not limited to criminal, juvenile, civil, traffic and alcoholic beverage laws; investigative, patrol, custody and court procedures; emergency responses; and ethics and community relations.

Students must successfully complete and pass all units of study including a certification exam mandated by the North Carolina Juvenile Justice Educational and Training Standards Commission and/or the North Carolina's Sheriff's Education and Training Standards Commission to receive a certificate.

Acceptance into the BLET program is based on completion of all the program requirements. Class size is limited. To be considered for the upcoming BLET class, all admission documentation should be submitted by August 1. Acceptance into the program is provisional pending review and approval of the BLET Director.

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Program Requirements

- ❶ Must be a **U.S. citizen**.
- ❷ Must be at least **20 years old**.
- ❸ **Must have graduated** from an *accredited* high school or successfully completed the GED; an official copy of transcript(s) must be on file in the Admissions Office at MCC.
- ❹ Must complete **Reading and Writing Assessment** exam. **NOTE:** Reading Assessment score must indicate *minimum of a 10th grade level*.
- ❺ Must have a **valid drivers license**; a certified copy of your North Carolina drivers history report must be provided.
- ❻ Must have a **sponsorship** agreement; sponsorship letter must be on file in the Business Office prior to registration and remain valid throughout the programs entirety.
- ❼ Must have a **certified copy of your criminal history** report for all counties & states in which you have resided since the age of 18; the report(s) must be approved prior to enrolling in BLET. You may not have a felony conviction; if you are concerned about your criminal history, please speak with the BLET School Director, Robert Lawing. (Some misdemeanor offenses also apply.) Students are provisionally accepted pending approval of the report(s).
- ❽ Must have a **physical examination form** and exposure form completed by a doctor; the form must be on file at MCC by the first day of class. Students are provisionally accepted pending physical approval.
- ❾ Must **interview with the BLET Director** prior to enrollment; call Robert Lawing at 910-576-6222, Ext. 244, for an appointment.

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Evening Program Schedule

An evening BLET program is offered each year at MCC. BLET packets with specific dates for the program are published in June of each year. General information is listed below.

<u>Tentative Class Calendar</u>		
Registration	Mid-August	5:00pm
Class Begin	Early September	5:30pm
Class Schedule	Monday – Friday 5:30 pm - 10:30 pm (Some Saturdays are required)	
Class Ends	Late March	



	Cost	
	In-State	Out-of-State
Tuition	\$672.00	\$3732.80
Fees/Insurance	32.60	32.60
Est. Book Expense	525.00	525.00
Est. Other Expenses	225.00	225.00

Sponsorship agreement with law enforcement agency waives tuition cost only. The BLET student is responsible for all other costs.

Financial Aid (Pell) is now available to qualified BLET applicants. Call Tammy Owens at Extension 336 if you have questions about financial aid. You may also apply for Pell online at www.fafsa.ed.gov.

BLET enrollment packets
are available in June of each year.
Interested applicants should
call MCC at 910-576-6222, Ext. 600
for more information.



If you have questions about
BLET or about your qualifications,
contact
Robert Lawing
at 910-576-6222, Ext. 244
or lawingr@montgomery.edu



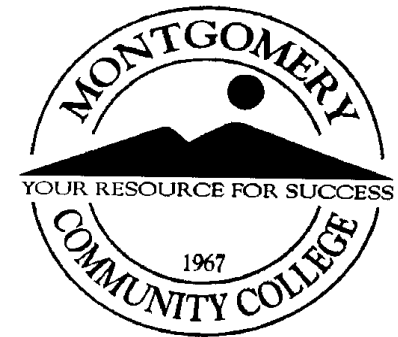
If you have questions about your
Application for Admission,
contact
Karen Frye,
Admissions Officer,
910-576-6222, Ext. 240
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