Frequent Questions and Answers related to the BLET Program

How hard is Basic Law Enforcement Training?

Police cadets participate in a demanding but obtainable program that consist of physical activities that help in preparation for a challenging career in law enforcement. Activities include running, weight training, and group exercises. Weekly academic tests are given to measure understanding.

After graduating from BLET, does the certification last indefinitely?

No. Graduates must be hired or sworn-in by a law enforcement agency within 12 months from their graduation date or the certification will expire.

How much does it cost to attend BLET?

A law enforcement agency sponsorship is required to attend; therefore, the tuition is waived. You will be responsible for uniforms (approximately \$300).

Do I need any additional equipment?

A computer will be provided for the duration of the class for accessing your manual and note taking.

Do I need to order books?

When you register for the class you will be required to pay for the digital manual and workbook. On the first day of class you will receive login information and course codes. You will also need to purchase the N.C. Crimes books listed below.

N.C. Crimes 7 th Edition, 2012	approx. \$225	including shipping
N.C. Crimes Supplement, 2016	approx. \$70	including shipping

Where do I get my uniforms?

Uniform clothing may be purchased at Davis Public Safety in Burlington, NC. After purchasing them, it will be necessary to have them embroidered by Embroidery by Judy.

Required Uniforms: Boots, 511 shirts and pants	Embroidery on all items:
Davis Public Safety 2466 Corporation Parkway Burlington, N.C. 27215 Store 336-229-7710 336-515-3616 e-mail <u>darron@davispublicsafety.com</u>	Embroidery by Judy Cell 336-213-3267 FAX 336-226-2279 e-mail judy@netpath.net

Do I have to take any tests to be accepted into the BLET course?

Yes. You will be required to take a reading and spelling test and score a minimum 10th grade level to gain entry into the program. To schedule the test, visit www.alamancecc.edu/TABE.

How do I apply?

- Visit the website at: <u>www.alamancecc.edu/BLET</u>
- Complete and submit a BLET registration form
- Download the packet and other required forms or contact a member of the BLET staff at 336-506-4034 to obtain a packet.

What other documents are required with the admission packet?

North Carolina Training and Standards requires these documents to be in each student's file prior to the first day of class.

- Copy of Valid NC Driver's License
- Copy of Birth Certificate
- Copy of Social Security Card
- Copy of High School Diploma **OR** High School Transcript
- Criminal History Checks from **EACH COUNTY** you have residence since adulthood.
- Medical Exam Report

What do I do when my packet is completed?

The packet must be turned in to a member of the BLET staff who will verify that all documents are included and complete. Please call 336-506-4034 or email <u>csverdeck626@alamancecc.edu</u> for more information or to schedule a review appointment.