MUNICIPAL POLICE OFFICERS’ TRAINING ACADEMY

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Dear Prospective Cadet,

The Mansfield University Municipal Police Officers Act 120 Training Academy is certified by the Municipal Police Officers’ Education and Training Commission. Under Pennsylvania Act 120, this 919-hour training program is required to become a municipal police officer in Pennsylvania, and provides each participant with the professional skills necessary to succeed as a police officer. The completion of the academy does not guarantee employment.

Please complete the statement of interest found at https://ssl.mansfield.edu/act120/ and submit. You will be sent an application form once the application date is opened for the next academy. Return that with your $30.00 non-refundable deposit payable to Mansfield University. Upon receiving the application and fee, a registration packet will be forwarded to you which must be completed and returned to the academy for processing.

To enter the academy entrance you must:

- Be 18 years of age or older
- Possess a high school diploma or GED equivalency
- Be a citizen of the United States
- Be free from convictions of disqualifying criminal offenses.
  - Conviction - an adjudication of guilt including the imposition of a sentence
  - Disqualifying criminal offense – a criminal offense for which more than 1 year in prison can be imposed as punishment
- Have a valid driver’s license
- Pass physical, psychological, vision, hearing, and reading tests

In addition to the non-refundable deposit, the following costs reflect the academy training for 2019:

- $5500.00 Tuition, textbooks, targets, ammunition
- Psychological* Psychologist of your choice - $100 estimate
- Physical* Physician of your choice - $100 estimate
- $ 10.00* Pennsylvania State Police - Request for Criminal History Record Information (Act 34)
- $ 10.00* Commonwealth of Pennsylvania – Request for Driver Record
- $ 40.00* Physical training pre-test and reading test (scheduled and administered at Mansfield)
- $300.00 Uniform Package

* MUST BE COMPLETED BY EACH STUDENT PRIOR TO THE START OF THE TRAINING PROGRAM AT THE STUDENTS EXPENSE

Once the completed registration packet has been received by the Academy, a representative of the academy will contact you to arrange the interview and physical requirements pre-test. After reviewing the applicant’s file and evaluations, a determination will be made as to the acceptance into the academy, and the applicant will be contacted and notified of the same.

Mansfield University reserves the right to cancel a scheduled Police Academy class because of insufficient enrollment. All costs of the application process are the responsibility of the applicant and are non-reimbursable in the event of a cancellation.

Sincerely,

Christopher Wheeler, Director
Municipal Police Academy
Gainful Employment Disclosures – 2019

Program Name Mansfield University Undergraduate Certificate in Act 120 Municipal Police Training Academy

This program is designed to be completed in 25 weeks.

This program will cost $5,790 if completed within normal time. There may be additional costs for living expenses. These costs were accurate at the time of posting, but may have changed.

Of the students who completed this program within normal time, the typical graduate leaves with $ N/A of debt. *Fewer than 10 students who completed this program within the normal time received Title IV aid. This number has been withheld to preserve the confidentiality of the students.

1) Program meets licensure requirements in the following States: N/A
2) Program does not meet licensure requirements in the following States: N/A
3) Program qualifies students to sit for licensure exam in the following States: N/A
4) Program does not qualify students to sit for licensure exam in the following States: N/A
5) The following States do not have licensure requirements for this profession: Pennsylvania

For more information about graduation rates, loan repayment rates, and post-enrollment earnings about this institution and other postsecondary institutions please click here: https://collegescorecard.ed.gov/