



**BAKER COLLEGE**  
**STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOMES**

**CRJ 2310 Principles of Policing I**  
**3 Semester Credit Hours**

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**Student Learning Outcomes and Enabling Objectives**

1. Differentiate between federal, local, state, and county law enforcement.
  - a. Outline the history of law enforcement.
  - b. Identify the various career opportunities available within the law enforcement profession and explore the requirements needed for training and certification.
  - c. Explore the requirements needed for training and certification related to the various career opportunities within law enforcement.
  - d. Discuss the goals and responsibilities of each area of law enforcement.
  - e. Examine the roles and responsibilities of the 911 telecommunications professional in assisting law enforcement.
  
2. Identify the appropriate skills, tools, and methods used in law enforcement.
  - a. Analyze the tools and methods used in law enforcement situations.
  - b. Explain the purpose of the use of force continuum.
  - c. Apply appropriate documentation techniques.
  - d. Explore how various skills are used in law enforcement situations.
  - e. Discuss how personal wellness impacts your ability to perform as a law enforcement officer.
  
3. Investigate the importance of being familiar with the legal issues that direct their actions in the pursuit of justice.
  - a. Apply constitutional, case and arrest laws appropriately to various law enforcement situations.
  - b. Examine the multiple meanings of justice.
  
4. Explain the importance of ethics in relationship to an officer's duty.
  - a. Compare and contrast ethics vs. duty.
  - b. Apply appropriate ethical behavior to various law enforcement situations.

## **Big Ideas and Essential Questions**

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- State, County, Local, and Federal Police
- Skills, tools, and methods
- Ethics
- Justice

### **Essential Questions**

1. Why do we have Federal, State, County, and local law enforcement? (State, County, Local, and Federal Police)
2. How will I use the skills, tools, and methods in law enforcement? (Skills, tools, and methods)
3. What is the relationship between ethics and duty in law enforcement? (Ethics)
4. How does the ultimate goal of achieving justice direct our actions in law enforcement? (Justice)

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These SLOs are approved for experiential credit.

**Effective: Fall 2017**