

**College of San Mateo**  
**Official Course Outline**

1. **COURSE ID:** ADMJ 780    **TITLE:** Regular Basic Course Module III  
**Units:** 7.0 units    **Hours/Semester:** 80.0-90.0 Lecture hours; 96.0-108.0 Lab hours; and 160.0-180.0 Homework hours  
**Method of Grading:** Pass/No Pass Only  
**Prerequisite:** Department of Justice fingerprint clearance; Physical Clearance and Limitation Report; Valid California Driver License; and Admission into ADMJ 780.
2. **COURSE DESIGNATION:**  
**Non-Degree Credit**  
**Transfer credit:** none
3. **COURSE DESCRIPTIONS:**  
**Catalog Description:**  
First level of training in the Regular Basic Course - Modular Format as prescribed by the California Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training (POST). Includes PC832 certification.
4. **STUDENT LEARNING OUTCOME(S) (SLO'S):**  
Upon successful completion of this course, a student will meet the following outcomes:
  1. Demonstrate the required academic competencies as determined by the Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training to successfully complete the course.
  2. Demonstrate the required physical competencies as determined by the Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training to successfully complete the course.
5. **SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONAL OBJECTIVES:**  
Upon successful completion of this course, a student will be able to:
  1. Demonstrate the required academic competencies as prescribed and regulated by the Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training to successfully complete the course.
  2. Demonstrate the required physical competencies as prescribed and regulated by the Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training to successfully complete the course.
6. **COURSE CONTENT:**  
**Lecture Content:**
  1. Leadership, Professionalism and Ethics (LD01)
  2. Criminal Justice System (LD02)
  3. Policing in the Community (LD03)
  4. Introduction to Criminal Law (LD05)
  5. Laws of Arrest (LD15)
  6. Search and Seizure (LD16)
  7. Presentation of Evidence (LD17)
  8. Investigative Report Writing (LD18)
  9. Use of Force (LD20)
  10. Traffic Enforcement (LD28)
  11. Crime Scenes, Evidence and Forensics (LD30)
  12. Custody (LD31)
  13. Information Systems (LD36)
  14. Crimes against the Justice System (LD39)
  15. Cultural Diversity/Discrimination (LD42)Expanded course outline is attached.  
**Lab Content:**
  1. Vehicle Operations (LD19)
  2. Arrest and Control Techniques (LD33)
  3. First Aid and CPR (LD34)
  4. Firearms/Chemical Agents (LD35)Expanded course outline is attached.
7. **REPRESENTATIVE METHODS OF INSTRUCTION:**

Typical methods of instruction may include:

- A. Lecture
- B. Activity
- C. Discussion
- D. Observation and Demonstration

#### 8. REPRESENTATIVE ASSIGNMENTS

Representative assignments in this course may include, but are not limited to the following:

**Writing Assignments:**

- Report writing exercise for LD18 Investigative Report Writing
- Personal History Statement

**Reading Assignments:**

- Pre-read workbook for upcoming lecture based on course outline
- Familiarization with Penal and Vehicle Codes

**Other Outside Assignments:**

- Hand exercises as needed for live fire training
- Practice of arrest and control techniques

#### 9. REPRESENTATIVE METHODS OF EVALUATION

Representative methods of evaluation may include:

- A. Class Participation
- B. Class Performance
- C. Exams/Tests
- D. Final Class Performance
- E. Written examination

#### 10. REPRESENTATIVE TEXT(S):

Other:

- A. Current version of the California Penal and Vehicle Code
- B. POST Learning Domain Workbooks for Module III
  - LD01 Leadership, Professionalism and Ethics
  - LD02 Criminal Justice System
  - LD03 Policing in the Community
  - LD05 Introduction to Criminal Law
  - LD15 Laws of Arrest
  - LD16 Search and Seizure
  - LD17 Presentation of Evidence
  - LD18 Investigative Report Writing
  - LD19 Vehicle Operations
  - LD20 Use of Force
  - LD28 Traffic Enforcement
  - LD30 Crime Scenes, Evidence and Forensics
  - LD31 Custody
  - LD33 Arrest Methods/Defensive Tactics
  - LD34 First Aid and CPR
  - LD35 Firearms/Chemical Agents
  - LD36 Information Systems
  - LD39 Crimes against the Justice System
  - LD42 Cultural Diversity/Discrimination

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