



What to Expect.....

During the six days of the Academy, students have activities and classes that may include:

- Introduction to Law Enforcement
- Physical Fitness
- Defensive Tactics
- First Aid
- Leadership Development
- Water Safety
- Military Drill
- Crime Lab & Forensic Science
- Patrol Training
- Substance Abuse Awareness
- Narcotics & Dangerous Drugs
- Specialty Units
 - K-9
 - Emergency Support
 - Underwater Recovery

Dear Students;

The goal of Kiwanis is for you to understand careers in Law Enforcement, so that you can make informed career choices, or, just develop a better understanding of the efforts your instructors expend each day as they go about their duties protecting the public welfare.

Young people before you have returned from such an experience with a new and healthier respect for Law Enforcement. Several graduates, have in fact, followed through with such a career. Comments and letters usually portray this experience as one of the best of their lives.....

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Law Enforcement Career Academy Program



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Kiwanis Law Enforcement Career Academy.....

Michigan Kiwanis....

along with the assistance of the Michigan Department of State Police, have conducted our "Law Enforcement Career Academy" since 1975.

The Program is usually held in late June or mid July, and begins with a Registration on Sunday afternoon and ends with a Closing ceremony on Friday morning.

Local Kiwanis Clubs sponsor High School students who express a sincere desire or interest in some form of law enforcement career.

Student Eligibility.....

- Have an expressed interest in law enforcement
- Be of good moral character
- Carry an academic grade point average of 2.0 or better
- Be enrolled in grades 10-12 at time of application
- Have good health, capable of strenuous daily physical activity
- Have no juvenile criminal record
- Possess no current physical illness or injury

Typical Day Starts...

at 5:30 AM with approximately one hour of physical training. The week consists of training scenarios, classroom instruction, writing exercises, group activities, and interactions with other students and staff. The program is run in a paramilitary style, and the day ends at 10 PM lights out.

Throughout the week, students are to keep notes. At the end of the week, students are expected to show their proficiency on a written exam.



Students are Housed...

at the Michigan State Police Training Academy in Lansing, with Police officers serving as mentors and staff instructors. Staff instructors come from state, county, and local police departments.

What to Bring.....

Clothing, money needed, etc. will be covered in a direct mailing to those students once selected to attend. Your local Kiwanis Club works with your school advisors to recommend both male and female students who they will sponsor. The club pays the fee for each student, and has all the application forms necessary to apply.



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