

South Gate Police Department Citizen Academy

Overview

The South Gate Police Department's Citizen Academy will provide community members with an inside look into local law enforcement through a 6 week course (Wednesdays). This course is designed to give citizens an overview of the police department's function, staff, responsibilities, and operational procedures. The academy classes are taught by a series of instructors who have been hand chosen from various positions within the police department. Activities range from classroom discussion to role playing.

More Information

The first session will be held on Wednesday, March 22, 2023, at 6:00 p.m. at the South Gate Police Department. For more information, please email Sergeant Carlos Corella at ccorella@sogate.org

Topics Covered

- Dispatch Operations
- Narcotics
- Disaster Preparedness
- Jail Operations
- Traffic Enforcement/DUI
- Gangs/Crime Impact Team (C.I.T.)
- General Investigation
- Rules of Evidence/Criminal Law
- S.W.A.T. Presentation

Interest Forms can be obtained at the South Gate Police Department located at 8620 California Avenue, South Gate, CA 90280

To qualify for this academy, you must reside in South Gate, not be convicted of any felonies, possess a California ID or driver's license, attend all six weeks, and have not attended a citizen's academy.

Deadline to turn in application is Friday, March 10, 2023