**FIREARMS INSTRUCTOR COURSE**

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| **Dates:**  | Dec 11th - Dec 14th, 2025 |
| **Time:** | 8 AM – 6 PM (4/10 schedule) |
| **Location:**  | Public Safety Training Center (PSTC), 5743 Skylane Blvd., Windsor, CA 95492 |
| **Cost:**  | $79.25 + $5 parking fee\*Cost for CA residents only\*Fees are subject to change |
| **Certifications:**  | POST Plan IV Course Control #2980-21640 |
| **Hotel Information:**  | [Hampton Inn & Suites Windsor - Sonoma Wine Country (hilton.com)](https://www.hilton.com/en/book/reservation/rooms/?ctyhocn=STSWIHX&arrivalDate=2023-11-21&departureDate=2023-11-22&room1NumAdults=1)  Or Call the hotel directly at 707-837-9355 and ask for the Safety Training rate, Corporate ID: 2773358  <http://www.windsorcasuites.hamptoninn.com/> |
| **Enroll at SRJC:** | [Apply for admissions](https://admissions.santarosa.edu/new-or-returning-credit-student-information)  |
| **Reservations:**  | Email InServicetrainingrequest@santarosa.edu Or call (707) 836-2906 |
| **Payment:**  | Santa Rosa Junior College will invoice for payment *after* course. |
| **Pre-Test Qualification Requirement:****Required Equipment:** | **B-8 Shooting Assessment – Overview**The B-8 target assessment is a standardized marksmanship evaluation commonly used in law enforcement and firearms instructor programs to assess a shooter’s precision, control, and consistency under time constraints.**Target: B-8 Bullseye Target*** 5.5-inch black scoring area
* Scoring zones: X, 10, 9, 8, and 7 points
* Maximum score per string: 100 points

**Course of Fire (Timed B-8 Assessment):*** Distance: 10 yards
* Firearm: Duty handgun
* Total Rounds: 10
* Time Limit**:** 10 seconds

**Scoring Requirement:*** A minimum score of 80% (80 points out of 100) is required to meet the qualification standard.
* Failure to meet this standard may result in disqualification from the instructor course.

**Agency-Approved Handgun and Shotgun** (with sling, if applicable)*If your agency does not issue a shotgun, one can be provided upon request.**Note: The Sig Sauer P320 platform is currently* ***not permitted*** *for use at our facility.***Firearms & Ammunition*** **Minimum of 3 Magazines**
* **1,000 Rounds of Handgun Ammunition**
* **50 Rounds of Buckshot**
* **50 Rounds of Slugs**

**All ammunition must be lead-free frangible.**See the attached list of approved ammunition. *No exceptions.***For ammunition-related questions**, contact Rob Douglas at (707) 480-8104.**Required Gear & Equipment*** **Duty Belt and Holster**
* **Flashlight** *(and weapon-mounted light, if available)*
* **Laptop and USB Flash Drive** *(for lesson planning and coursework)*
* **Eye and Ear Protection**
* **Range-Appropriate Clothing**
	+ No shorts, V-neck shirts, or red clothing. Closed-toe footwear is required.
* **Any Personal Duty Gear Regularly Used in the Field**
* **Cold-Weather Clothing** *(Indoor range may be cold during winter months)*
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**Course Description:**

This 40-hour course is designed to prepare experienced peace officers to instruct others in safe and effective firearms use. The curriculum emphasizes instructional development, safety, coaching techniques, and shooting diagnostics.

**Course is limited to qualified law enforcement personnel only.**

**Topics Include:**

* Lesson plan development & adult teaching techniques
* Contemporary firearms tactics for law enforcement
* Shooting diagnostics & correction
* Live-fire range setup and administration