

Basic Law Enforcement (BL11)

Certificate eMap

This eMap, along with regular meetings with your program advisor and using DegreeWorks, will help you remain on track to finish your program as quickly as possible and graduate from Georgia Northwestern Technical College. This eMap is intended to be used when beginning the program in Fall semester. Starting the program in Spring or Summer semesters may alter the suggested courses or course availability. This pathway is based on the 2026-2027 academic year.



To facilitate successful entry into the BL11 program, it is recommended that candidates meet with Program Advisor James Pledger (jpledger@gntc.edu) prior to beginning the application process

1 st set of suggested courses			
Course		Hours	Completed
LETA 1010	Health & Life Safety for Basic Law Enforcement	4	☐
LETA 1012	Law Enforcement Skills for Basic POST Certification	4	☐
LETA 1014	Investigative Services for Basic POST Certification	7	☐
LETA 1016	Law Enforcement Procedures for Basic POST Certification	2	☐
LETA 1018	Traffic Services for Basic POST Certification	5	☐
LETA 1020	Community Relations for Basic POST Certification	1	☐
LETA 1022	Criminal Law for Basic POST Certification	2	☐
LETA 1024	Emergency Vehicle Operation Course for Basic Post Certification	2	☐
LETA 1026	Firearms Training for Basic POST Certification)	3	☐
LETA 1028	Police Traffic Control and Investigation for Basic Law Enforcement	7	☐
LETA 1030	Principals of Law Enforcement for Basic Law Enforcement	3	☐
LETA 1032	Introduction to Criminal Justice for Basic Law Enforcement	2	☐
LETA 1034	Constitutional Law for Basic Law Enforcement	1	☐

Total Credit Hours: 43 Minimum Credit Hours Required to Complete Certificate

Basic Law Enforcement (BL11) Certificate Program Planning Notes:

- Courses for this program are offered at the Gordon County Campus.
- This program is completed in one semester as a cohort.

BL11 Requirements:

The following requirements are governed by POST, not GNTC, and are very specific as to how they are carried out. Basic Law Enforcement (BLE) staff can assist with guiding the application process. Requirements include:

- Must be a U.S. citizen
- A physical performed by an M.D. The physical is very specific as to a check list of tasks the candidate must be able to perform. **(NOTE: P.O.S.T. will not accept s physical performed by a Physician's Assistant or Nurse Practitioner)**
- A background investigation (PSI) **NOTE: The background check must be completed before the psychological evaluation**
- A psychological evaluation performed by a licensed Psychiatrist or Psychologist
- Fingerprinting by GAPS
- Criminal History check
- Driver's License history
- Official copy of birth certificate
- Marriage certificate (If Applicable)
- Accuplacer testing required. Reading 224 or higher. Writing 236 or higher. Must also test Arithmetic although no particular score required by POST.
- Candidates must pass a POST required Physical Agility Test (PAT) within 30 days of first day of class
- Once all these requirements are met, the student may apply for a POST P2
- Once the P2 is granted, the BLE Director will review all materials and interview the candidate to decide if the candidate will be admitted into the program
- **Students to be registered for class must be approved by the BCP1 Director only.** Students registering themselves or registered by other departments are subject to drop.

Additional information for the Basic Law Enforcement (BLL) certificate and program requirements can be found at [GNTC 2026-2027 Catalog](#).