

2 Year Program Review (CTE Programs)

Education Code section 78016 requires that colleges review the effectiveness of CTE programs every two years. In order to meet this requirement, this form must be completed every two years on a rotational basis determined by the Curriculum Committee. Please discuss as a department, fill out the form, obtain chair and dean signatures, and **submit to Heather in SAS-214** for approval by Technical Review Committee.

Resources

- Bureau of Labor Statistics (National) <http://www.onetonline.org>
- EDD Labor Market Data (State) www.labormarketinfo.edd.ca.gov
 - LMI by customer, LMI by geography, LMI by industries and occupations

Program Name: Public Safety Education and Training Center (PSETC)

Describe how your program:

1. Continues to meet a documented labor market demand (please include relevant labor market data)

Bureau of Labor Statistics

Law Enforcement

California - \$104,160 annual average salary

National - \$65,790 annual average salary

California Employment (2020) – 68,600

California Projected Growth (2022-2032) – 5%

California Projected Job Openings (2022-2032) – 5,520

Fire Services

California - \$71,240 annual average salary

National - \$51,680 annual average salary

California Employment (2020) – 27,200

California Projected Growth (2022-2032) – 4%

California Projected Job Openings (2022-2032) – 2,160

Butte College law enforcement and fire academies, including administration of justice (AJ) and fire science (FSC) degree programs, continue to provide basic training for individuals wanting to enter the law and fire career fields, while complying with the regulatory requirements of the California Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training and the Office of the State Fire Marshal. Currently, the law academy has 48 students enrolled in its 23-week program and the fire academy has 29 students enrolled in its 20-week program. Both the law and fire academies are presented twice each year. There is currently a total of 449 students enrolled in the various AJ courses and currently a total of 170 students enrolled in the various FSC courses.

The Butte College PSETC continues to provide training to the full extent of its capabilities, considering available instructional and support staff, facilities, and operational resources. It should be noted that Butte College also houses statewide law enforcement academies for both the California Department of Fish and Wildlife and the California Department of Parks and Recreation, via instructional services agreements with those departments.

2. Does not represent unnecessary duplication of other manpower training programs in the college's service area (please list similar programs by name, or N/A, for each community college in our region: Feather River, Lassen, Mendocino, College of the Redwoods, Shasta, and College of the Siskiyous)

Presentations at Butte College law and fire academies do not represent a duplication of training in the college's service area. The California Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training and the Office of the State Fire Marshal carefully assess the need to approve applications for additional academy presenters to control the potential for infringement on existing academy presenters. The only law academy presenters in our service area are the College of the Redwoods (Eureka), Yuba College (Marysville), and College of the Siskiyous (Yreka). All of

these colleges present extended modular law academy programs in contrast to our intensive program. Differences in these programs attract applicants with different personal and career needs.

College of the Redwoods (Eureka), Yuba College (Marysville), College of the Siskiyous (Weed), Shasta College (Redding), and Lassen College (Susanville) present either firefighter I and/or firefighter II academies in our service area. The superior quality of the fire academy training that is provided at Butte College continues to draw students from throughout the State, as well as from other States and occasionally from other countries. This is evident by the continuing high enrollment counts that we have experienced over the years.

3. Is of demonstrated effectiveness as measured by the employment and completion success of its students
(please include completion and employment data for your program)

The Butte College law academy is currently experiencing a 94% completion rate and 96% employment rate following graduation. This is a direct result of the growing number of recruits who are being employed by law enforcement departments prior to being sponsored by those departments into our academy program.

Our fire academy is currently experiencing a 97% completion rate and a 97% employment rate following graduation. These rates have increased following a curriculum modification requiring a prerequisite of satisfactory completion of an Emergency Medical Responder course prior to enrollment in the fire academy program.

Department Chair signature: Don Beasley
(Your signature certifies that all faculty members in the program have participated in this review) .

Dean signature: Denise Adams

Curriculum Committee Chair: Donna Davis

Date Approved: Mar 27, 2024

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