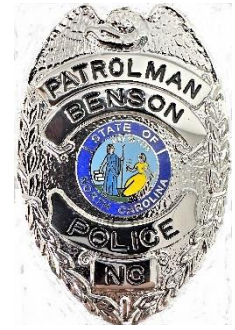




Benson Police Department Citizen's Police Academy 2025



Classes will be held every Monday night starting on January 13th and ending on February 17th. All classes will be held at selected Town of Benson facilities. The class will begin each night at 6:00 p.m. and will last approximately 2 to 2.5 hours. Attendees will only be able to miss one (1) class and still graduate.

Each attendee may participate in 1 ride-along, either during the academy or after its completion. Ride-Along times will be chosen by the enrollee and coordinator but are limited to 2-hour increments.

Class size is limited to twenty (20) attendees.

Class Coordinators:

- C.O.P.S. Officer S. Ocampo, (919) 894- 2091, sdocampo@bensonpd.org
- Lieutenant Zayne Trent, (919) 894-2091, zatrent@bensonpd.org

Ride-Along Coordinator(s):

- Lieutenant Zayne Trent, (919) 894-2091, zatrent@bensonpd.org
- Captain William Brown, (919) 894-2091, wnbrown@bensonpd.org

Week 1 – Administration	2 Hours	January 13, 2024
Welcome/Introduction	S. Ocampo/ Chief G. Percy	15 Minutes
Mission/Structure	Chief G. Percy	15 Minutes
Schedule / Question / Concerns	Captain W. Brown	30 Minutes
Community Oriented Policing	C.O.P.S. S. Ocampo	1 Hour
Week 2 – Patrol Operations	2 Hours	January 20, 2024
Intro to Patrol Operations	Lt. Z. Trent	30 Minutes
Traffic Enforcement	Aux/Ofc J. Massengill	30 Minutes
NCIC	Admin. Asst. A. Barefoot	1 Hour
Week 3 – Patrol Operations Cont.	2 Hours	January 27, 2024
DWI Detection / SFST /	Act/Sgt.. T. Britt	2 Hours
Week 4 – Investigations	2 Hours	February 3, 2024
Criminal Investigations	Lt. N. Losada / Det/Sgt. R. Vera	1 Hour
Evidence / Evidence Collection	Lt. N. Losada / Det/Sgt. R. Vera	30 Minutes
Practical	Lt. N. Losada / Det/Sgt. R. Vera	30 Minutes

Week 5 – Firearms	2.5 Hours	February 10, 2024
Weapon Handling & Safety	Aux/Sgt. K. Barbour	1 Hour
Less Lethal	Aux/Sgt. K. Barbour	1 Hour
Practical	Aux/Sgt. K. Barbour	30 Minutes
Week 6 – Final Week	2 Hours	February 17, 2024
UoF, De-Escalation & Duty to Intervene	Chief G. Percy	1 Hour
Drone Operations	Selma P. D	1 Hour
Graduation	Instructors / Command Staff	30 Minutes