

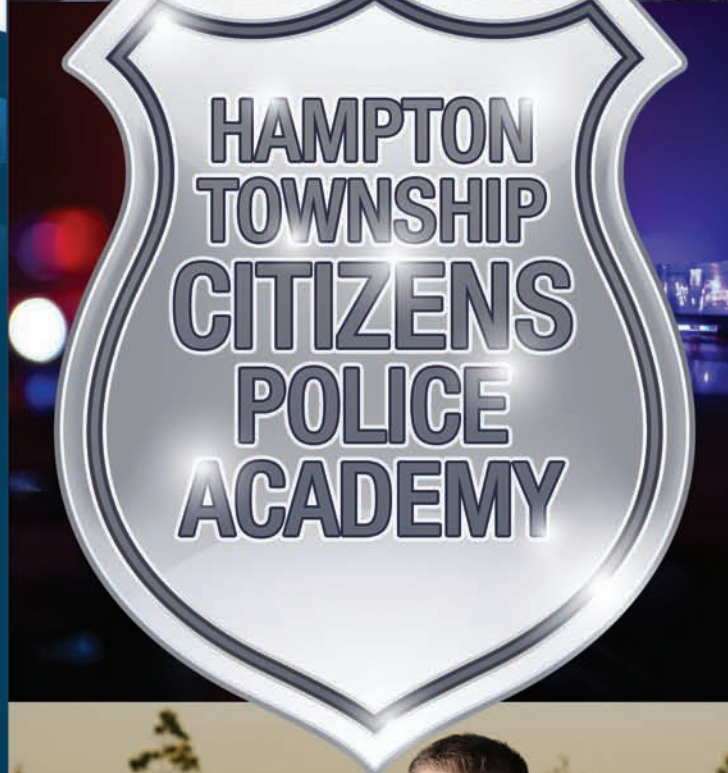


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A COMMUNITY  
OF PRIDE,  
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*The HCPA is conducted for informative and education purposes only. It does not qualify participants to become police officers under the training requirements set forth by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Municipal Police Officer's Education and Training Commission (MPOETC),*





## The Hampton Township Police

**Department** is offering a program to qualified citizens - the annual Hampton Township Citizens Police Academy (HCPA). The program is designed to give the average citizen a better understanding of the criminal justice system, in particular, the role police officers play in the community.

In this unique, behind the scenes experience into the world of law enforcement, students are presented with information on several key law enforcement topics.

The students will also have a opportunity to participate in a ride-along program with police officers, during his or her shift, upon completion of the academy.

### TOPICS INCLUDE:

- Police Academy Training
- Narcotics investigations and opioids
- Evidence collections
- Traffic Law and Enforcement
- Patrol and Criminal Procedure  
Use of force/Special Response Team (SRT)
- Court System
- Forensics
- Use of Force Simulator
- Traffic Accident Investigation/DUI
- Community Relations
- Domestic Violence
- Role Play Scenarios

### AGENCIES PRESENTING INCLUDE:

- Hampton Township Police Department
- Allegheny County Police
- District Judge Tom Swan
- Allegheny County Police Academy

There are some general requirements to be eligible to participate in the HCPA, but the academy is free of charge for those who are selected. Potential students must be 18 years of age or older, never been convicted of a felony in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or elsewhere, and reside in Hampton Township or a neighboring community.

The classes will be held each Sunday from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. at the Hampton Township Community Center, 3101 McCully Road, Allison Park. Classes start Sunday, September 13, 2020 and end on Sunday, November 8, 2020.

Applications can be picked up at the Hampton Township Police Department at 3101 McCully Road, beginning All participants will be contacted via phone or email with additional information, if selected.

To be considered for the academy, please complete and return the application.

For more information, or to have questions answered, please contact program coordinator Officer Chris Finnigan at 412-486-0400, Ext. 1387 or email at [chris.finnigan@hampton-pa.org](mailto:chris.finnigan@hampton-pa.org).

