



# JOIN Become A Deputy Sheriff

## **HIRING PROCESS**

STEP 1. Written Exam (Relative weight 100%, Passing 70%)

STEP 2. Comprehensive Background Investigation

STEP 3. Physical Agilities Test

(Note: This is not required for Deputy Sheriff Detentions/Courts, proceed to STEP 4)

STEP 4. Truth Verification (CVSA) Exam and Employment Interview

STEP 5. Psychological Evaluation

STEP 6. Medical Exam



## MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

### Deputy Sheriff Patrol:

- 20 ½ years of age at time of application; 21 years of age at time of appointment. (There is no maximum age limit)
- U.S. citizen
- U.S. High School graduate or G.E.D.
- No felony convictions. Not on Probation. Misdemeanors may be disqualifying depending on the number, type of violation, and date of the violation.
- Vision: 20/100 uncorrected, corrected to at least 20/30, No minimum vision requirements for soft contact lens wearers.
- Valid California Drivers License prior to appointment. Valid photo ID to take the written exam.
- Effective oral and written communications in English.

### Deputy Sheriff Detentions/Courts:

- 18 years of age at the time of the test. (There is no maximum age limit)
- U.S. citizen or Resident Alien in the process of becoming a U.S. citizen
- U.S. High School graduate or G.E.D.
- No felony convictions. Not on Probation. Misdemeanors may be disqualifying depending on the number, type of violation, and date of the violation.
- Vision: 20/100 uncorrected, corrected to at least 20/30, No minimum vision requirements for soft contact lens wearers.
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