



Hillsborough County Sheriff's (C Training Academy



Spanish for Criminal Justice Professionals #1165

The 40 hour FDLE course is designed to provide non-Spanish speaking criminal justice professionals with the basic Spanish language skills needed to communicate criminal justice commands.

General Information

Date: January 5th - 9th, 2026 (40 hours)
Time: 0700-1600
Instructors: Deputy Pedro Gonzalez-Horstman/
Deputy Amanda Calderon
Location: HCSO Training Division
Classroom #2
1409 N. Falkenburg Road
Tampa, FL 33619
Enrollment: Limited to 30 (**Sworn Personnel**)
Facilitator: Nicole Simon: nsimon@teamhcsso.com

Course Topics Include:

- Hispanic Culture
- Spanish Alphabet
- Greetings
- Giving Directions
- Criminal Justice Vocabulary
in Spanish Language
- Practical Exercises

Registration: All HCSO personnel shall submit a training request through your chain of command. All other agencies must submit an Advanced & Specialized Training Authorization form by your training section.

Attendance: Attendance at the initial class is mandatory. All students must adhere to the attendance requirements of the Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission and the Rules, Policies and Procedures of the Sheriff's Training Academy

Dress Policy: Your department's authorized training uniform or business casual attire. No jeans permitted. Law enforcement personnel not in uniform that are carrying exposed firearms must prominently display agency ID and/or badge at all times while on college property.

Fee: There is no fee associated with this course.

This course is applicable to either Mandatory Retraining or Salary Incentive; Federal I.D. #59-1216107.

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