

CHOOSE TO APPLY AS A

POLICE RECRUIT

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PELLET B TEST

PREPARE FOR, TAKE AND PASS THE WRITTEN ENTRANCE EXAM (PELLET B TEST).

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ATTEND AN ACADEMY

ATTEND A LICENSED, CERTIFIED POLICE TRAINING ACADEMY. YOU MUST PASS ALL PHYSICAL AND TECHNICAL PROGRAMS, AND GRADUATE.

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APPLY AS A RECRUIT

CHECK THE JOB WEBSITE DAILY. GO TO FPDJOB.COM AND CLICK "JOBS" AT THE TOP OF THE PAGE TO BE DIRECTED TO THE FRESNO.GOV OPEN JOBS LISTING. SEARCH FOR THE "POLICE RECRUIT" POSITION. YOU WILL HAVE TO REGISTER WITH THE SITE BEFORE YOU CAN APPLY FOR THE POSITION. **MUST BE ENROLLED IN A POLICE ACADEMY WITH ACADEMY LETTER TO BE ELIGIBLE.**

Contact the Recruiting Unit for further information.

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INTERVIEW

IF YOU ARE SELECTED, YOU WILL BE NOTIFIED OF AVAILABLE INTERVIEW TIMES, OR WE WILL SCHEDULE A CALL TO DISCUSS YOUR CAREER GOALS.



BENEFITS OF WORKING WITH THE FRESNO P.D.

- POLICE OFFICER RECRUIT STARTING PAY IS \$28.81 AN HOUR OR \$4,995 A MONTH.
- YOU WILL ATTEND A 4 WEEK TRAINING AND PERSONNEL ORIENTATION (TEACHING YOU TO THE FRESNO PD TECHNIQUE IN BUILDING SEARCHES, FIREARMS TRAINING, VEHICLE OPERATIONS, RETIREMENT/BENEFITS COVERAGE, REPORT WRITING, FTO PREPARATION, ETC.).
- WEEK 5, YOU WILL START YOUR 15 WEEK FIELD TRAINING PROGRAM (YOU WILL HIT THE STREETS WITH A FIELD TRAINING OFFICER AND APPLY YOUR ACADEMY KNOWLEDGE TO REAL LIFE).
- AFTER YOUR PROBATION PERIOD, YOU RECEIVE YOUR FIRST RAISE OF 10%, FOLLOWED BY 5% RAISES UNTIL YOU REACH TOP STEP (\$7,735 A MONTH).
- WITH OVERTIME, SPECIAL UNIT PAY, NIGHTTIME PAY, POST PAY, ETC., IT'S NOT UNCOMMON FOR FIRST YEAR OFFICERS TO MAKE AROUND \$80,000.
- MOST 5 YEAR OFFICERS AVERAGE AROUND \$80,000-100,000 A YEAR.

