



Advanced Law Enforcement, Investigations and Security

School of Public Safety

ALE1-Advanced Law Enforcement, Investigations and Security

This program has been permanently suspended.

Program Description

Fanshawe's one-year Advanced Law Enforcement graduate certificate program prepares students to pursue careers in a variety of law enforcement and security professions from private investigator and special constable to police investigator and border services officer.

Fanshawe is a leading law enforcement college in Ontario. This intensive program is completed in two 15-week semesters, each concluding with a five-week field placement that will immerse you in experiential learning opportunities with law enforcement, investigative and security agencies.

You'll broaden your knowledge and skill set to meet employer needs. The curriculum has been developed with input from experts in law enforcement, corrections, investigations and the Canadian Border Services Agency (CBSA) to address the current needs of the industry. The program ensures graduates meet physical fitness standards and use of defensive tactics, mental health awareness and care, crisis intervention and conflict management, record keeping and inter-professional communications and testifying in court.

- Sector-specific content includes regulatory enforcement, security for specialized environments and customs and border protection.
- You'll also receive instruction in investigative techniques including foot and vehicle surveillance and the use of surveillance technologies.
- The primary pathway to Advanced Law Enforcement, Investigations and Security is from the two-year Protection, Security and Investigation diploma program.
- Secondary pathways exist from the two-year Police Foundations diploma program and related programs (e.g., criminology degree from a university).

Document of Recognition

Advanced Law Enforcement, Investigations and Security Ontario College Graduate Certificate

Program Type

A One-Year Ontario College Graduate Certificate Program

Learning Outcomes

The graduate has reliably demonstrated the ability to:

- Conduct enforcement, investigative and security activities in accordance with legislative requirements as well as professional, ethical and organizational standards.
- Maintain a personal fitness level necessary to meet or exceed occupational fitness standards.
- Use defensive tactics within a legal framework to ensure personal safety and the safety of others.
- Prepare documents, including notes, logs, and reports, to clearly and accurately record observations, actions and findings.
- Participate in court proceedings by preparing crown briefs, providing testimony, and presenting evidence.
- Conduct complex investigations and surveillance activities using advanced techniques, including vehicle surveillance.
- Collect, preserve and record evidence, including digital evidence, in accordance with legislative requirements and recognized protocols.
- Assess situations to anticipate, mitigate and manage security issues.
- Administer and enforce laws, bylaws and regulations by investigating and resolving complaints, promoting compliance, and issuing infraction notices.
- Use appropriate problem-solving skills, non-violent intervention techniques, and other intervention strategies to effectively manage and resolve conflict and crisis situations.
- Employ appropriate intervention strategies to manage mental health situations to ensure the safety and security of all stakeholders.

Career Opportunities

Graduates of Fanshawe's Advanced Law Enforcement, Investigations and Security program develop the specialized knowledge, skills and abilities for a variety of law enforcement and security fields, including:

- Municipal bylaw enforcement (bylaw enforcement officer);
- Provincial enforcement (peace officer, environment officer, conservation officer, forestry officer, alcohol and gaming inspector);
- Private investigation (private investigator);
- Site security (e.g., security guard, security officer, special constable in hospitals, courthouses, transportation and logistics, post-secondary institutions, airports or special events);
- Retail security (e.g., loss prevention officer);
- Cash services (e.g., armoured security);
- Canadian Border Services Agency (e.g., border services officer);
- National security and intelligence (e.g., intelligence officer, surveillance); and
- Corrections (e.g., correctional officer).

Admission Requirements

ONE OF:



- Protection, Security and Investigation Ontario College Diploma
- Police Foundations Ontario College Diploma
- A Degree in a related discipline (as determined by the College) upon completion of bridging program offered at Fanshawe College
- An equivalent qualification from another institution as judged by the College
- Acceptable combination of related work experience and post-secondary education as judged by the College*

AND:

Proof of having achieved level 4.5 on the Leger 20-meter Shuttle Run Test

AND:

Pass a pre-screening that determines eligibility for field placement**

Notes:

* Applicants may be required to submit a resume and cover letter that includes details of work experience.

** Applicants are advised that an individual's driving history, illicit drug use, criminal convictions, criminal associations and other personal behaviours may result in an applicant being ineligible for placement and therefore will not be eligible to graduate from the Advanced Law Enforcement, Investigations and Security program.

Approximate Costs

Fee details are available at www.fanshawec.ca/fees

Contact

School of Public Safety: 519-452-4222

Campus Codes and Intakes

- Program Code: ALE1
- Campus Code: LC (LC - London)
- 15 week terms
- Academic Calendars available at www.fanshawec.ca/academicdates

Applicant Selection Criteria

Where the number of eligible applicants exceeds the available spaces in the program, the Applicant Selection Criteria will be:

- Preference for Permanent Residents of Ontario
- Receipt of Application by February 1st (After this date, Fanshawe College will consider applicants on a first-come, first-served basis until the program is full)
- Achievement in the Admission Requirements



English Language Requirements

Applicants whose first language is not English will be required to demonstrate proficiency in English by one of the following methods:

- TOEFL iBT: Score of 88
- IELTS Academic: Overall score of 6.5 with no score less than 6.0 in any of the four bands
- CAE: Overall score of 70 with no score less than 60 in any of the four bands
- PTE Academic: Score of 59
- Cambridge English: Overall score of 176 with no language skill less than 169
- ESL4/GAP5: Minimum grade of 80% in Level 9, 75% in Level 10
- Duolingo: Overall score of 120, with no score lower than 105

Recommended Personal Preparation

Students of the Advanced Law Enforcement, Investigations & Security program will participate in physical fitness and defensive tactics courses each. Potential students should be physically active and familiar with the physical fitness requirements to work in the field of Law Enforcement. Students should be able to achieve level 3.0 on the Leger 20-meter Shuttle Run as a minimum prior to entry into the program.

Post-Admission Requirements

Applicants are advised that driving history, illicit drug use, criminal convictions, criminal associations and other personal behaviours may result in an applicant being ineligible for placement and therefore ineligible to graduate from Advanced Law Enforcement, Investigations and Security. The following items are applicable to the program and are time sensitive:

- Possession of a Standard First Aid course certificate (either St. John Ambulance or Canadian Red Cross or equivalent) and a Basic Rescuer course certificate (Level 'C' CPR) and Automated External Defibrillator (AED)
- Possession of a valid class 'G' driver's licence and a driver's abstract that validates that the applicant has no more than 6 demerit points at program start
- Proof of Immunization - Students cannot proceed to some field placement opportunities without proof of immunization
- Completion of Introduction to Incident Management System IMS 100 (Emergency Management Ontario)
- Security Guard License (issued by Ministry of Community Safety and Correctional Services)
- Clear (no criminal offences) Police Check for Vulnerable Sector Screening (VSS) completed within six months prior to application
- An interview will be conducted to determine eligibility for field placement

Program Pathways

For information about Program Pathways visit www.fanshawec.ca/programpathways



Program Curriculum

Level 1

Take all of the following Mandatory Courses:

PHRE-6001	Personal Fitness & Defensive Tactics 1 - Credits 1
LAWS-6039	Legislative Authority & Liability - Credits 1
COMM-6036	Professional Communication - Credits 1
PFLP-6006	Court Preparation - Credits 1
SRTY-6005	Security 1-Adv - Credits 1.5
PSFY-6001	Provincial & Municipal Enforcement - Credits 1
PSFY-6002	Vehicle Safety & Driving Skills - Credits 1.5
SRTY-6006	Security & Corrections - Credits 2
DEVL-6020	Ethics & Professionalism - Credits 1
FLDP-6019	Security Practicum 1 - Credits 4

Level 2

Take all of the following Mandatory Courses:

PHRE-6002	Personal Fitness & Defensive Tactics 2 - Credits 1
SRTY-6007	Cyber Security - Credits 0.5
BSCI-6020	Crisis Intervention/Conflict Resolution - Credits 2
HLTH-6046	Mental Health & Society - Credits 1
SRTY-6008	Investigation & Surveillance-Adv - Credits 2
SRTY-6009	Security 2-Adv - Credits 1.5
SRTY-6010	Customs & Border Protection - Credits 1.5
DEVL-6021	Employment Preparation - Credits 1
FLDP-6020	Security Practicum 2 - Credits 4

Program Residency

Students Must Complete a Minimum of 8 credits in this program at Fanshawe College to meet the Program Residency requirement and graduate from this program.