



## **ARM Group** in Cooperation with the **Northeast Alabama Law**

**Enforcement Academy** (updated June 4, 2020)

**Course Title:** Basic Tactical Operator Course (Basic SWAT Level 1)

**Title on Certificate:** Basic Tactical Operator Course

**Date:** Nov 9-13, 2020    **Length:** 5 Days    **CEU's:** 61 CEU's    **Type:** Basic

**Costs:** \$385.00    **Start Time:** 0745 Hours

**ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO:** Northeast Alabama Law Enforcement Academy

**Program Description:** This approved sixty-one-hour Basic SWAT Course will certify each student. The training days are long, extending 12+ hours each day. This program is designed to address and reinforce basic tactical concepts, movement, entry and clearing using repetitive scenario-based force on force scenarios. Training includes, use force case law, medical training, rapid decision-making during scenarios and many other concepts. Course includes a Tac Med Solutions Operator IFAK (\$80.00 each) for each student (coyote tan). We do not haze students. All students are treated as professionals. This course requires moderate to high levels of physical fitness and the class learning objectives will fatigue the student. The student must be able to walk, run short distances, kneel, squat, bend, assume prone positions and recover to any position unassisted. Students should not attend that have bad backs, heart conditions or any other physical limitations.

**Addressing COVID 19:** Temperatures will be taken each morning. We will be distancing shooters away from one another. If you are sick, don't not come to training. If you have developed symptoms of the flu, strep, or COVID19, do not come to the training. If you have been around someone who has developed COVID19, do not come to training. If you become ill during class, you will be asked to leave the training.

### **How to register:**

**Option 1: Registration:** All students must register through the Northeast Alabama Law Enforcement Academy web site. Click on this link: <http://www.jsu.edu/lea/advanced.html>.

**Option 2: If the link is broken;** find your way to the Northeast Alabama Police Academy web site ([jsu.lea.edu](http://jsu.lea.edu)). Once on the web site and then click on advanced training on the left side of the page. Scroll down to the class you wish to attend and click on the name of the class (Basic SWAT). This will also send you to the "Registration Page" - fill out the information accordingly. Once you hit the submit button, you should receive a confirmation email registering you for the class. For questions and comments, please feel free to contact me directly.

**Invoices:** The police academy prepares the invoices for this class. Call the Police Academy for invoicing Attn: Kelly Jester - 256.782.5318.

**Payment: Make all checks payable to the Northeast Alabama Law Enforcement Academy:** This is a prepaid course as required by the LEA. You MUST pay BEFORE the class begins. Payment is due five (5) working days prior to the start of the class. For credit card payments. Call 256.525.9808 for details.

**Certificate:** Issued by the Northeast Alabama LEA for direct CEU's

**Lodging:** Tuition does not include lodging. Students must make their own arrangements.

**Credentialing:** This course is for certified, active and credentialed law enforcement officers only.

**Day 1 Meeting Location:** Northeast Alabama Law Enforcement Academy, 100 Gamecock Drive, Anniston, AL 36205 (Exact Classroom # is to be determined). Signs will be posted on the morning of day 1 which classroom will be used.

**Range Location:**

**Gadsden Range Complex**

Use 376 Burns Park Road, Gadsden, AL 35903 (This address gets you to the front gate)



**Instructors: Certified** Instructors assigned to coordinate and work with these programs have significant backgrounds in law enforcement/military and special weapons training as well as tactical training. The instructional staff includes personnel from federal law enforcement, military, former state department contractors. All instructors are assigned to active law enforcement tactical teams WITHIN THE STATE OF ALABAMA. We feel this is critical for the success of the program. This also allows the instructors to discuss Use of Force Case law as it pertains to **LE tactical operations**.

We train in all weather conditions except for lightning or other extremely hazardous conditions.

**Standards:** Complete all training objectives. APOSTC Pistol Qualification: Minimum 80 Percent; Pass performance on demand drills; Pass a 4-minute live fire performance examination, pass an exposure to OC (gas) environment without a gas mask, function as a member of a team and attend all training sessions.

**Lodging:** AGAIN: Tuition does not include lodging. Students must make their own arrangements.

**Firearms:** **The student should be able to load, unload, manipulate, handle and reload their firearm in a SAFE and CONTROLLED manner.** The student should be familiar with their weapon systems and equipment and possess the basic knowledge to be able to disassemble their firearm for cleaning, maintenance, and problem solving. The student will learn the four weapon safety rules and abide by the rules at all times. We cannot afford an unsafe student in any class. Safety violations are dealt with swiftly.

**Equipment List: Each student needs to bring:**

- Wrap around eye protection
- Hearing protection (bring multiple sets of foam hearing protection)
- Body armor/tactical vest
- Flashlight: weapon mounted and/or handheld with lots of spare batteries
- Duty pistol, 3 magazines and holster – Live Ammunition: 450 Rounds
- A zero'ed rifle or shoulder fired weapon, 3 magazines – Live Ammunition: 450 Rounds
- Groin protection (Small towel or athletic cup) to protect your groin area
- Long sleeve T-shirts or light weight jackets (No red clothing – Instructors wear red)
- Gloves to protect hands from non-lethal training ammunition
- Throat protection (Towel) and groin protection (small towel)
- Coolers with food, ice and drinks (we allow these items in the training area)
- Bring a Gas Mask: if you don't have one we can help with supplying you
- Non-lethal training weapon (Glock Simunition© or similar) – if you don't have one we will provide you with one

## Also: Each student needs to bring

- Two Hundred (200) 9mm rounds = “Force on Force” or Simunition© FX Marking Cartridges ® or other Non-lethal training ammunition that fits Glock 17 Simunition© FX Marking handgun
- Twenty (20) 5.56 rounds = “Force on Force” 5.56 rounds. These can be ordered from Gulf State Distributors in Montgomery, AL
  - If you cannot provide rounds please contact me personally (256.525.9808).
  - I have the 5.56 non-lethal rounds; agencies can be invoiced for \$15.00 per 20 rounds.

NOTE: This course uses non-lethal training ammunition during force on force training. Students must bring items that cover all exposed skin during training. Bring something to cover your neck, arms, hands and pad the groin area.

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- ✓ We can provide the Non-Lethal Training Weapon (SIM Guns) and drop in bolts if you don't have one
  - ✓ We provide the approved non-lethal training safety helmet and throat protector
  - ✓ We provide noise flash diversion devices (NFDD's)
  - ✓ We provide OC Clear-out gas

**Credit cards** are accepted over the phone: Contact 256-525.9808 and advise which course you are attending, date of the class and the amount to be charged. **NOTE: A 3.5 percent fee will be added to all credit card payments.**

Failure to provide payment prior to the course will result in a non-registered status and you will be told to leave.

**No shows** (Failure to notify of a cancellation): Students that register and fail to “un-register” by contacting us will be invoiced the full amount of tuition.

**Additional Contact Information:** POC: Dave Partner at 256.525.9808, or Email ARM\_Group\_LLC@yahoo.com or www.arm-group-llc.com.

**Minimum # Students:** 15

**Maximum of Students:** 40

We must have your registration form to guarantee your seat in the course. Registration deadline is 48 hours prior to course date. If for some reason you are unable to attend the course and we are not informed of your cancellation by fax, e mail, or letter, you will still be invoiced the full tuition fee. There will be no refunds for cancellations after the registration deadline.

**ATTN: David Partner**

65 Oak Hill Drive  
Piedmont, AL 36272

ARM Group will provide W9, DHS E- Verify and other information when requested.

We reserve the right to discharge students for any reason including medical, safety reasons or failure to comply. Once the class begins, no refunds will be provided.

