

FORENSIC SCIENCE TECHNICIAN (CERTIFICATE)

Public Service

Program website (<https://www.harpercollege.edu/academics/public-service/forensic-science/forensic-science-technician-certificate.php>)

Program Overview

This 17 credit-hour certificate program will provide advanced instruction to the person with select degrees or experience in public safety who wants specialized training. The program focuses on the proper techniques of identifying, collecting, and packaging physical evidence associated with crime scenes and understanding the importance of proper evidence handling. A forensic science technician is responsible for processing evidence at crime scenes, and identifying, collecting, and preserving physical evidence to support law enforcement activities.

Program Requirements

A grade of C or better in all LEJ courses is required for all students.

Code	Title	Hours
Required		
LEJ 101	Introduction to Criminal Justice	3
LEJ 116	Forensics I	3
LEJ 217	Forensics II	4
LEJ 218	Forensics III	4
LEJ 295	Forensics IV	3
Total Hours		17

Gainful Employment

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