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# Public Safety 8-Month Certificate

Looking to make a difference in your community? Prepare for rewarding careers in law enforcement, security, corrections, and more, opening doors to a variety of entry-level roles.

#### PROGRAM LEARNING OUTCOMES

- Work in compliance with established standards and relevant legislation in the protection, security and investigation fields.
- Make decisions in a timely, effective and legally defensible manner relating to safety and security.
- Carry out delegated duties and responsibilities in compliance with organizational policies and procedures.
- Act equitably and justly with diverse populations.
- Work effectively as a member of a team.

- Prevent and resolve crisis, conflict and emergency situations by applying effective techniques.
- Conduct and/or contribute to investigations by collecting, preserving and presenting admissible evidence.
- Observe, evaluate and accurately document behaviours, situations and events.
- Develop and implement ongoing effective strategies for personal and professional development.

## A CAREER IN THIS FIELD IS A GOOD FIT FOR YOU IF YOU WOULD ENJOY OR HAVE...

- A range of desirable personal and professional qualities for public safety, including integrity, empathy, strong communication skills, a high level of physical fitness, problem-solving skills, attention to detail, patience, and respect for diversity.
- Commitment to public service and a strong sense of responsibility to community.
- Interest in understanding the justice system and how it works.
- Keen interest in a career in public safety.





Available Intakes September | January



### EXPECTATIONS

#### **Program and Industry**

- Be able to communicate effectively with people from all backgrounds, including those who may be in distress or under duress.
- Be able to think critically and solve problems quickly and effectively, often under high-pressure situations.
- Be willing to put themselves in harm's way to protect the public and uphold the law.
- Be honest, ethical, and trustworthy in all their actions and interactions.
- Be in good physical condition to perform their duties safely and effectively.
- Be patient and able to remain calm and composed in difficult situations.
- Be respectful of diversity and able to work effectively with people from different cultures, backgrounds, and lifestyles and demonstrate compassion and empathy in their interactions with individuals.
- Pay close attention to detail to ensure that they are following proper procedures and gathering accurate information.

### CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Municipal, Regional, Provincial or Indigenous Police Services
- Canada Border Services Agency
- Sheriff's Office
- Correctional Facilities
- Security Companies
- Theft Prevention

#### **ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

- A complete Manitoba Grade 12 or equivalent
- English 40G/40S or equivalent with a minimum mark of 70%
- Proof of current certification in emergency first aid, cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) Level C
- Current criminal record vulnerable sector check
- Current child abuse registry check
- Current adult abuse registry check
- Valid driver's license abstract
- Medical release

# Next Steps

Confidence in the career path you choose to embark on is key and selecting the right program for you is the first step. At Assiniboine, we offer an opportunity to explore and experience a program before applying. Choose to:

#### Spend a day with us

Our Spend a Day program runs from November to March for most programs. When you spend a day at Assiniboine, we partner you with a current student in the program of your choice so you have the opportunity to:

- Participate in classroom activities
- Experience college life
- Explore all of our helpful services for students
- Meet current college students and instructors
- Enjoy a free lunch on us!

#### Attend an online info session

Our free, live online information sessions give you the inside scoop on our college, the program you're interested in and life at Assiniboine. Register in advance and from the comfort of your own home, log in to learn what Assiniboine has to offer.



Ready to start? Apply Now!

