

Academy Training

It is the goal of the ACSO to provide the citizens of Ada County with ethical, physically and psychologically competent, well educated, professionally trained, peace officers who are sensitive to the need of the citizens we serve. The Ada County Sheriff's Office conducts its own POST-certified academies for both detention and patrol deputies. The detention academy is 12 weeks while the patrol academy is 18 weeks. Upon academy completion, the recruit is eligible for level I certification as a detention deputy or for a basic certification as a patrol deputy.

After the academy, all deputies must complete a field training program and satisfactorily complete a probationary period of at least six (6) months in order to be POST-certified.

ACSO academies are located at 7200 Barrister Drive, Boise, Idaho. For more information, please visit our website at <https://www.adasheriff.org/>.