

Criminal Justice Basic Abilities Test (CJBAT)

- You must take and pass the CJBAT before starting the application process for the Law Enforcement and Corrections Academies. All applicants must take the CJBAT, no exceptions.
- The CJBAT is a paper and pencil, multiple-choice test administered here at our facility on the first and third Wednesday of each month. However, this schedule is subject to change due to College closings or other unforeseen circumstances.
- The registration fee for the test is \$45 and you must register prior to the day of the test. WE DO NOT DO REGISTRATIONS ON THE SAME DAY AS THE TEST.
- The CJBAT commences at 1pm, but we ask that you be here at 12:30pm for check-in. You must bring your drivers license or other Florida ID at check-in.
- If you do not pass the CJBAT the first time, you can take the test 3 times in a 12-month period. If you receive a passing score, that score is valid for 4 years from the date you took the test.
- Once you have successfully completed the CJBAT test, you will need to make an appointment with our Selection Center Coordinator, Major (Ret) Burton Tew, who will get you started on the application process. Major Burton Tew is in the office on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday only. His direct telephone number is: (863) 669-2914.

Note

For information about the test, go to the Morris and McDaniel website:

www.morrisandmcdaniel.com

Morris and McDaniel is the vendor we use for the CJBAT. Search for the FDLE-approved CJBAT for the “Entry-Level Police Exam” OR “Entry-Level Corrections Exam”. At this website, you can obtain information about the test, download a study guide or find the telephone number to order a hard-copy of the study guide and access on-line practice tests. There is a fee for the study guide.