



City Exeter We Are Hiring Police Officer Trainee

As a Police Officer Trainee, you will: Attend and successfully complete a POST-certified basic police academy; Support sworn officers with routine law enforcement duties; Take reports for thefts, accidents, lost property, and other incidents; Assist with booking, fingerprinting, prisoner transport, and detention checks; Provide non-emergency public assistance at the counter and by phone; Help maintain departmental records, reports, and case documentation; Participate in crime prevention presentations and community programs; and Assist with investigations, traffic collisions, and crowd control efforts.

POSITION INFORMATION

Classification: Non-Sworn
Status: Full-Time, Non-Exempt
Union: CLOCEA
Monthly Salary: \$4,885 – \$5,938

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS

- Applicants must successfully complete:
- POST academy training within the City's required timeframe
 - Psychological evaluation for police suitability
 - Background investigation per California POST standards

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

- High School Diploma or GED (police science coursework desirable)
- Valid California Driver's License
- Ability to pass a comprehensive background investigation
- Sound judgment, and strong interpersonal skills

HOW TO APPLY

Apply online by **Friday, February 27, 2026:**
<https://cityofexeter.ca.gov/departments/administration/human-resources/apply-for-a-job/>