

# ***KERN REGIONAL LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING***

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## **STUDENT SPONOSRED BASIC ACADEMY MAY 2018**



The Kern Regional Training Center is excited to offer the POST entry Level Law Enforcement Test Battery (PELLET B). The written exam is the first phase of the examination process for law enforcement trainee candidates and measures reading and writing ability.

The Law enforcement trainee candidates will need to obtain a score of 42 or higher to apply for the student sponsored Basic Academy scheduled for **MAY 2018**

### **PELLET B EXAMINATION TESTING DATES**

Saturday, February 24, 2018 at 0900 AM

Monday, February 26, 2018 at 1800 PM

Wednesday, February 28, 2018 at 1800 PM

Saturday, March 17, 2018 at 1000 AM

Monday, March 19, 2018 at 1800 PM

Tuesday, March 20, 2018 at 1800 PM

Wednesday, March 21, 2018 at 1800 PM

Monday, March 26 at 1800 PM

Tuesday, March 27, 2018 at 1800 PM

Wednesday, March 28, 2018 at 1800 PM

To reserve a seat for testing email:

**[rtc@kernsheriff.org](mailto:rtc@kernsheriff.org)**

Please note in accordance with POST, the PELLET B can only be take once in a 30 day time period.

The PELLET B is multiple-choice, fill-in-the-blank written examination designed to measure reading and writing ability. Applicants are given 2 ½ hours to complete the PELLET B, which contains five sections:

**Spelling** (applicants select the correct spelling of a word from a list of options)

**Vocabulary** (applicants select the correct meaning of a word from a list of options)

**Clarity** (applicants select the correct meaning of a word from a list of options)

**Reading Comprehension** (applicants read a passage and answer questions about the passage's content)

**Cloze** (applicants use Contextual Clues to complete a passage that contains blanks/missing words)

Candidates can prepare for the PELLET B by reading the Preparation Guide for the POST Entry-Level Law Enforcement Test Battery and taking the practice test included at the end of the guide.

<http://lib.post.ca.gov/publications/poWrittenPracticeTest.pdf>