



**20 % off on September course
\$785 mark down to \$628**

K9 Tactical Sept 21-24

Duration: 3.5 days

Prerequisite: Open only to sworn law enforcement and Military Work Dog Handlers.

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Topics:

- Fundamentals of K9 Tactical Obedience
- Methods of Maintenance Training for Tactical Obedience and Control Work with the K9
- Tactical Approach and Movement with a Dog to Potentially High-Risk Situation
- Building and Room Entry Techniques
- Tactical Tracking
- "Shoot/Don't Shoot" and "Deploy the Dog/Don't Deploy the Dog" scenarios
- Tactical K9 Situation vs. SWAT Call Situation
- Shooting Techniques while Handling a Dog

Ammunition Requirements: 1000 rounds handgun ammunition.

Required Gear Firearms: Issued handgun, holster, and duty belt; 2 magazines minimum (3 recommended), ballistic vest, wrap-around eye protection, ear protection, clothing appropriate for climate and conditions and a water bottle or other hydration system.

Required Gear K-9: Leather leash, leather collar, correction collar, muzzle, 15' or 30' tracking lead, traffic lead (recommended), toy rewards (Kong/Towels), and any additional operational equipment utilized in the performance of your duties.

Method: Classroom and practical application. Training is based around the "hands-on" method. It is a challenging course that will test the handler's decision making ability.

Course Cost: \$785 tuition includes lunch and a certificate of completion. On site lodging and meals are through the Sales Department. Kennels are available at no charge but the student is responsible for all feeding and maintenance of the dog and cleaning of the kennel during the course and prior to departure. Contact U.S. Training Sales at 252-435-1748 for registration. **Dogs are not permitted in the Lodge.**

Note: Canine handling and shooting are a perishable skills which can result in liability claims against the Handler. It is incumbent upon the graduate to maintain and document a scheduled and structured canine handling and shooting proficiency maintenance training program.

