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## **Applications Available for Basic Law Enforcement Program**

Blue Ridge Community College is currently accepting applications for its Basic Law Enforcement Training (BLET) Program evening program beginning September 15 with completion in 7 months. Classes meet Monday through Friday from 6 to 11:15 p.m. with some Saturday classes required.

The program, now in its fourteenth year at Blue Ridge, teaches students the essential cognitive and physical skills required for entry-level employment as law enforcement officers with state, county, and municipal governments, as well as private enterprises in North Carolina

The demanding 742-hour program includes topics such as physical training, firearms, night field sessions, and patrol traffic techniques. Additionally, the curriculum is filled with practical exercises and extensive ethics training.

Applicants must be 20 years of age. Complete admission requirements, cost, and prerequisites for the BLET training program are listed on the Blue Ridge Web site at <http://tiny.ly/hfmQ>. Application packets and more information is available online or upon request by call (828) 694-1760 or e-mail [sherry@blueridge.edu](mailto:sherry@blueridge.edu).

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