

Civilian Outreach Corrections Academy



WHEN:

Every Thursday for 6 weeks beginning Thursday, February 3, 2022.

WHERE:

First Session:
Baxter Community Center
935 Baxter St. SE
Grand Rapids, MI 49506

Remaining Sessions:

703 Ball Ave NE
Grand Rapids, MI 49503

TIME:

6:30pm to 8:30pm

COST:

Free!



The Kent County Correctional Facility's Civilian Outreach Corrections Academy provides an excellent opportunity for residents who live and/or work in Kent County to become familiar with the day-to-day operations of the Correctional Facility, as well as gain a greater awareness of the daily responsibilities of staff members.

We strongly believe that a positive relationship between corrections staff and the community is essential to achieve our common goals. The Civilian Outreach Corrections Academy helps to build that relationship. The Civilian Outreach Corrections Academy is a 6-week program designed to provide a unique glimpse "behind our walls".

Classes are held for six weeks, on Thursday evenings, from 6:30pm to 8:30pm. Participants must be 18 years of age to participate, fully vaccinated (proof of vaccination status is required) and you will be required to wear a face mask. Seating is limited!

To sign up, or to learn more about this opportunity, please contact:

Sgt. Oswaldo Hernandez

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The Civilian Outreach Corrections Academy covers the following topics:

- *Welcome, Sheriff Michelle LaJoye-Young*
- *Correctional Facility Tour*
- *Initial Intake Procedures*
- *Inmate Classification Process*
- *Mental Health and Medical Services*
- *Inmate Services, Community Outreach*
- *Graduation*

