



Patrol Rifle Course

Equipment needed:

- Rifle and 300 rounds of practice ammo
- Handgun 50 rounds
(students can bring duty ammo to be choreographed)
- Rifle Slings are required
- Full Duty Kit/Extra Magazines
- Handgun with Kit/Extra Magazines
- Rain Gear/Cold Weather Clothes
- Ear and Eye Protection
- Tactical Range Clothing and Sturdy Boots/Shoes
- Two-day course - Price: \$150**

The Mississippi Law Enforcement Training Academy (MELOTA) will be conducting a two-day Basic Patrol Rifle Course. This course is designed to assist officers in learning their rifle system inside and out. On day one of this course the students will learn how to operate and manipulate the weapon system from sighting the gun to malfunction drills. The student will be instructed on how to safely carry their weapon system in a training/ civil environment. Maintenance of the weapon system will be taught. Instructors will provide an opportunity for each student to operate a variety of optics, Red Dots/ LPVO/ Scopes to determine what works best for their needs on the job. The student will receive instruction on moving and shooting with their weapon system by performing several Critical Task Evaluations (CTEs) to test their proficiency while focusing on combative shooting.

Day Two of the class will focus on operating on the long range from fifty (50) yards up to the three hundred (300) yard line. Students will dial in their weapon system and be shown how to find their "D.O.P.E." (Data on Previous Engagements). Students will be challenged to shoot from different platforms from a variety of distances. There will also be an obstacle course that will utilize the skills that have been taught throughout this course.

This course will be a non-stressful course designed to build the confidence of each student to utilize their rifle weapon system in a variety of environments.

A State Qualification Course will be given during this class for departments that need a current qualification score.

This is not an advanced sniper course but is for those who carry a patrol duty rifle and want to enhance their knowledge and skills.