

# Police and Sheriff's Patrol Officers

Police and Sheriff's Patrol Officers maintain order and protect life and property by enforcing local, tribal, State, or Federal laws and ordinances. Perform a combination of the following duties: patrol a specific area; direct traffic; issue traffic summons; investigate accidents; apprehend and arrest suspects, or serve legal processes of courts. Classroom training and on-the-job training are needed.

Employees in this field must have at least a high school diploma or GED. Individuals need attention to detail, teamwork, and the ability to handle difficult people and situations. Employees are expected to pass a physical and agility test and pass

Brazos Valley Mean Wage	an
\$49,566 (\$23.83/hr.)	extensive

Statewide Mean Wage
\$51,300 (\$24.66/hr.)

background check.

