



BSC-5 Basic SWAT 5 Day

This course is designed for those assigned to a tactical team and have not yet received formal SWAT training. This course teaches the basic swat skills and participants should be in excellent physical condition and proficient with both primary / secondary weapons.

This course will teach the skills needed to perform as an Operator on a SWAT/SRT team. Tactical firearms training, Dynamic/Stealth entries, breaching, Hostage Rescue / Stronghold / Barricaded Suspect training, use of NFDs (noise-flash-devices or flash-bangs) and much more will be covered in this fast-paced, yet effective training program.

One of the favorite sections of this course is the Team Building Module, which tests the physical abilities of the individual officer, but, more importantly, it forces officers to work together as a team. Developing a team concept is an absolute necessity for all tactical team members.

The highlight of this the final exercise which brings all the concepts and skills together, requiring the students to conduct a real-world exercise under actual conditions at night as well as daylight. Following this, debriefings, critiques and certificates of completion are issued.

Course Length:	5 Days (60 hours)
Gear List:	See below
Pre-requisites:	SCG Staff Approval
Clearances Required:	Sworn LE, Military
Class Size:	18 max (6 minimum)

Course Highlights

- History of SWAT/Tactical Operations
- Equipment Considerations
- Extensive Tactical Firearms Techniques (Pistol/SMG-Carbine)
- Live-Fire Exercises
- Dynamic Entries
- Stealth Entries
- Officer Down Drills
- Mechanical Breaching Techniques
- Shotgun Breaching
- Ballistic Shield Tactics
- Stairwells
- Basic Hostage Rescue Tactics
- Intelligence Gathering
- Utilizing Operational Orders (Documentation)
- Communication Issues
- Night Operations
- Sniper Initiated Assaults



Required Equipment

- Good quality handgun / carbine / sub-gun / shotgun / Long Rifle
- 4 magazines per weapon and 1000 rounds per weapon
- Shotgun ammo: 25 Breaching rounds per breacher and 100 Rounds 00 Buckshot per breacher
- Appropriate web gear, holster and weapons slings
- Eye protection (clear lens for night work)
- Ear protection
- Rain gear and or cold weather gear
- PT gear
- Body armor
- Small tactical flashlight
- tactical weapons lights if permitted by agency
- folding knife
- Radios (if unit bring your issued)
- We recommend students train with the gear they are expected / required to use.
 - Shields
 - Gas Masks
 - Other protective gear
 - Breaching “kit”
 - Sniper “kit”