The City of Pasadena is an equal opportunity employer, dedicated to acquiring the highest qualified candidates for employment, regardless of gender, race, or ethnicity.

The Pasadena Police Department is looking for candidates who are committed to serving the community with professionalism and caring while embracing the values of Excellence, Innovation, and Integrity.

For more information regarding current Job Opportunities, please go to the City of Pasadena website at:

http://agency.governmentjobs.com/pasadena/default.cfm

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OFFICER TESTING
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WRITTEN TESTING
All applicants must successfully pass a written examination. The examination is a multiple choice test of approximately 100 questions, testing applicants in the areas of language skills and situational reasoning. The examination takes approximately 2 hours to complete.

PHYSICAL AGILITY TESTING
The Physical Agility examination is a five part test. Failure to complete any portion of the test will result in disqualification. All applicants must score an overall minimum of 425 points to pass.

POLICE OFFICER MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

EDUCATION: High School graduate or General Education Development certificate.

AGE: 21 at the time of appointment.

VISION: Must be 20/100 correctable to 20/30 and free from color blindness.

HEIGHT/WEIGHT: Must be in good proportion.

CITIZENSHIP: Must be a citizen of the United States within 3 years of appointment or a permanent resident alien.

ASSIGNMENT OPPORTUNITIES
Air Support
Crisis Negotiation Team
Community Services
Detectives
Vice/Narcotics
Fugitive Apprehension
K-9
Motorcycle
School Safety Officer
Special Enforcement Unit
SWAT

PHYSICAL AGILITY TESTS
• 6 Foot High Solid Wall Plus 30 Yard Run for Time
• 6 Foot High Chain Link Fence Plus 30 Yard Run for Time
• 165 Pound Body Drag 32 feet
• 99 Yard Obstacle Course
• 500 Yard Run