



Bryan S. Coyle
Corporal / Program Director
Philadelphia Police Explorer Cadet Program

He was raised in Philadelphia, and appointed to the Philadelphia Police Academy on February 24, 1992.

Before entering the Police Academy he was member of the Philadelphia Police Explorer Program while attending high school and in college. He attended training and competitive conferences in different states. He has thirty (30) years of experience involved with young adults interested in becoming law enforcement officers.

After graduating from the Police Academy Corporal Coyle was assigned to the Tactical Response Team, (T.R.T.) for the summer months were he patrolled high crime areas and worked major events that occurred in the city. He was then transferred to the 35th Police District where he served the community in patrol and started another Police Explorer Program and at the same time managed one at the police academy. On December 1996 he was transferred to the Philadelphia Highway Patrol Unit where he patrolled the interstate expressways, high crime areas, and worked major events in Philadelphia. During his time in the unit he received various amount of training which included motorcycle and dignitary escort training, Commercial Truck Enforcement, Hazardous Material training, Drug Interdiction, Criminal Intelligence, D.U.I. Field Sobriety and Checkpoint training, and various Street and Organized Gang training. In 2006 he was transferred to the Traffic Unit were they consumed the responsibility of traffic safety of motor vehicles on Philadelphia roadways. In 2007 he was promoted to corporal and was transferred to the 15th Police District. He was then transferred to the Police Departments Training Bureau where he was assigned to teach the recruits and to work on expanding the Police Explorer Cadet Program. In 2008 Police Commissioner Charles Ramsey had transferred Corporal Coyle into the Community Relations Unit to solely work on the expansion of the Police Explorer Cadet Program.

The program is now one of the largest single Law Enforcement Explorer Post in the country and offers intensive training for young adults who are pursuing a career in law enforcement. The program offers training from federal, state, and local agencies. Completion of the training and community service work will provide three civil service points for the cadets. Those civil service points can be applied only to the Philadelphia Police Department entrance application to start the process in getting hired by the department as a police recruit at the age of nineteen.

“We must build the bridge between the community’s youth and the Philadelphia Police Department with understanding, trust, and friendship for they are our future”. - *B. Coyle*

External Training Corporal Coyle has attended courses and training seminars on various law enforcement topics given by below organizations, agencies and colleges.

N.J. Auxiliary Police Officers Assoc, Traffic Institute for Police Services, Reading Area Community College, MAGLOCLEN, U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration (D.E.A) /E.P.I.C., Nationwide Training Seminars, Gloucester County Police Academy, Federal Bureau of Investigation (F.B.I.), Bucks County Police Training Center/Bucks County Community College, National Fire Academy (Philadelphia Fire Dept.), Pennsylvania Homicide Investigators, National Insurance Crime Bureau, Montgomery County Fire Academy, Pennsylvania D.O.T. & University of Missouri, U.S. Department of Transportation, Pennsylvania State Police Commercial Vehicle, Philadelphia Fire Department, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, FTAC & CST, Caliber Press Inc., Northwest, Trenton N.J. Police Academy, Emergency Management Institute, Defense Technology, Laser Shot Inc., U.S. Department of Justice, Community College of Philadelphia (Criminal Justice), Mountain State University (Organizational Leadership), Penn State University (Justice & safety Institute), National Center for Missing & Exploited Children, U.S. Department of Homeland Security, U.S. Secret Service and U.S. Department of Education.

Awards and Commendations Corporal Coyle has received several police merit commendations for his performance of his duties, plus below awards and citations from various organizations.

- Fraternal Order of Police, Outstanding Performance Award, July of 1995
- The Philadelphia Commission on Human Relations, 1998 Community Service Award, October 16, 1998
- Learning for Life Post Award, Appreciation of Service, June, 1999
- City of Burlington Police Department, NJ Appreciation of Service, November 1, 1999
- Police Explorer Parents Committee, Appreciation of Service, October 7, 1999
- Philadelphia Daily News, Cop of the Week, April 3, 2000
- Learning for Life, William H. Spurgeon, III Award, 2000
- Executive Fellowship Board, Appreciation of Service, September 15, 2001
- The Pennsylvania Shield & Square Club (Masons), The Regional Law Enforcement Officer of the Year Award, June 28, 2004
- Boy Scouts Of America, Silver Beaver Award, February 8, 2007
- Fraternal Order of Police, Outstanding Performance Award, May 3, 2007
- ASIS International, Recognition of Your Meritorious Service to the Greater Philadelphia Region March 16, 2010
- Citizens Crime Commission, Award of Merit ,May 20, 2010

- American Police Hall of Fame, Honor Award for Public Service, presented by Enon Tabernacle Baptist Church, Reverend Dr. Alyn E. Waller, May 20, 2011
- U.S. House of Representatives, Proclamation awarded by Congressman Chaka Fattah, May 20, 2011
- U.S. Senate of Congratulations letter, Senator Robert Casey Jr., May 12, 2011
- City of Philadelphia Citation, Mayor Michael Nutter, May 20, 2011
- City Council, City of Philadelphia Citation, President Anna Verna and Council Marian B. Tasco, May 2011
- Philadelphia Police Department, 20 Years Service Award, February 24, 2012