

# STUDY PLAN FOR STATE POLICE SERGEANTS

## 68 days to promotion!

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### Important information. Read carefully!

- You have probably already been studying hard but, just in case, this chart assumes that a candidate has not studied anything! So all sources of exam questions are included in these 68 final days!
- The times presented for completion of the tasks are estimated, so are the number of practice questions relevant to each subject. *(So don't read anything into it if a task says 3 hours, but it takes you 2 or 4 hours. Or it says 300 questions and it's actually 230 or 325 questions!)*
- This chart assumes — for maximum study efficiency and effectiveness — that you have (or will get when it's available) all the LED audio classes; the LED law Q books on criminal procedure, law, and motor vehicle; the LED state police sergeant Q book; and an up-to-date copy of the State Police policy and procedure manual and EES manual.
- You are basically performing three study actions — (1) listening to audio lectures and studying the accompanying manual or text; (2) performing practice questions and then looking up the answers of the ones you got wrong; or (3) reading in your policy manual.

Week	Dates	Preparation
1	Jan. 31 – February 6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Assignment</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Listen to The Leadership Challenge 6<sup>th</sup> ed. 6 hours.</li> <li>✓ Listen to Chapters 1-6 of Criminal Procedure. 5 hours.</li> <li>✓ Perform 500 questions in the Motor Vehicle Q Book. 4 hours.</li> <li>✓ <i>If you have time:</i> Read these selected policies in your Policy Manual ADM 07, 11, 11A, 11B, 11C, 14, 15, 18* (an asterisk is for a critical policy), 25, 34A, 35*, 46, 47*, 49. DET 02, 03, 06*, 07*, 08. 2.5 hours. This is <i>really</i> boring but important, so read 3 policies per day.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
2	February 7 – 13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Assignment</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Listen to Chapters 7-12 of Criminal Procedure. 5 hours.</li> <li>✓ Listen to Chapters 1-9 of Motor Vehicle Law. 4 hours.</li> <li>✓ Perform remaining 500 questions in Motor Vehicle Q Book . 4 hours.</li> <li>✓ Perform 300 questions in Criminal Procedure Q Book on Chapters 1-6. 3 hours.</li> <li>✓ <i>If you have time:</i> Read in your Policy Manual GEN 01, 01A, 08. INV 02, 05, 10, 11*, 14, 15, 17, 19*. SOC 04, 04A*, 05, 07B*. 2.5 hours. Remember, 3 policies per day!</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
3	February 14 – 20	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Question manual to order at <a href="http://www.ledimensions.com">www.ledimensions.com</a></b> <b><a href="#">Sergeant Salute Q Book!</a></b> Complete coverage with questions on the revised Policy &amp; Procedure, Rules &amp; Regulations, CBA, EES, and The Leadership Challenge 6<sup>th</sup> ed. Over 1,600 questions!</li> </ul>

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February  
14 – 20

- **Assignment**
  - ✓ Listen to Chapters 10-25 of Motor Vehicle Law. 5 hours.
  - ✓ Listen to EES, CBA, and Rules & Regulations. 4 hours.
  - ✓ Perform 300 questions in Criminal Procedure Q on Chapters 7-12. 3 hours.
  - ✓ *If you have time:* Read in your Policy Manual SUP 03, 12. TOP 01, 13. TRF 04\*, 04A, 10\*, 11, 20\*. [No TRN deliberately] UOF 01\*, 02, 06\*. 2.5 hours. Only 2 policies per day.

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February  
21 – 27

- **Final Audio Class on Policy & Procedure! Download at [www.audios.ledimensions.com](http://www.audios.ledimensions.com)**
- **Assignment**
  - ✓ Listen to Chapters 1-8 in Criminal Law. 4 hours.
  - ✓ Listen to Chapters 13-17 in Criminal Procedure. 7 hours.
  - ✓ Perform 160 practice questions on Leadership Challenge 6<sup>th</sup> ed. from your Sergeant Q (SQ). 3 hours. *Really check your knowledge on this rank-making book!*
  - ✓ Perform 300 practice questions on CBA, EES, and R&R from your SQ. 4 hours. *Tough week of work! How bad do you want it? [I can't hear you . . . !]*

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Feb. 28 –  
March 6

- **Assignment**
  - ✓ Listen to Chapters 9-16 in Criminal Law. 4 hours.
  - ✓ Listen to Chapters 18-25 in Criminal Procedure. 7 hours.
  - ✓ Perform 300 practice questions in Criminal Procedure Q on Chapters 13-17. 3 hours.
  - ✓ Perform 300 practice questions in Criminal Law Q Book on Chapters 1-8. 3 hours. *Not as challenging a week. If you have time, catch up . . . or maybe go back over EES, CBA, and R&R for maximum confidence!*

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March  
7 – 13

- **Assignment**
  - ✓ Listen to Chapters 17-21 in Criminal Law. 6 hours.
  - ✓ Listen to ADM audio class. 4.5 hours *of spine-tingling adventure! Never do more than 1 hour of policy listening per day. It's a violation of the 8<sup>th</sup> Amendment!*
  - ✓ Perform 300 practice questions in Criminal Procedure Q on Chapters 18-25. 3 hours.
  - ✓ Perform 300 practice questions in Criminal Law Q on Chapters 9-16. 3 hours.

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March  
14 – 20

- **Assignment**
  - ✓ Listen to Chapters 22-35 in Criminal Law. 6 hours.
  - ✓ Listen to GEN and DET audio classes. 2 hours *of massive entertainment! Remember the 1 hour rule!*
  - ✓ Perform 300 practice questions in Criminal Law Q on Chapters 17-21. 3 hours.
  - ✓ Perform 300 ADM practice questions from your SQ. 4 hours.

8	March 21 – 27	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Assignment</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Listen to INV, SOC, SUP, and TOP audio classes. 4.5 hours of <i>classic drama and comedy!</i></li> <li>✓ Perform 300 practice questions in Criminal Law Q on Chapters 22-35. 3 hours.</li> <li>✓ Perform final 200 ADM practice questions from your SQ. 3 hours.</li> <li>✓ Perform 180 DET and GEN practice questions from your SQ. 3 hours. <i>Not as challenging a week. If you have time, catch up . . . or maybe go back over your Leadership Challenge chart and practice questions!</i></li> </ul> </li> </ul>
9	March 28 – <u>April 2</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Assignment</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Listen to TRF, TRN, and UOF audio classes. 5 hours of <i>unparalleled excitement! Are still abiding by the 1 hour rule?</i></li> <li>✓ Perform 600 INV, SOC, SUP, TOP, TRF, TRN, and UOF practice questions from your SQ. 6 hours. <i>Again, don't blow out. Do an hour a day of practice questions! Look up the ones you miss. This is great preparation! Again, deliberately not as challenging a week, but power on and go over anything that's still a challenge for you!</i></li> </ul> </li> </ul>
10	April 4 – 9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Assignment</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Freestyle! <i>Where do you need the focus — Leadership Challenge; State Police Policy; and/or Criminal Procedure, Law, or MV? Do you go audio; read your underlining in the text; and/or go over the practice questions you got wrong? Try to study between 10 and 15 hours. No more than 15. Clear your head.</i></li> <li>✓ <u>Absolutely</u> no studying at all on April 8. You are ready . . .</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>GAME DAY! April 9, 2022 at the State Police Academy.</b></li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><i>Luck is the residue of desire and preparation . . .</i></b></p>