2019 Schedule of Courses

Front Sight Offers You the World’s Premier Facility and the Finest Instructional Staff in the Industry for Self Defense Training and Recreation!

Front Sight’s 23 Year Anniversary!

Spend an exciting weekend at Front Sight and leave with the skills to safely protect yourself and your family.

Firearms, Edged Weapons, and Empty Hand Defense courses taught by personable, real-world instructors who will dramatically elevate your skills and bring out the best in you… Guaranteed!

All courses open to private citizens and law enforcement alike.

Las Vegas, Nevada   1.800.987.7719   www.frontsight.com
P.S. I started Front Sight in April of 1996, on leased facilities near Bakersfield, California, with ten students in a two day defensive handgun course. We now train more students each year than all the other shooting schools in the US combined while we develop the world’s greatest facilities on 550 acres near Las Vegas, Nevada and expand the finest instructional staff in ANY industry. Our growth to date is a result of great word-of-mouth referrals and performing without fail in the face an unending supply of obstacles and challenges—many of which would have killed a lesser organization—only to become bigger, stronger, and better in our ability to serve your needs with each passing year.

Our “Sense of Duty to Serve” and “Exchange in Abundance” business philosophies that rapidly drove us to the top of the firearms training industry and created an environment where all students receive much more than they expect remains the cornerstone of the Front Sight organization.

Whether you choose to start with firearms training; martial arts; rope, rappel, and climb; defensive driving; executive protection; youth achievement; or family safe forever courses you will learn more, learn faster, have more fun, and receive the greatest value at Front Sight Firearms Training Institute. You will return again and again while referring all your family and friends so they too can enjoy what our students fondly refer to as “The Front Sight Experience.”
To become part of Front Sight’s elite instructional staff, an instructor must first successfully complete our four day, Instructor Development Program to the exacting and professional standards set by Front Sight’s Founder and Director, Dr. Ignatius Piazza, and supervised by our cadre of certified Range Masters. This is not an easy task. The criteria for graduation from Front Sight’s Instructor Development Course are so far above the industry standard, that fewer than one out of ten participants make the grade in their first attempt. Even seasoned law enforcement and military instructors are humbled, yet grateful for the experience to learn what it takes to be part of the greatest instructional staff ever assembled in any industry.

Those instructor candidates who do not make the cut the first time around, but demonstrate professional level teaching skills; a customer service attitude; and a willingness to study and practice their instructional skills to the levels required to become a Front Sight Instructor are invited to return to the four day Instructor Development Course and repeat it until they are certified to wear the Front Sight Instructor uniform.

Even after successfully completing the Instructor Development Course the training continues through daily "Ongoing Instructor Development" blocks of instruction to fine tune and polish our instructor’s teaching and communication skills. These intensive blocks of instruction and correction guarantee the highest degree of consistency, efficiency, and ability in Front Sight’s entire instructional staff.

What does all this mean for you—our student? It means that when you arrive at Front Sight you and your entire family will be treated with the utmost respect — in a friendly, supportive, and caring manner — by the absolute best trained, most consistent, and most effective instructional staff in the industry. I guarantee it, because I am Front Sight’s Operations Manager and Director of Instructor Development.

Sincerely,

Brad Ackman

For years I have taught classes to Law Enforcement Officers and CCW Permit Holders here in Northern California. The Instructor Development Course put on by Front Sight was one of the most enjoyable weekends I’ve ever had on ANY range. The Instructors were first class and the fellow students attending the course were some of the nicest folks I have ever met. The course format opened my eyes to a variety of instruction techniques and how Front Sight operates. The experience helped me fine tune my lecturing ability and has enhanced my supervision skills while on the range. I’m going back as soon as I can.

Michael A. Pascoe
Deputy Sheriff/Firearms Instructor

I was in the Marine Corps for over 20 years, serving in infantry units or at formal schools, and I was also a Primary Marksman Instructor and that experience did not prepare me for what I learned at Front Sight’s Instructor Development course. After attending the Instructor Development course, I knew that I truly did not know that I did not know. I came on board as a Line Coach in the Submachine Gun program and tried to learn everything about Front Sight’s curriculum. I attended Ongoing Instructor Development training to improve my skills and was promoted to Instructor. I am now proud to say that I Range Master the Rifle and M-16 courses and I would not have achieved this status without having attended any of the Instructor Development courses.

Scott Hoerner
Front Sight Range Master

I am a full time police officer and a member of our SWAT team. I am also proud to be an instructor at Front Sight. Front Sight has developed, and continues to improve on, an Instructor Development curriculum that by far exceeds what police firearms instructors receive. Front Sight is absolutely, positively leading the firearms training industry!

Chuck Rylant
Police Officer

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Two-Day Empty Hand Defense

There are many places where you cannot legally carry a weapon of any kind (such as an airplane) but you always have your body. However, you need quality training to effectively use any weapon.

Front Sight's Empty Hand Defense course is perfect for the novice and experienced fighter alike because our reality-based techniques quickly build and polish your skills. This system has proven very successful in stopping fights, is easy to learn, and is enjoyable to practice. You will learn how to defend yourself against single and multiple attackers, both armed and unarmed.

Lectures include: Color Code of Mental Awareness; How to Avoid a Potential Fight; and Justifiable Use of Force

Hands-on exercises include: Choosing a Knife; Verbal Challenges; Evasive Movement; Tactically Deploying Your Knife; Striking and Alternative Knife Techniques; Defenses Against Threats and Attacks from an Armed Assailant; Long Range Knife Techniques; and Scenario-Based Training

Equipment Required: Comfortable, loose-fitting clothing and athletic shoes. Front Sight provides all other equipment needed for this course.

Cost: $1000
Minimum age: 13 years old

Two-Day Edged Weapons

There are many places where you cannot legally carry a handgun but you can carry a knife. A knife can be a tremendously effective fight-stopper in properly trained hands. This two-day intensive course will teach you how to properly use your folding knife to defend yourself or a loved one. You will learn how to defend against multiple attackers, both armed and unarmed.

Lectures include: Color Code of Mental Awareness; How to Avoid a Potential Fight; and Justifiable Use of Force

Hands-on exercises include: Choosing a Knife; Verbal Challenges; Evasive Movement; Tactically Deploying Your Knife; Striking and Alternative Knife Techniques; Defenses Against Threats and Attacks from an Armed Assailant; Long Range Knife Techniques; and Scenario-Based Training

Equipment Required: Comfortable, loose-fitting clothing and athletic shoes. Front Sight provides all other equipment needed for this course.

Cost: $1000
Minimum age: 16 years old

Four-Day Defensive Handgun

This fast paced and exciting course is for law enforcement officers, military personnel and private citizens who want a complete understanding of the defensive handgun and a skill level that surpasses 95% of those who carry a gun for a living.

Regardless of your experience prior to entering this course, upon completion, your gun handling, marksman ship, and tactical skills will be better than they have ever been and you will be able to safely and easily draw your weapon from a CONCEALED holster and fire two, sighted shots to the center of a target 5 yards away—all under 1.5 seconds! That’s right, from a concealed holster in 1.5 seconds!

You will understand the principles of tactics and have the opportunity to use your acquired skills under the stress of simulated, lethal encounters. This course is a must for anyone who chooses to own or carry a handgun for self-defense.

Lecture Topics and Firing Range Drills:
Emphasis on Tactical Training Simulation using Reactive Steel Targets and Shoot/No Shoot Targets in a variety of scenarios.

300 rounds of birdshot, 250 rounds of 00 buckshot, 75 rounds of slug ammunition required.

Cost: $2000
Two Day course is $1000.
See www.frontsight.com for more information.

Four-Day Tactical Shotgun

This is a comprehensive course in the tactical use of the shotgun that will give law enforcement officers, military personnel and private citizens an undisputed certainty in their ability to operate a shotgun with authority. Upon completion of the course, you will have the ability to rapidly and decisively engage targets out to 25 yards and you will know your weapon and ammunition well enough to deliver buckshot to end a hostage scenario! Select slugs drills will extend the range of your control out to 100 yards. This course is a must for anyone who chooses to own or use a shotgun for defense or duty.

Lecture Topics and Firing Range Drills:
Emphasis on Tactical Training Simulation using Reactive Steel Targets and Shoot/No Shoot Targets in a variety of scenarios.

600 rounds of ammunition required.

Cost: $2000
Two Day course is $1000.
See www.frontsight.com for more information.
Four-Day Practical Rifle

This is a comprehensive course in the practical use of the rifle that will leave law enforcement officers, military personnel and private citizens with the comforting ability to hit what they can see! Upon completion of the course, you will be able to score center, first-round hits on targets appropriate to your weapon, at unknown distances, from improvised positions, against the clock. With a rifle in your hand, you will be able to control your environment out to distances that you can identify targets. If you desire such ability, we await you.

Lectures Topics and Firing Range Drills:
Emphasis on Speed and Accuracy of Target Engagement out to 400 yards. Use of Reactive Steel Targets, in a variety of scenarios.

Course includes Field Position Shooting, Single Elimination Shoot-off, and Distinguished Graduate Skill Evaluation.

500 rounds of ammunition required.

Cost: $2000

Two-Day Handgun Skill Builder

Handgun Skill Builder is the follow-up course for students who have completed the Two-Day or Four-Day Defensive Handgun course. It is an intensified format that will continue to improve your shooting ability and heighten your skills to move comfortably into our Advanced Tactical Handgun courses.

An excellent course if you are looking to tune up your skills or work toward a Graduate or Distinguished Graduate certificate but don’t have the time to repeat the entire Four Day course.

The entire course is spent on the range, as this course has no lecture material or tactical simulators. Emphasis is placed on fine tuning your gun handling and greatly improving your speed and accuracy. You can expect to drastically reduce the time it takes to draw and fire a controlled pair of shots or single, precision shots. All training is done from a concealed holster under time pressure. A skills evaluation is performed at the end of the course for Graduate and Distinguished Graduate certification.

500 rounds of ammunition required.

Cost: $1000

Two-Day Advanced Tactical Handgun

This action-packed course is open only to Graduates of Front Sight’s Four-Day Defensive Handgun, Handgun Skill Builder or Handgun Combat Master Prep® courses.

If you understand the importance of keeping your weapon-craft skills sharp, this tactical pistol course is for you! It provides the advanced training needed to keep the law enforcement officer and private citizen highly tuned and ready to handle the most challenging armed encounter.

Range drills focus on Close-Contact Shooting; Moving and Shooting; Moving targets; Cover and Concealment; Shooting from Vehicles; Precision-Distance Shooting; Low Light and Night Shooting.

You will complete numerous live-fire tactical scenarios under the one-on-one supervision of a Front Sight instructor. Some of these simulators are run at night. The tactical scenarios change with each course date to keep you in top form with new and challenging scenarios to experience.

400 rounds of ammunition required.

Cost: $1000

Four-Day Handgun Combat Master Prep®

This course is open to all students who hold a Distinguished Graduate certificate from any of Front Sight’s handgun courses and desire to master the handgun. You will reach your highest levels of proficiency through this course as it begins on Day One with an Intermediate Handgun Skills Evaluation, and climbs from there.

Diagnostic dry practice, trigger control, and gun handling drills uncover any flaws in your weapon presentation. Repetitive shooting drills combined with “instructor pacing and modeling” rapidly build your speed, accuracy, and consistency from arm’s length out to 50 yards.

Each day ends with a Skills Evaluation of greater difficulty. Day Four culminates with the Handgun Combat Master Test. Certificates are awarded for the highest level you achieve during the course.

Handgun Combat Master certification is the prerequisite for Front Sight’s Four Weapons Combat Master® certification courses.

1000 rounds of ammunition required.

Cost: $2000

Two Day course is $1000.

See www.frontsight.com for more information.

Instructor “paces” practical rifle student to ensure the correct balance of speed and accuracy.

Student receives coaching on the proper gunhandling and marksmanship to guarantee slug hits with a shotgun out to 100 yards.
On the Most Advanced Reactive Targets…

Automated turning and moving targets that challenge your reaction time and improve your balance of speed and accuracy.

Our new facility is equipped exclusively with reactive targets from US Target Technology, Inc. This leader in the field of automated reactive targets has provided over $500,000.00 of their state-of-the-art reactive targets systems for Front Sight, Nevada. Only the best will do for Front Sight students.

For the Most Realistic Training...

Live-fire shooting houses with an endless variety of reactive targets to build your tactical skills.

"Any Gun Will Do-If You Will Do.”
Firearms Training

**Handgun Course Selection:**
- 1 Day Defensive Handgun
- 1 Day 30 State Concealed Weapon Permit
- 2 Day Defensive Handgun
- 2 Day Defensive Handgun (Night)
- 2 Day Handgun Skill Builder
- 2 Day Handgun Skill Builder (Night)
- 2 Day Advanced Tactical Handgun
- 2 Day Advanced Tactical Handgun (Night)
- 2 Day Tactical Scenarios
- 2 Day Tactical Scenarios (Night)
- 2 Day Handgun Combat Master Prep®
- 4 Day Defensive Handgun
- 4 Day Handgun Combat Master Prep®

**Shotgun Course Selection:**
- 1 Day Tactical Shotgun
- 2 Day Tactical Shotgun
- 2 Day Tactical Shotgun (Night)
- 2 Day Shotgun Skill Builder
- 2 Day Shotgun Skill Builder (Night)
- 2 Day Tactical Scenarios
- 2 Day Tactical Scenarios (Night)
- 4 Day Tactical Shotgun
- 4 Day Advanced Tactical Shotgun

**Rifle Course Selection:**
- 1 Day Practical Rifle
- 2 Day Practical Rifle
- 2 Day Practical Rifle (Night)
- 2 Day Rifle Skill Builder
- 2 Day Rifle Skill Builder (Night)
- 2 Day Tactical Scenarios
- 2 Day Tactical Scenarios (Night)
- 4 Day Practical Rifle
- 4 Day Precision Rifle 1
- 4 Day Precision Rifle 2
- 4 Day Advanced Practical Rifle

**Auto Weapons Course Selection:**
- 1 Day Uzi Submachine Gun
- 2 Day Uzi Submachine Gun
- 2 Day Uzi Submachine Gun (Night)
- 4 Day Uzi Submachine Gun
- 2 Day Select Fire M16
- 2 Day Select Fire M16 (Night)
- 4 Day Select Fire M16

**Four Weapon Courses:**
- 4 Day Four Weapon Tactical
- 4 Day Four Weapon Combat Master Prep®

**Armorer Course Selection:**
- 1 Day Armorer’s Course - 1911 Pistol
- 1 Day Armorer’s Course - Glock Pistol
- 1 Day Armorer’s Course - AR15 Rifle
- 1 Day Armorer’s Course - Springfield XD Pistol

Martial Arts Training

**Martial Arts Course Selection:**
- 2 Day Edged Weapons
- 2 Day Empty Hand Defense
- Advanced Martial Arts

**Instructor Development**

**Instructor Development Course Selection:**
- 4 Day Handgun Instructor Development
- 4 Day Shotgun Instructor Development
- 4 Day Rifle Instructor Development
- 4 Day Rope, Rappel, and Climb Instructor Development
- 4 Day Martial Arts Instructor Development
- 4 Day Children/Youth Safety Instructor Development

Corporate Team Building

(Contact Corporate Office for more info - 1.800.987.7719)

Private Training

(Contact Corporate Office for more info - 1.800.987.7719)

Celebrity Training

(Contact Corporate Office for more info - 1.800.987.7719)

Defensive Driving

(To be released)

Executive Protection

(To be released)

See www.FrontSight.com for Course Descriptions, Schedules, and Enrollment Application
How Good is Good Enough?

When it Comes to Your Life and The Lives of Your Loved Ones, ONLY THE BEST WILL DO!

“The Front Sight Defensive Handgun course was the best training experience I have ever had…I used to take for granted that I had the basic skills to defend myself…I now know so much more about the defensive use of firearms than I used to…the practical experience that I gained at Front Sight makes me much more confident.”

C. D. Michel, Attorney

“I’ve been a student of pistol and shotgun at several schools throughout the United States. Front Sight is, quite simply, the best in every way.”

Thomas Berger, Cardiac Surgeon

“The excellent instruction I received today exceeds all the weapons training I experienced in 24 years of active military service. I salute Dr. Piazza and the Front Sight staff.”

Lt. Colonel Charles S. McDonald, USAF

“As a police officer charged with training recruits, I recommend Front Sight to every police academy graduate and officer I work with—if they want to be trained by the best.”

Vince Bizzini, Police Officer

“I’ve been handling guns under the supervision of my father since I was ten years old. I learned more about gun handling, safety, and how to hit a target in just four days at Front Sight than I ever did in the last 15 years.”

Karen Lowham, Information Systems Specialist

“I cannot adequately express not only my thanks for a stellar weekend with Front Sight, but the experience itself. Barbara and I cannot stop speaking about the professionalism, courtesy, patience, and education, which we received at the tutelage of your staff last weekend; you are all true masters in your fields. The management and organization of Front Sight was of a textbook nature not frequently encountered in the business world. We cannot wait to return.”

Mark LoBello, Attorney

“I believe Front Sight is making a lot of dreams come true. The experience was awesome. It gave a whole new meaning to the word ‘gun.’ You are giving those of us who were previously against guns or knew nothing about guns a much better understanding of what they are all about. As a woman, I feel so much better, knowing that I have training on how to operate a gun to protect myself and my loved ones.”

Stephanie Bird, Homemaker

“I arrived at Front Sight with over 25 years of shooting experience. On day four of the rifle class, one of the students asked me how long I had been shooting. My response was, Properly—about four days!”

Fred Darling, Rangemaster, Indoor Shooting Range

“If you want to win a gun battle, take this course.”

Terry Miles, Detective

“There are three aspects of your organization that struck me as truly outstanding. The first is your extraordinary level of customer service. The second is your dedication to ensuring that your students always receive more than their money is worth. The third is the exceptional quality of your instruction. Your curriculum is excellent and the teaching techniques are extremely effective. Front Sight is the best run organization I have seen in a long time.”

Stuart Krone, Analyst

“The course I took at Front Sight accomplished as much in four days as the police academy did in several weeks. The training is intensified and fast, but the instructors help you and nobody gets left behind.”

John F. Moran, Military Officer

“The four day handgun course is excellent instruction with absolutely first-rate content. I was overwhelmingly impressed with the quality and depth of instructors. Front Sight is the best place to learn how to safely and responsibly handle a weapon.”

Rick Freeman, Corporate Banking Manager

“Front Sight’s training has prepared me for a 1st Place finish in a gun fight.”

Matt Stone, Police Sergeant

CONSIDER THIS: For about the same price as the last gun you purchased, you can have the world’s top firearms training institute teach you the secrets that will dramatically improve your safe gun handling, accuracy, speed and defensive tactics. What should this mean to you? It means the difference between winning or losing…being the victor or the victim…living or dying. It means everything to you and your loved ones.