

AUTO THEFT SCHOOLS

The Motor Vehicle Theft Service provides training for DPS personnel, as well as other local, state, and federal officers, in the area of vehicle theft investigation and other related topics. Training is provided through Basic and Specialized Auto Theft schools that are conducted throughout Texas. The objective of this training is to provide the latest identification techniques available to auto theft investigators, as well as to provide basic detection methods for patrol officers on the street. **These schools are funded by the Texas Automobile Burglary Theft Prevention Authority**

BASIC STOLEN VEHICLE RECOGNITION SCHOOL FOR PATROL OFFICERS

This training is conducted in the field.

Contact your area MVTS District Office to request training for this class.

Dallas (214) 861-2240

Houston (281) 517-1550

Corpus Christi (361) 698-5638

Midland (432) 498-2361

Austin (512) 997-4002

January 18 - 22, 2010

SPECIALIZED AUTO THEFT SCHOOL, PART 1

(This school was formerly named Advanced Auto Theft)

* The Auto Theft School is restricted to full-time Commissioned Law Enforcement Officers only *

April 26 - 30, 2010

The following curriculum is covered in the Training

Harley Davidson & Sport Bike ID

ATV ID

BIA Analysts / Auto Burglary

Acid Restoration (Lab)

Identity Theft

Counterfeit Documents

Ford / GM ID

Dodge / Chrysler ID

Salvage Yard Inspections

Clone Vehicles

Cargo Theft

Environmental Crimes

Light Trailer ID

Internet Resources for Auto Theft

Outlaw Motorcycle Gangs

March 1 - 3, 2010
TENTATIVE

SPECIALIZED AUTO THEFT SCHOOL, PART 2

* Pre-requisites to attend the Specialized Training Part 2 *

1) Currently working Auto Theft Investigations

2) Texas Peace Officers must have attended the Specialized Auto Theft School, Part 1

May 3 - 5, 2010
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The following curriculum is covered in the Training

Commercial Vehicle Identification

Heavy Equipment Identification

Marine Theft and Identification

(All areas include Field Training)

THE PART 2 DATES WILL NOT BE CONFIRMED UNTIL AFTER JANUARY 1

COMPLEX CRIMES INVESTIGATION SCHOOL

* Pre-requisites to attend the Complex Crimes Training *

1) Must be DPS MVTS Investigator or assigned to an ABTPA Task Force

2) Attended Specialized Auto Theft School Parts 1 and 2

The following curriculum will be covered in the Training

Intelligence Analysis

Gangs

Communication Exploitation

Surveillance Techniques

Forensics

Covert Operations

Financial Investigations

Legal Aspects

CI Development & Management

For specific training information concerning the above schools contact:

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