

# ROBERT JEFFERY CONTRERAS

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## EDUCATION

I graduated from Pharr-San Juan-Alamo High School in 1989. I attended Pan American University, and South West Texas State University and have 32 college hours. In 1992 I attended Texas Southmost College (Police Academy) and became certified in 1993.

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

PSJA ISD MEMORIAL EARLY COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL from 2009-present. I teach law enforcement classes for students that want to pursue a career in law enforcement. I teach Principles of Law, Public Safety, Corrections, & Security to the freshman class. I also teach a Security Academy to the seniors. These students get certified as Security Guard Level II (non commission), First Aid/CPR/AED (infant/child/adult), Handcuff Procedure, Weapon Retention, and OSHA certification. These seniors must also complete 75 hours of on the job training by assisting our Security at football games, soccer games, and all school events throughout the year.

Hidalgo County Sheriff's Office from 1998-2009. I was assigned to the patrol division. My duties were to protect and serve the rural areas for the county. I also had the opportunity to be a field training officer, hostage negotiations officer, and a community policing officer.

City of Hidalgo Police Department from 1996-1998. I was a patrol officer and a community policing officer. My duties were to protect and serve the citizens of the City of Hidalgo.

City of Alamo Police Department from 1993-1996. I was a patrol officer and later assigned to investigations. My duties were to protect and serve the citizens of the City of Alamo.

## ADDITIONAL SKILLS

Certified Teacher (TEA) from 2009 to present

Certified Police Officer (TECLOSE) 15 years of experience Master Certification

American Red Cross Instructor

