

# STUDENT CENTERED Learning in Basic Training

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## DESCRIPTION:

*Research conclusively shows that learning occurs far more predominantly in active student-centered environments than in passive instructor-centered environments. Unfortunately, most law enforcement training environments, particularly basic training, are extremely structured, instructor-centered environments. This topic explores how to practically apply active learning principles synchronously and asynchronously without sacrificing safety or the desired outcomes associated with highly structured basic training environments.*

## CONCEPTS:

- A. Active and passive learning environments.
- B. Student and instructor centered learning environments.
- C. Student and instructor roles.
- D. Intrinsic motivation.

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## INSTRUCTOR:

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I have been a full-time trainer at WLEA since March 2013 primarily specializing in defensive tactics, use of force, and search and seizure. I am currently responsible for all curriculum development and delivery. I am 5 years into a project to produce a vocationally premised, evidence-driven, learner-centered, outcome-based, concept-oriented training structure for all basic and advanced training at WLEA. I have been an avid student of the scientific concepts associated with learning and performing in a variable, unpredictable, and emotional environment since 2014.

## LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

1. Define and accurately distinguish between active and passive learning environments.
2. Define and accurately distinguish between student-centered and instructor centered learning environments.
3. Accurately interpret the meaning of the term "generation" in the context of law enforcement learning environments.
4. Recognize and correlate student and instructor roles in active learning environments.
5. Correlate moral authority and intrinsic motivation.

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