



# INSTRUCTOR NOTES AND SESSION PLAN

COURSE	Constable Development Program	VERSION	Version number 1.1
KLA	<b>KLA 11 – Patrol Core Duties</b>		
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INSTRUCTOR NOTES – PRE SESSION			
SESSION TITLE	<b>Weapons</b>		3 sessions
MAPPING LINKS	N/A		
RESOURCES REQ'D	Face to face, group work		
REFERENCES	Summary Offences Act 1953		

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## INSTRUCTOR NOTES – FOR DELIVERY

LEARNING OUTCOME	At the end of this session participants will be able to have an understanding offensive weapon, <small>Out of Scope</small>
ASSESSMENT CRITERIA	<p><small>Out of Scope</small></p> <p>7. Discuss the elements of 'possess prohibited weapons' 21F(1)SOA <small>Out of Scope</small></p>
DELIVERY	<p>RTT staff will conduct this lesson in a classroom or other environment to allow for a presentation by the Instructor, which includes group discussion via question and answer techniques throughout the lesson.</p> <p>This lesson has a large theoretical content, therefore it is important that the instructor applies engaging techniques to maintain involvement of the students in the discussion.</p> <p>A good understanding of the material is essential for the instructor.</p>
PRIOR LEARNING	<small>Out of Scope</small>
FUTURE LEARNING	<small>Out of Scope</small>

ASSESSMENT

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<p><b>ASSESSMENT CRITERIA 1</b> Discuss the elements of 'Carry Offensive Weapon' S21C(1) SOA</p>	
<p><b>Sec 21C SOA —Offensive weapons and dangerous articles etc</b></p> <p>(1) A person who, without lawful excuse;</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">(a) carries an offensive weapon or an article of disguise; or</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">(b) has possession of an implement of housebreaking,</p> <p>is guilty of an offence.</p>	<p><b>Carry Offensive Weapon S.21(C)SOA</b></p> <p>(1) A person who, without lawful excuse:</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(a) carries an <b>offensive weapon</b> or an <b>article of disguise</b>; or</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">(b) has possession of an <b>implement of housebreaking</b></p> <p>is guilty of an offence.</p> <p><b>LEGISLATION</b></p>
<p>a "<b>lawful excuse</b>" for carrying or possessing a weapon generally means having a legitimate reason that is recognised by law.</p> <p>Here are some examples of what might constitute a lawful excuse:</p>	<p><b>Carry Offensive Weapon S.21(C)SOA</b></p> <p><b>lawful excuse</b> for carrying or possessing a weapon generally means having a legitimate reason that is recognised by law.</p> <p><b>carries</b> a weapon or article if he or she has the weapon or article on or about his or her person or if it is under his or her immediate control</p> <p><b>offensive weapon</b> includes a rifle, gun, pistol, knife, club, bludgeon, truncheon or other offensive or lethal weapon or instrument</p> <p><b>LEGISLATION</b></p>

<p><b>Professional Use:</b> If you are a tradesperson, security guard, or someone whose job requires carrying a weapon, this can be considered a lawful excuse</p> <p><b>Sporting Activities:</b> Carrying weapons for legitimate sporting purposes, such as archery or fencing, is typically allowed</p> <p><b>Cultural or Religious Practices:</b> Certain cultural or religious practices may involve carrying specific items that could be classified as weapons</p> <p>It's important to note that the specifics can vary, and what is considered a lawful excuse can depend on the circumstances and the interpretation of the law by the court</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>SOA definition</b></p>	
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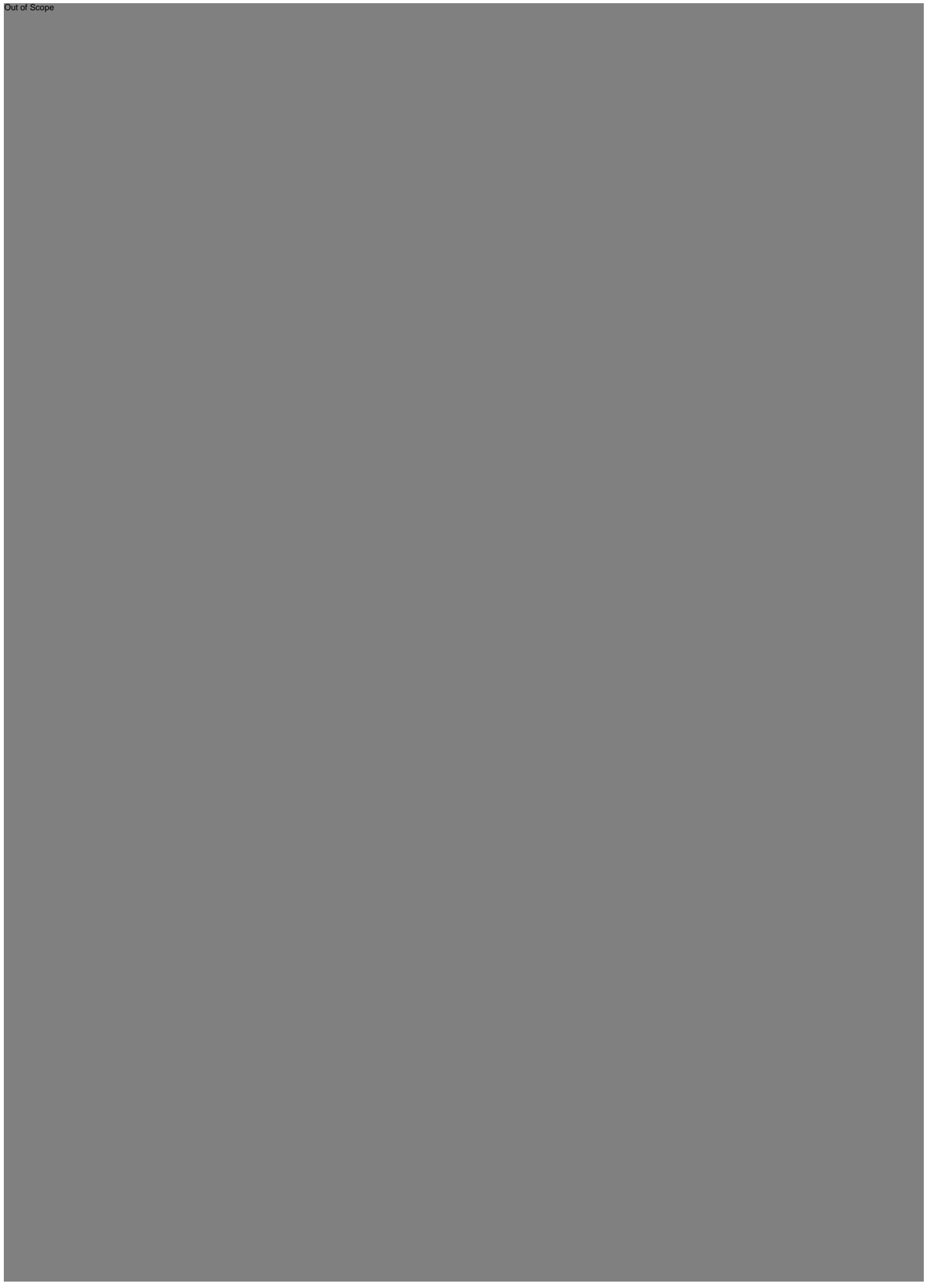
















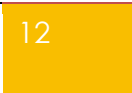
**ASSESSMENT CRITERIA 9**

List the exempt persons for offence of use or possession of a prohibited weapon under Schedule 2 – Exempt Persons – prohibited weapons SOA



**Religious purposes**

possession of a knife (other than a butterfly knife, flick knife, push knife or trench knife) or dagger if;



<p>(a) the person is a member of a religious group; and (b) the person possesses, wears or carries the knife or dagger for the purpose of complying with the requirements of that religion</p>	
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