

## Rules of the Cuyahoga Falls Police Department Training Center and Range

In order to ensure we are able to maintain the firearms range and keep it operational for in-house training, we have established the following rules for use of the range;

1. **Safety must always be the priority.** The course of fire is yours to set, but safety comes first. If you have any questions regarding a particular course of fire you want to use, please contact a member of the range staff.
  - a. **Treat all guns as if they are loaded**
  - b. **Never let the muzzle cover anything you are not willing to destroy**
  - c. **Keep your finger off the trigger until you are on target and ready to fire**
  - d. **Be sure of your target and beyond**
2. An OPOTA Certified Firearms Instructor is required to be on the range during firearms training.
3. Basic firearms safety rules will be followed at all times.
4. Eye protection, ear protection, and body armor are mandatory for all persons inside the range. These items are **not** supplied by the CFPD.
5. Outside agencies must provide their own ammo, targets, and cardboard. **AMMO WILL BE INSPECTED BY RANGE STAFF PRIOR TO SHOOTING.**
6. **Rifle caliber is restricted to no greater than .223 / 5.56x45. NO STEEL CORE or ARMOR PIERCING ROUNDS.**
7. The target carriers are not to be shot under any circumstances.
8. Any and all damage to the range must be reported to the range staff immediately for documentation. The cost of repair for any damage will be the responsibility of that agency.
9. All floors must be swept. The floors must be cleared of all casings and other debris. All targets and cardboard will be removed from the carriers. The range must be left in the same condition it was prior to use.
10. Upon completion, a range staff member should be contacted to close the range prior to the last member of the LEA leaving the property.

**Names and numbers will be provided.**