



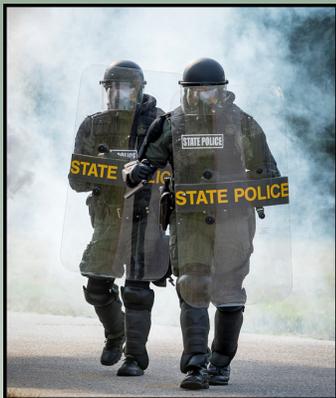
# OPPORTUNITY



# NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE POLICE

## TROOPER RECRUITMENT

- Collision Analysis & Reconstruction Unit
- Crisis Negotiation Unit
- Drill Team
- Drug Recognition Experts
- Explosives Ordinance Disposal Unit
- K-9 Unit
- Major Crime Unit
- Motorcycle Unit
- Narcotics Investigations Unit
- Special Enforcement Unit
- Special Events Response Team
- Special Investigations Unit
- Special Weapons and Tactics Unit (SWAT)
- Terrorism Intelligence Unit
- Troop Detectives



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## HISTORY AND TRADITION

- ESTABLISHED IN 1937
- MADE UP OF SEVEN TROOPS
- GREEN UNIFORMS REPRESENT THE FORESTS THROUGHOUT THE STATE, THE MILITARY PINK (TAN) PANTS REPRESENT THE GRANITE THROUGHOUT THE STATE, AND THE POLISHED BOOTS AND LEATHER GEAR REPRESENT THE PAVEMENT ON THE INTERSTATES.



- 13 BRASS BUTTONS ON THE WINTER UNIFORM BECAUSE NH IS ONE OF THE 13 ORIGINAL COLONIES.
- 9 BRASS BUTTONS ON THE SUMMER UNIFORM BECAUSE NH WAS THE 9TH STATE IN THE UNION.
- THE USS FRIGATE RALEIGH IS ON THE STATE POLICE PATCHES AND BADGE. THIS SHIP WAS BUILT IN PORTSMOUTH, NH.

## MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

- YOU CAN APPLY TODAY TO BECOME A NH STATE TROOPER IF:
  - YOU ARE AT LEAST 21 YEARS OLD
  - YOU HAVE AT LEAST 20/40 UNCORRECTED VISION
  - YOU HAVE NO TATTOOS VISIBLE ON ANY PART OF THE BODY NOT COVERED BY OUR SHORT-SLEEVE UNIFORM.
- EDUCATION/EXPERIENCE REQUIRED:
  - 60 COLLEGE CREDIT HOURS OR 2 YEARS OF FULL TIME LAW ENFORCEMENT EXPERIENCE OR 2 YEARS OF HONORABLE MILITARY SERVICE, OR A COMBINATION OF THE 2.

**BECOME A PART OF SOMETHING  
GREATER THAN YOURSELF!**

## APPLICATION PROCESS

- APPLY ONLINE: [www.nh.gov/safety/divisions/nhsp](http://www.nh.gov/safety/divisions/nhsp)
- PHYSICAL AGILITY TEST and WRITTEN TEST
- ORAL BOARD INTERVIEW
- POLYGRAPH EXAMINATION
- BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION
- PSYCHOLOGICAL AND MEDICAL EVALUATION
- COLONEL INTERVIEW

## INITIAL TRAINING

- 2 WEEKS PRE-ACADEMY TRAINING
- 16 WEEKS POLICE ACADEMY
- 2 WEEKS POST-ACADEMY TRAINING
- 50 SHIFTS WITH A FIELD TRAINING OFFICER  
(TROOPERS RECEIVE FULL PAY & BENEFITS DURING THE ACADEMY)



## PAY/BENEFITS

- TROOPER SALARY- \$53,050.40 - \$73,788.00
- TROOPER FIRST CLASS- \$57,480.80 - \$80,319.20
- SERGEANT- \$64,968.80 - \$91,301.60
- TAKE-HOME CRUISERS ISSUED TO EVERY TROOPER
- EXTRA DUTY DETAIL SHIFTS & OVERTIME OPPORTUNITIES ARE AVAILABLE.