



MAHARASHTRA POLICE ACADEMY, NASHIK

The Maharashtra Police Academy is a pioneer institution that celebrated its 100 years on a grand scale in 2007. This institution has a history of producing tough and efficient officers since its inception in 1906. It has had the legacy of British Police officers and very senior I.P.S. officers as its head, where the officers trained have performed exceedingly well in the field.

The Academy has been awarded the Commemorative stamp by Postal and Communication Dept., Govt. of India in September-2007, in appreciation of MPA's service to the nation.

It is a pride matter of pride that MPA is also an ISO 9001:2000 certified institution, an institution of excellence.

The Academy began as a Police Training School (PTS) at Pune in the year 1906 but was shifted to its present location at Nashik in the year 1908, when the buildings and other infrastructure for the PTS were ready. The Police Training School was re-designated as Police Training College in the year 1961 after the formation of the Maharashtra State. The State Government further upgraded the PTC to that of Academy in the year 1990 renaming it as Maharashtra Police Academy. The Academy on this occasion was also presented its regimental colours by the State Government.

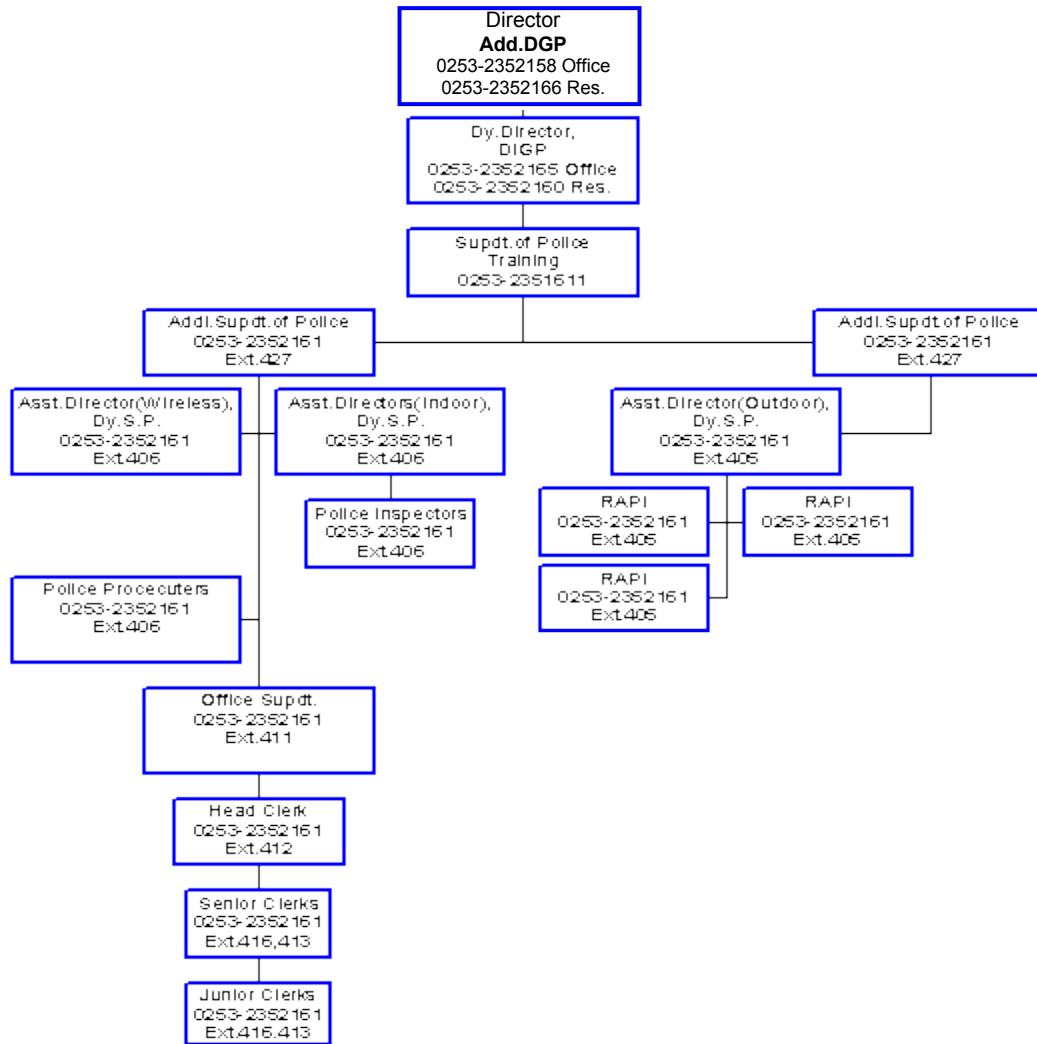
Ever since its inception in 1906, the Academy has been imparting basic training to the Deputy Superintendents and Sub Inspectors of Police of Maharashtra. Before the establishment of the Central Police Training College (now N.P.A.) at the Mt.Abu in Sept. 1948, the officers of the Indian Police borne on the strength of Bombay Province (which included areas of Gujarat, Sindh - Pakistan and parts of present day Karnataka) were also trained on joining the service at P.T.S. at Nashik. Since Gujarat was a part of the erstwhile Bombay State till creation of separate State of Gujarat and Maharashtra in 1961 many senior officers of that cadre too were trained in this Academy. Officers of Goa, Pondicherry and Dadra & Nagar Haveli have also been trained from time to time at this institution. Thus M.P.A. has been the alma mater of several officers of different ranks who have gone on to serve various parts of the country with distinction.

The Academy at present provides induction training to directly recruited State Dy. Supdts. of Police and P.S.Is. The I.P.S. officers on joining the cadre are also given familiarization training here. The Academy also provides induction training to Dy.Ss.P. and P.S.Is. of State of Goa on request. Besides running various in-service courses for serving Police officers, the Academy also trains officers of the State Forest Deptt., State Excise Deptt and State Transport Corporation besides central Excise & MSEB. It has also run course for the Bombay Electric and Suburban Transport (BEST) on matters of security. The Academy has had distinction of organising national level All India Police Duty Meet in 1980 and Police Science Congress in 1993.

A Director, an officer of the rank of Addl. D.G.P. heads M.P.A., and is assisted by a Deputy Director of the rank of Dy.I.G.P. It has a training faculty of various ranks including three Supdts. Of Police assisted by Asst. Directors (Dy.Ss.P and P.I.s) and Law officers.

These officers are sent to various training courses organized by BPRD ,DoPT & CPR to keep them updated on training matters.It boasts of a fully equipped conference hall, a Gymnasium, Computer Lab, Swimming pool, and hostel accommodation for 700 officers with expansion programmes on the anvil. The Academy has modern small arms firing range and a multi channel firearms training simulator (FATS) to facilitate modern training in fire-arms. Construction of a modern auditorium, a hostel for senior officers and a centenary complex for housing various training facilities have also been undertaken under the modernizations plan.

The staff pattern at MPA is as Follows:



Location:- The Academy is located on a 267-acre campus at Nashik on Nashik Trimbak Road. It is the green lung of Nashik city. The Academy has three buildings of old European architecture which came into existence at the time when it was shifted from Pune 1908. The local heritage society has classified these buildings as heritage structures.

Distance from

1. Mumbai-180 Km.
2. Pune -205 Km.
3. Nagpur -700 Km.

Currently 2 batches [100&101] of PSI's are undergoing training.The 100th batch of PSI's of 365 officers are passing out on 16/12/2009.After 14 days vacation,they will be reporting for duty at various districts & city police w.e.f. 1 Jan 2010.

INVITATION OF PASSING OUT PARADE , PSI BATCH 100 MAHARASHTRA POLICE ACADEMY MAP

MPA CONDUCTS FOLLOWING COURSES:

| S.N. | NAME OF TRAINING | TRG. PERIOD | RANK |
|------|---|-------------|-----------------|
| 1 | INDUCTION TRAINING FOR PSIs SELECTED THROUGH MPSC | 1 YEAR | PSI |
| 2 | INDUCTION TRAINING OF DIRECT DySsP | 1 YEAR | DySsP |
| 3 | REORIENTATION COURSES FOR PSIs, APIs & PI | 18 DAYS | PSIs, APIs & PI |
| 4 | PROMOTIONAL COURSES FOR PSIs PROMOTED THROUGH DEPARTMENTAL EXAM | 8 WEEKS | PSI |

Officers trained So far at M.P.A., Nashik up to September-2009

- ▶ 352 IP & IPS officers
- ▶ 638 Dy.Ss.P.
- ▶ 16053 Police Sub Inspector's
- ▶ 746 officers of the State Forest Deptt.
- ▶ 382 officers of State Excise Deptt.
- ▶ 745 officers of R.T.O.,
- ▶ 353 officers of the M.S.R.T.C.
- ▶ 22 Naval officers
- ▶ 20 officers of BEST, Mumbai
- ▶ 72 Asst. Public Prosecutors
- ▶ 28 Officers from M.S.E.B. (Power Generation)
- ▶ 4 DySp (W/L)

Their training syllabus is updated periodically in keeping pace with the time.

Detective Training School (DTS)

DTS, that trains policemen in various aspects of error-free investigation is also located within the campus of M.P.A. and is headed by a Deputy Director.