Cadets

After completing its first year, the ***Police Cadet Program*** is proving to be a successful vehicle for preparing qualified young men and women whose goal is to become Downey Police Officers. Introduced in 2008, the program employs and trains part-time candidates in police work, providing flexible work hours to accommodate school schedules. Tuition is paid for full-time school enrollment. Police Cadets are also required to meet physical training standards.

Pictured left to right are:
Jacqueline Gonzalez, Dominick Escobedo, and Michael Otey.

Not pictured is David Van who is now a Police Officer Recruit in the Orange County Sheriff's Academy.