



BROWNELLS AR-15 ARMORER, CUSTOMIZING, AND BUILD CLASS

June 8-12, 2026

\$250.00 - Continuing education only, not for college credit

The object of this course is to not only familiarize the student with the AR-15 weapons format, but to give the student an opportunity to build a rifle with parts they supply and bring to class. Instruction will include functioning, disassembly of main and subgroups and reassembly, headspacing, troubleshooting and function testing tips, and the use of many of the tools available. Also covered will be some different cartridge offerings in the AR-15 format. The .308 AR will also be covered and the different manufacturers and the compatibility between them discussed.

Students are encouraged to bring all the parts for a complete build or in various states of assembly for completion during the class, or their own firearms as a whole rifle and bring any parts they may wish to use to customize it. The build and customization part of the course will be dependent on what the student brings. We will not have any firearms for the student to work on.

AR-15 TOOL LIST

Safety glasses

If you have purchased a handguard to install on your AR, and it comes with or uses a proprietary barrel nut wrench, please bring the wrench needed.

You can bring your own tools, but the instructor will have tools that the students can use such as punches, armorer wrenches, vise blocks, disassembly/reassembly tools, torque wrenches, and such. This enables the student to try the various tools and then they can decide what tools will work best for them before purchasing. No tools will be for sale at the class.

You may contact Dean if you want suggestions as to what parts to get for a build, but you will be responsible to choose and purchase the items for the build, as there will not be a kit that has everything you need available.