

Pearland Police Officers Association P.O. Box 841825 Pearland, TX 77584

Annual Law Enforcement Scholarship

Qualifications

- 1. Applicants must be one of the following and be under the age of 25:
 - a. A graduate of a Pearland High School or a high school senior who is a resident of Pearland or a resident within the City of Pearland's Extraterritorial Jurisdiction currently enrolled in an undergraduate Criminal Justice Program at an accredited college, university, or regional law enforcement academy.
 - b. A dependent of a Pearland Police Department employee, who is a high school graduate enrolled in undergraduate studies in an accredited college, university, or regional law enforcement academy or a high school senior enrolling in undergraduate studies in an accredited college, university, or regional law enforcement academy.
 - c. A member of Law Enforcement Explorer Post 411 currently enrolled in an undergraduate Criminal Justice Program at an accredited college, university, or regional law enforcement academy or who is a high school senior enrolling in an undergraduate Criminal Justice Program in an accredited college, university, or regional law enforcement academy.
 - d. A member of the Pearland Citizens Police Academy Alumni Association who is in good standing, who is a high school graduate enrolled in an undergraduate Criminal Justice Program at an accredited college, university, or regional law enforcement academy or who is in good standing, who is a high school senior enrolling in an undergraduate Criminal Justice Program at an accredited college, university, or regional law enforcement academy.
 - e. A dependent of a Pearland Citizens Police Academy Alumni Association member who is in good standing, who is a high school graduate enrolled in an undergraduate Criminal Justice Program at an accredited college, university, or

regional law enforcement academy or who is in good standing, who is a high school senior enrolling in an undergraduate Criminal Justice Program at an accredited college, university, or regional law enforcement academy.

- f. A dependent of a City of Pearland employee, who is a high school graduate enrolled in an undergraduate Criminal Justice Program at an accredited college, university, or regional law enforcement academy or who is a high school senior enrolling in an undergraduate Criminal Justice Program at an accredited college, university, or regional law enforcement academy.
- 2. Applicants must submit the following before the July 1, 2016 deadline:
 - a. A completed Scholarship Application Form.
 - b. A letter of acceptance from the college, university, or regional law enforcement academy. (Or college transcripts if already attending)
 - c. High School Transcript (2.0 GPA Minimum)
 - d. College Transcripts (if applicable) (2.0 GPA Minimum)
 - e. A full-faced photograph attached to an $8\frac{1}{2} \times 11$ sheet of paper.
 - f. A short essay between 300 600 words on one of the following topics:
 - i. Police Community Relations
 - ii. Law Enforcement's Role in Society
 - iii. Police Professionalism
 - iv. The Law Enforcement Code of Ethics
 - v. The Effects of a Police Career on Family
- 3. Application Deadlines are <u>July 1, 2016</u>, prior to the academic year (starting in the Fall semester) for which the application is submitted.
 - a. Scholarships are awarded in the amount of \$500.00 for the academic year.
 - b. Applicants must have attended the spring semester prior to application or show proof of completed registration for the upcoming fall semester.
 - c. Applicants are eligible to re-apply for college or university program scholarships. Applicants may be awarded up to four scholarships in a maximum of four years.
 - d. Mail completed applications to:

Pearland Police Officer's Association Attention: Law Enforcement Scholarship Committee P.O. Box 841825 Pearland, TX 77584

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Last Name:	First Name:
Street Address:	City, State and Zip:
Home Phone Number:	Cellular or Work Phone Number:
High School Attended (Attending) and GPA:	Graduation Date (Month/Year):
College Attending and GPA:	Date of Enrollment:
Major:	E-Mail Address
Mother's Name:	Phone Number:
Father's Name:	Phone Number:

REFERENCES: (Please list at least three character references that you have known for at least two years)
Name: Address: Home Phone:
Cellular or Work Phone: Name:
Address: Home Phone:
Cellular or Work Phone: Name:
Address: Home Phone:
Cellular or Work Phone:

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1. Please list and describe any academic awards and achievements during the last four years:		
2. Please list and describe any extra-curricular achievements and	any public service performed during the	
last four years:	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Please circle and if you answer yes, provide documentation. Are	you or have you been a member in good	
standing of any of the following:		
Pearland Explorer Post #411	Yes / No	
Any other Explorer Post	Yes / No	
ROTC	Yes / No	
Pearland Citizens or Teen Citizen Academy Graduate		
Are you a dependant of a City of Pearland Employee		
Are you a dependant of a Pearland Police Officer	Yes / No	

Attach Additional Pages if Necessary