

WISCONSIN LAW ENFORCEMENT EDUCATION ADVOCATES ASSOCIATION

CADET/EXPLORER APPLICATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP

The Wisconsin Law Enforcement Education Advocates Association (WLEEEA) is proud to announce an annual scholarship opportunity for active Wisconsin Law Enforcement Cadets/Explorers. The recipient(s) will receive a one-time scholarship of \$250.00 to be utilized to further their higher education at a technical or four-year school. Scholarship money will be paid via check directly to the Cadet/Explorer. This is a one-time non-recurring scholarship. The number of scholarships available to be awarded in a given year will be determined by the WLEEEA Board of Directors.

ELIGIBILITY: To be eligible for this scholarship Cadets/Explorers must be members in good standing with a law enforcement unit/post. The Cadet/Explorer must have a minimum of one-year in their unit/post prior to being eligible for this scholarship. The scholarship money must be used by the Cadet/Explorer to pursue education in criminal justice or a related field or to attend a certified State of Wisconsin Police Academy and are not being sponsored by a law enforcement agency to attend that academy.

Successful applicants for this scholarship will provide proof of registration or acceptance to a technical school or four-year college, or current high school transcripts if the applicant has not yet registered or received acceptance to technical school or four-year college. Additionally, applicants must provide current transcripts, complete the attached application with essay, and demonstrate a strong commitment to community service and law enforcement. Only applications that are completed correctly will be considered for this scholarship.

Applicants must be a current college student **OR** a senior in high school and currently, or intend to be, a full-time college student (minimum of 12 college credits).

Applications must be submitted by **December 15, 2022** and mailed or emailed to:

WLEEEA Scholarship Committee
C/O Tyler Cochran
1000 55th St
Kenosha, WI 53140
tcochran@kenosha.org

Name _____ Date of Birth _____
LAST FIRST M.I.

Street Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone number (_____) _____ - _____ Best time to contact you _____ AM PM

Parent(s) name _____

Name of Local Newspaper _____

Current School _____ Current Grade Level _____

Unit/Post Sponsoring Agency _____

Sponsoring Agency Address _____

Unit/Post Number _____ Number of Years as an Cadet/Explorer _____

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Are Unit/Post Mentors/Advisors Members of WLEEEA? _____ Yes _____ No

Are Any Unit/Post Mentor/Advisors WLEEEA Board Members? _____ Yes _____ No

Current Class Ranking _____ out of _____ Year of anticipated graduation _____

High School Senior Applicants: Only complete this section if you are a high school senior

Name of High School _____

School Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

School Phone Number (____)____-_____

Have you been accepted to a technical school or four-year college? _____ Yes _____ No
Technical school or College that you are/will attend _____

Address of School _____

Phone Number for Dean of Students (____)____-_____

Field of study _____

Please list all extracurricular activities; excluding cadets/exploring (if more room is needed attach an extra sheet)

Please list all volunteer activities that you were involved in during the last 12 months, include date of activity and brief description. (if more room is needed attach an extra sheet)

Please include two (2) separate letters of recommendation, one from your unit/post mentor/advisor and one from a non-family member

Please attach an essay not to exceed 500 words on one (1) of the following topics.

- What cadets/exploring has meant to me.
- My goals to advance the profession of law enforcement.
- Who has had the greatest impact on my choice to become a police officer and why.

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I have read this application and it is my choice to pursue this scholarship opportunity. I understand that my responses on this application must be truthful. I understand that if any answer is untruthful or if I do not fill this application out completely it will be discarded. I further understand that if I am chosen for this scholarship I consent for my image and name to be used by WLEEEA for publication and promotion for further WLEEEA scholarships. I also understand that I may be asked to attend a ceremony where I will receive the scholarship. This application and all attached forms once received by the WLEEEA scholarship committee becomes the sole property of WLEEEA and as such will not be returned to the applicant. By affixing my signature I acknowledge that I have read and understand the above.

APPLICANTS SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

PARENTS SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

(If Cadet/Explorer is 18 or older a parental signature is not required)

CHECK LIST

- _____ COMPLETED APPLICATION
- _____ CURRENT TRANSCRIPTS
- _____ ACCEPTANCE LETTER TO TECHNICAL SCHOOL OR 4 YEAR COLLEGE IF ACCEPTED. IF NOT ACCEPTED, CURRENT HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPTS
- _____ TWO LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION
- _____ 500 WORD ESSAY
- _____ SIGNED AND DATED APPLICATION