

Peace Officers' Memorial Foundation
400 West 14th Street, Suite # 200
Austin, TX 78701

Scholarship Guidelines

The Scholarship Program of the Peace Officers' Memorial Foundation, Inc. was developed from a strong sense of commitment to peace officers and their families. The scholarship program was instituted for funding higher education for peace officers dependents. Scholarship awards are \$500, and the number of awards is subject to program funding. **If you do not complete the entire application packet your application will not be considered. Requirements for application include:**

- 1) The applicant's parent or guardian must be a certified peace officer or detention officer in the state of Texas at the time of application for scholarship or at the time of the parent's death.
 - 2) Letter of Recommendation from a teacher or mentor of the applicant. (High school students only)
 - 3) Recipient must be a full-time student at the time of enrollment, taking at least 12 hours of college credit, or planning to be a full-time student at time of enrollment. (Class schedule or acceptance letter must be included with application.)
 - 4) Attendance must be at an accredited junior college, community college or four-year college or university.
 - 5) Scholarships will be awarded in the following categories:
 - a) Academic & Scholastic
 - b) Arts & Humanities
 - c) Athletics
 - d) Community Service
 - e) Education (Teaching)
 - f) Environment (Agricultural, Conservation)
 - g) Law Enforcement
 - h) Medical (Pre-Med, Nursing, Imaging, Diagnostic, Health Services, Pharmacy)
 - i) Technology (Computer Science, Engineering, Math, Information Technology)
 - 6) A complete scholarship application package includes:
 - Scholarship Information Form, completed and signed by applicant
 - Resume of school and community activities (two pages, double spaced)
 - Letter of recommendation from a teacher/mentor of the applicant (high school seniors only)
 - Photo of applicant (for publication purposes)
 - Acceptance letter from college or university, or school schedule
- POSTMARK DEADLINE**
FOR APPLICATION: April 11th of each year. No exceptions.

Mail to: Peace Officers' Memorial Foundation
Scholarship Committee
400 West 14th Street #200
Austin, TX 78701
Selections by the POMF Scholarship Committee will be final.

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION FORM

**Peace Officers' Memorial Foundation, Inc.
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Applicant's Name: _____
Address: _____ Telephone: (____) _____
City, State, Zip: _____
Email address: _____
Parent's Name: _____
Address: _____

Peace Officer's Name _____
Officer's Department: _____
If Officer is deceased, Department
Relationship to Applicant: _____

Name of High School Attended: _____
Address of High School: _____
Name of College: _____
College Major: _____ Grade Point: _____

Year in School (Circle One) Fr So Jr Sr

Degree or Objective that you will be pursuing: _____

Name of local newspaper: _____
Address of local newspaper: _____

I hereby authorize the release of the scholarship information to the media.

Signature of Applicant Date

For use only: Peace Officers' Memorial Foundation

Received: _____ Postmark Date: _____ Notification Date: _____
As of March 2008