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SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION

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Deadline to submit application is March 1. Scholarship is open to students attending 2 or 4 year college or university or getting an advanced degree. Award notification is April 1. Each Scholarship is for \$1,000.

First Name _____ Middle Name _____ Last Name _____
Student ID# _____ Home Address _____
Email Address _____ Phone number _____
High School Name _____
High School Address _____
Counselor's Name _____
Phone Number _____ Email Address _____
College/University Name _____ Address _____
College ID# _____
Bursar/Cashier Address _____ Phone _____

The following items are particularly important and should be read carefully:

1. The program exists to provide financial assistance to students taking courses which are related to career ladder as a first responder.
2. Approved Awards are for **Tuition only** and will be paid to the Bursar at the college or university that you attend.
3. Tuition assistance is limited to the costs required to pay for tuition.
4. Tuition Assistance **does not** cover compulsory fees such as matriculation, registration, laboratory, library, and technology fees. The program also does not cover books, supplies, or extra fees such as late registration or parking.
5. All approved course work must be held in the U.S.A.
6. Tuition Assistance Program **will not fund courses** which are primarily recreational, or utilize a specific faith based method as a primary approach to problem solving or treatment.
7. All approved tuition assistance course work must be completed with a 2.5 grade point or better or the recipient must reimburse SCSF, Inc.

Student ID#: _____

8. Applicants are required to submit the following information. Missing information will result in Application being disqualified. **ONLY put your name on first page of application and on the signature page.**
- Submit a copy of official high school or college transcript. Must include proof of a 2.5 or better, un-weighted grade point average.
 - Submit a Wallet size head shot photo of you. Print ready and excellent quality, to be used on all SCSF, Inc. social media platforms upon receiving a Scholarship.
 - Letter of recommendation from a non-relative, who is your guidance counselor or immediate supervisor and who has first-hand knowledge of your career objectives.
 - Write a 500 word essay describing yourself and your future goals (how your major will benefit you in your job as a first responder, compassion for people and your motivation to serve your community, achievements, educational and career goals, anticipated employment). **DO NOT** put your name on or in the essay.
 - Email the application with all the above attachments to cohen@firstrespondersare.us.
9. As a condition of the program, scholarship awardees agree to give one year of service as a volunteer or stay in a first responder position after course completion. Should you leave, voluntarily or involuntarily, the amount of money received during the twelve months prior to separation must be returned to SCSF, Inc.

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE & PHOTOGRAPH/ESSAY AUTHORIZATION

I hereby certify that the information contained in my application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. SCSF, Inc. may use my application photograph and essay on all social media platforms in conjunction with my Scholarship Application.

Applicant's signature

Date

Student ID#: _____

EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVE:

Academic Achievements and Activities: List any academic achievements or honors, as well as membership in scholastic or professional organizations, committee memberships, offices held, etc. Please include the year involved and how many times you participated (one time, twice a week, once a month, etc.).

Non-Scholastic Activities: Describe your participation in community of civic affairs. Include membership, offices held, honors, etc. Please include the year involved and how many times you participated (one time, twice a week, once a month, etc.)

Employment Information: Begin with the most recent position.

Employer	Position	Dates employed

Student ID#: _____

ESSAY-AIMS AND GOALS: Write a 500 word essay describing yourself and your future goals (how your major will benefit you in your job as a first responder, compassion for people and your motivation to serve your community. Personal achievements, educational and career goals, anticipated employment). **DO NOT add your name on or in the essay.**