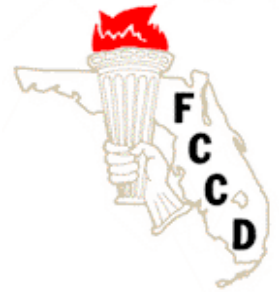




APPLICATION MUST BE RECEIVED BY  
COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSON  
PRIOR TO: JUNE 1<sup>st</sup>



**CPOF SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**  
For Continuation of Education Above Secondary Level

**CRITERIA**

The Correctional Peace Officers Foundation offers a scholarship to a “Qualifying Person”, and/or person(s) related (*parent, step-parent, grandparent, spouse or legal guardian*) to a “Qualifying Person.”

A “Qualifying Person” is someone who is an active member of the Correctional Peace Officers Foundation for a minimum of 12 consecutive months before applying for a scholarship and is actively working in (or retired from) the Corrections profession.

Based upon available funds, the scholarship, number of awards and amounts, are awarded and approved by the CPOF Board of Directors.

In order to comply with the requirements, the following guidelines are established for scholarships awarded by the Correctional Peace Officers Foundation:

**ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS**

- A full-time student
- Making satisfactory academic progress i.e., a cumulative CPA of 3.0 or higher
- Have financial need

Scholarship(s) may be awarded for students enrolled in, or planning to enroll in an accredited institution, career training college and/or certification program.

**STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS**

The following requirements must be met before eligibility for financial assistance is considered:

1. Must be accepted for admission or previously enrolled.
2. CPOF must receive completed [\*CPOF Scholarship Application\*](#), including complete essay (autobiographical sketch) which provides general information about the applicant.
3. CPOF must receive a copy of *Transcripts AND Acceptance Letter of Admission*.

**PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION WILL ONLY BE  
RELEASED TO THE FCCD SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE AND  
CPOF BOARD OF DIRECTORS.**

**THE CORRECTIONAL PEACE OFFICERS FOUNDATION**

**APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS:** Check the appropriate box after completing the instructions.

- Please complete, have a parent/guardian **sign** (if applicable) and return the application.
- Complete and print the information on this form.
- This application must be accompanied by both items of supporting documentation; a copy of official transcripts and acceptance of admission letter.
- Attach to this application a simple and concise personal essay (autobiographical sketch) which provides general information about you. The purpose of this essay is to give an indication of your scholarship needs, personal background, character and general interests.
- Attach a **recent** photograph of yourself in the space provided. Either a black-and-white or color photo is acceptable. The photograph will be used for identification and possibly publicity purposes.

Observe the following essay guidelines:

The personal essay shall be approximately 500 words in length, utilizing 12 font and double space.

All essays received must be typed. No hand written essays will be accepted.

**\*ALL ITEMS ARE TO BE SENT TOGETHER IN ONE PACKAGE\***

Attach a Recent Photo Here

**PERSONAL / QUALIFYING DATA**Applicant/Student Full Name: Date of Birth: Home Street Address: City: State: Zip: College Name: Admissions Office Phone#: Enrollment Date: High School Name: H.S. Graduation Date: Father or Guardian Full Name: Mother or Guardian Full Name: Qualifying Person's Full Name: *(must be a CPOF member in good standing for 12 months prior to application)*Institution:  SS# (last four): Relationship to Student: Personal Data and Contact Information of the Applicant(is kept confidential)Home Phone: Other Phone: Email:

**FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

Estimate anticipated expenses for the applicable academic year.

Tuition & Fees:

Books/Materials:

Housing:

Food:

Transportation:

Personal Needs:

Other(explain):

Annual household income:

Loan(s):

Grant(s):

Other Scholarship(s):

I declare the foregoing is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge. I understand that the Correctional Peace Officers Foundation, Inc. may, at any time in its discretion, change the qualifying criteria of the scholarship or require further documentation as it deems necessary to substantiate any information submitted in conjunction with this scholarship application. I further understand that scholarship funds will not be dispersed without submission of the required application materials/documentation and any additionally requested documentation. Lastly, I understand and agree that CPOF may use my name in conjunction with the publicizing of scholarship awards.

Applicant's/Guardian's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_