

DALLAS POLICE DEPARTMENT CITIZENS POLICE ACADEMY

Participate in your community!

The Citizens Police Academy is an introduction to the daily duties of officers to maintain a safer city. Classes are offered in English or Spanish and consist of an overview of the Dallas Police Department. The topics include the functions of a patrol officer, the use of force, the role of the Internal Affairs Unit, tactical units, and the investigation of crimes.

Our objective is to give a general understanding of the various operations of our profession and how we carry out our duties. We hope a better understanding of how **your police department** works will improve the relationship between citizens and officers.

The Citizens Police Academy meets once a week for ten consecutive weeks. Participants must be at least 21 years of age and have a form of identification.

The Citizens Police Academy is free.

OFFICERS AND CITIZENS UNITED FOR THE GOOD OF ALL

WHO CAN BE PART OF THE ACADEMY?

- **Must be at least 21 years old**
- **Must have a form of valid identification (passport, consular Identification card, Texas I.D., Driver's License, etc.)**
- **Must pass background check**

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The Citizens
and Dallas Police
Working Together
For Our Community

www.DallasPolice.net
(applications and information)



**Fill out the application
on the other side**



TOTALLY FREE

A program for volunteers sponsored
by the Dallas Police Department

**FOR MORE INFORMATION,
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**DALLAS POLICE DEPARTMENT
APPLICATION FOR
THE CITIZENS POLICE ACADEMY**

INFORMATION:

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Gender: _____
Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____ Race: _____
Address: _____ City: _____ Zip Code: _____
I.D. Number /Type of ID: _____ E-mail: _____

WORK HISTORY

Employer: _____
Address: _____ City: _____ Zip Code: _____

How did you hear about this course? _____

What are your expectations? _____

You have been arrested or convicted of a crime, don't include violations of traffic? ☐ Yes ☐ No
The applicant is subject to a criminal background check. If you answered yes, please explain dates, charges and court decision on a separate sheet.

Please review your answers before you sign.

I hereby certify that there are no willful misrepresentations, omissions, or falsifications in the foregoing statement and answers to questions. I understand that any omission or false statement on this application shall be sufficient cause for rejection of enrollment or dismissal from the Dallas Police Department Citizen Police Academy. I understand that all participation in this program is not to train citizens to be police officers. Rather, the goal and purpose of this program is to educate citizens regarding the purpose, rationale and context of police procedures. I acknowledge that as part of acceptance to this program, I will be required to attend at least 70% of the classes or 7 out of 10. Failure to attend will be cause for dismissal from graduating. I will abide by all rules and regulations set forth by the Dallas Police Department and the City of Dallas, and provide my own transportation. I further understand that the Dallas Police Department will be conducting a thorough background investigation that may include, but not be limited to, fingerprinting, any criminal history, employment history and personal references.

Signature: _____ Date: _____



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