

Western Maryland Troopers Association

Scholarship Guidelines

1. Any college-bound senior who is a current resident of Washington County may apply who will be pursuing a career in Law Enforcement. Selection will be based on financial need, unsung hero deeds, proof of commitment, merit, GP of at least 2.5 on a 4.0 scale, school attendance records, information in the application and a personal interview.
2. Selection will be made by the Education Committee of the Western Maryland Troopers Association.
3. A scholarship of \$ 2,000.00 will be awarded to a high school senior attending a public high school in Washington County who is pursuing their education in the criminal justice field.
4. The person selected by the Education Committee will have a check made payable to the recipient after he/she completes the first semester of college work. The student must complete a minimum of 12 credits and receive a grade of 2.0 on a 4.0 scale. An official grade transcript must be mailed to the WMTA office by the college no later than January 31, 2013.
5. Completed scholarship applications must be returned to the Western Maryland Troopers Association, 111 N. Potomac Street, Hagerstown, MD 21740 by April 1, 2012.
6. As a condition of this award, the successful applicants High School must agree to publish this scholarship award in the graduation section of the Herald-Mail newspaper.

Call the WMTA office at 310-733-8003 if you have any questions.

Western Maryland Troopers Association Scholarship

2012/2013 Scholarship Application

Full Name: _____

Home Address: _____

Home phone: _____ e-mail: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Sex: M__ F__

High School Attending: _____

Class Rank: _____ GPA: _____

Special Note: Before application will be accepted, the applicant must attach a current color photograph of the applicant. Applicant must also include an official HS school transcript in a sealed envelope from the HS Counselor.

1. List three important characteristics about yourself and explain why you feel they are important.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

2. Why do you want to want to pursue a career in the Criminal Justice Field?

3. Explain why you feel you need this scholarship?

4. List any community service type activities you have been involved in the last four years?

5. List your extra-curricular school activities? What leadership positions do you hold and what honors have you received?

6. Include any information about yourself you feel the committee should consider in awarding a scholarship to you.

I hereby certify that all information contained in this application is correct and complete to the best of my ability. I also give permission to publish my photograph in the local newspaper if I am awarded the scholarship. The successful applicant also agrees to appear at the WMTA office for an official photograph where the scholarship check will be presented.

Applicants Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/guardian Signature _____ Date _____

(Applicant may attach additional pages to further explain response to a question. Be sure to list the question you are responding to. Example, question 1.3. I am very punctual to all of my appointments. I have perfect attendance throughout my senior year of High School and was not late to any classes.