



## **New Kent Public Safety Foundation Fall 2024 Scholarship**

New Kent County High School Seniors &  
High School Seniors of New Kent Public Safety Member

This scholarship is designed to provide financial assistance in the amount of \$500 to two high school seniors who intend to enroll or are currently enrolled in one or more higher education courses aimed at advancing their knowledge and skills for a career in public safety.

Applications and supporting materials should be mailed by February 15, 2025. Applications postmarked after February 15, 2025 will be returned to the applicant and will not be considered for this application period.

*Note: The award money shall be drawn upon for: Fees or charges required for tuition; fees or charges for room and board while attending school; expenses for textbooks, course work, lab fees and other materials as required by a course instructor.*

Please contact Hailey Reed with any questions.

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## Criteria for Consideration:

### 1. Eligibility:

- Applicants must be currently enrolled as a senior at New Kent County High School, or
- Applicants must be a senior whose parent or legal guardian is a member of New Kent County Public Safety.\*

### 2. Higher Education Enrollment/Intention:

- The applicant must have the intent to enroll in, or provide evidence of application/enrollment in, at least one higher education course that is focused on preparing for a career in public safety.
- Proof of intent/enrollment in such course(s) must be submitted to the New Kent Public Safety Foundation Scholarship Committee for approval.

### 3. Academic Performance:

- Applicants must maintain a minimum satisfactory academic performance of a C grade or higher.

## Supporting Materials Shall Include:

### ● Evidence of Enrollment:

- Proof of enrollment at New Kent High School, or evidence of a parent/legal guardian's membership in New Kent County Public Safety.

### ● Evidence of Higher Education Enrollment:

- Proof of intent to enroll in or evidence of application for enrollment in one or more courses aimed at advancing knowledge and skills for a career in public safety.

### ● Applicant Statement:

- A brief statement (no more than 500 words) that outlines the applicant's goals for this scholarship. The statement should address:
  - The applicant's educational goals.
  - How they plan to apply their education and/or training to improve public safety?
  - What inspires them to pursue a career in public safety?

### ● Letters of Recommendation:

- Two (2) letters of recommendation. These should be from individuals such as a teacher, school administrator, counselor, work supervisor, or someone who can speak to the applicant's qualifications and aptitude.
- Recommendations must **not** come from immediate family members, close family friends, or blood relatives.

- **Academic Transcript:**
  - A current transcript that shows the applicant maintains a minimum satisfactory grade point average of a C (2.0 GPA) or higher.
- **Completed Application:**
  - A fully completed New Kent Public Safety Foundation Fall 2024 Scholarship application, including any additional supporting materials required.

\*Note, public safety includes, but is not limited to, firefighter, paramedic, police/sheriff's office, emergency care, nurses, dispatchers, military, etc.



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New Kent County Public Safety Members

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ MI: \_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address: \_\_\_\_\_

What College/ Technical School will you be attending? \_\_\_\_\_

Please include proof in enrollment with your application.

At this time, have you been accepted into this college/ technical school? Yes No

Are you currently in good standing with New Kent County Public Schools? Yes No

Are you involved in civic organizations or clubs? Yes No

If yes, please list here: \_\_\_\_\_

How did you learn about this scholarship? \_\_\_\_\_

Is there any additional information which may be of importance? \_\_\_\_\_

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Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_