



WINSTON-SALEM POLICE DEPARTMENT

YOUTH CITIZENS' POLICE ACADEMY

July 8-12, 2019

**Alexander R. Beaty Public Safety Training and Support Center
1200 N. Patterson Ave. Winston-Salem**

What is the Youth Citizens' Police Academy?

The Youth Citizens' Police Academy is designed to provide young men and women an idea of the requirements and responsibilities of a career in law enforcement. The course includes information on police training and operations, community issues as well as safety and support services inside the police department; and helps students understand how they can help make our community safer.

The Youth Citizens' Police Academy is an outreach program by The Winston-Salem Police Department to improve understanding and interaction between police and youth.

Requirements:

- Applicants must be Forsyth County residents currently in high school (public, private or home schooled).
- Applicants must be at least 16 years old by June 15, 2019.
- Applicants will be expected to attend all sessions.
- Applicants must submit at least two letters of recommendation and completed recommendation forms from a teacher, advisor, guidance counselor or other non-family member who is over 21.
- Applications and recommendations must be submitted in writing by June 15, 2019. Class size limited to first 30 applicants.

The Youth Citizens' Police Academy is an exceptional opportunity for today's youth - tomorrow's leaders - to learn about the critical role and functioning of the police in the community. It will provide detailed information and exposure regarding how the WSPD serves the citizens and community. It will discuss the responsibility that police and citizens have in improving the quality of life for everyone.

Police Chief Catrina A. Thompson

July 8-12, 2019

9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

All sessions are free. The first day meets at the Public Safety Center (725 N. Cherry St.) and the rest are at the Alexander R. Beaty Public Safety Training and Support Center (1200 N. Patterson Ave.). Lunch will be provided.

Topics will include:
Canine Demonstration
Forensic Services
SWAT Team
Youth Safety
Service Project
Firearms Training
Simulator

Students will also tour the 911 Communications Center & the Public Safety Center.

Mail application and recommendations to:
Youth Citizen's Police Academy
Winston-Salem Police Department
P. O. Box 1707
Winston-Salem, NC 27102

All application materials must be received by June 15, 2019

If you have any questions, contact Officer Claudia Morgan at (336-408-8126) or e-mail cmorgan@wspd.org

CITY OF WINSTON-SALEM Mayor: Allen Joines
City Council: Vivian H. Burke, Mayor Pro Tempore, Northeast Ward; Denise D. Adams, North Ward; Dan Besse, Southwest Ward; Robert C. Clark, West Ward; John Larson, South Ward; Jeff Macintosh, Northwest Ward; Annette Scippio, East Ward; James Taylor Jr., Southeast Ward City Manager: Lee Garrity





Youth Citizens' Police Academy Application

PARTICIPANT INFORMATION

Name: LAST: _____ FIRST: _____ MI: _____

Address: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____ Date of Birth: _____

PARENT /GUARDIAN

Name: LAST: _____ FIRST: _____ MI: _____

Relationship: _____ Phone: _____

By signing this form, I agree that my child has my permission to attend the Youth Citizen's Police Academy

By signing this form, I agree that I meet the requirements of the Youth Citizen's Police Academy.

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

APPLICANT SIGNATURE

Please answer the following question which will be used in the selection process.

1. Why do you want to attend to Youth Citizens' Police Academy? _____

2. Do you think Law Enforcement is important in the community? ____ Yes ____ No Why or Why Not?

3. Why should you be selected to attend the Youth Citizens' Police Academy? _____

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APPLICATION DEADLINE: June 15, 2019