



SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM APPLICATION  
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**NEW YORK CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT  
TRADITIONAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**  
THE POLICE COMMISSIONER'S  
GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP

APPLICANT INFORMATION  
(REQUIRED INFORMATION)

(All Information is to be typed)

Last Name		First Name		M.I.	Rank/Title		Tax Registry No.
Command			Command Address			Command Telephone No.	
Appointment Date	Home Address			Date of Birth	Home Telephone No.		
Department Email		Personal Email			Cell phone No.		

LIST ALL PREVIOUS COMMANDS, DATES AND ASSIGNMENTS

Date	Command	Assignment

Have you ever received a Full or Partial NYPD, Former Transit or Housing Police Department Scholarship? (e.g. FBI, SPI, NPS etc.)

Yes     No

Date	Scholarship

LIST ALL COLLEGES, UNIVERSITIES AND GRADUATE SCHOOLS ATTENDED (Begin with most recent)

Dates Attended	Institution	Field of Study	Degree	GPA

STANDARDIZED TEST SCORES (LIST ALL TESTS AND RESULTS)

Test	Date	Total Score	Percentile Rank	Verbal	Quantitative	Analytical
LSAT						
GRE						
GMAT						

**DECLARATION**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, am hereby applying for the NYPD Traditional Scholarship Program. I certify that I have enrolled in an accredited undergraduate/graduate program. I agree to maintain a minimum grade point average of 3.0 in order to remain eligible for this award. I have received a copy of the program eligibility guidelines and I agree to abide by the rules set forth by the Department if awarded an NYPD Traditional Scholarship. I further certify that the eligibility criteria for this scholarship will be met by the application deadline. I am aware that my failure to fulfill the requirements of this award will result in my removal from the program.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**COMMANDING OFFICER’S ENDORSEMENT**

(C.O. to address applicant’s qualifications)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**INSTRUCTIONS**

Forward the following documents along with completed application to the Scholarship Unit by: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date

- 1) Completed N.Y.P.D. scholarship program application with the C.O.’s signed endorsement
  - 2) Letter of acceptance, copy of admission’s application or proof of matriculation for any of the following schools: Brown University, Columbia University, Harvard University, Georgetown University, New York University, Princeton University, University of Pennsylvania, or Yale University (Check admission’s application deadline for the school of your choice.)
  - 3) Official sealed transcripts from previous college studies stated on scholarship application
  - 4) Copy of test scores (GRE, GMAT, LSAT), must have been taken within the last five years
  - 5) A Current resume
  - 6) A two page typed personal statement, in essay format, describing career goals, achievements, etc.
  - 7) One (1) letter of recommendation from any of the following: any higher ranking Department or Military Officer, a professor or political leader
  - 8) Provide copies of the last three (3) years performance evaluations. Evaluations must have a minimum of 3.0 rating.

**SUBMIT TO:**

(Completed application and required documents)

**Training Bureau  
Scholarship Unit**  
*Police Academy*  
130-30 28<sup>th</sup> Avenue Room AT.669  
College Point, NY 11354

***If you have additional questions, please contact: (718) 670-9412 or email scholarship@nypd.org***



## NEW YORK CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM RULES

### Eligibility Guidelines For All Scholarships

- Applicants are required to have a minimum of three years of service in good standing and remain in good standing throughout the duration of the scholarship.
- With the exception of the Police Reserve Association grant, NYPD personnel are only eligible for one scholarship during the course of their service with the Department.
- Some scholarships require applicants to have taken the Graduate Record Examination (GRE) Test, Graduate Management Admissions Test (GMAT), or the Law School Admission Test (LSAT) within the past five years.
- Recipients of a Department scholarship must agree in writing to remain in the Department for a minimum of two years subsequent to the completion of their final semester. Some scholarships require a longer service commitment subsequent to program completion.
- The Scholarship Committee will award each scholarship based on fulfillment of the eligibility requirements, in conjunction with prior educational and professional performance (i.e. applicant grade point average (GPA), Departmental Annual Performance Evaluations) and personal statement.
- A 3.0 grade point average (GPA) is preferred.

### Selection and Award Criteria

- Applicants must be accepted by the school offering the scholarship in accordance with their academic standards and application process. The Scholarship Committee makes the final determinations for all awards, except for New York Law School and St. John's School of Law. The Admissions Committee at each law school will determine scholarship recipients.
- Awardees must agree in writing to remain in the Department for two years after their final semester of being awarded the Educational Leave Scholarship or New York University Scholarship.
- Awardees granted a paid leave of absence for the Harvard University, SUNY at Albany, Hunter College, or the Police Commissioner's Scholarship, must agree in writing to remain in the Department for four years after final semester of award.
- Awardees granted a paid leave of absence for the FBI National Academy and CHDS Naval Postgraduate School must agree in writing to remain in the Department for three years after final semester award.
- Awardees are required to supply an official sealed transcript upon completion of each school semester, and proof of enrollment for the following semester for continuation of scholarship. A UF49 must be submitted if awardees are declining their awards, or are unable to fulfill their educational commitments.