



## *Central Texas Law Enforcement Executives Association*

### **2025 Scholarship Application Letter**

Dear Chief / Sheriff / Agency Head

The Central Texas Law Enforcement Executives Association (CTLEEA) is pleased to announce the availability of scholarships for the 2025 Fall Semester. **The children of active peace officers and telecommunications officers of CTLEEA agencies and those active peace officers and telecommunications officers who work for CTLEEA agencies are eligible to apply for a scholarship. Starting last year, vocational studies are also considered for scholarships.**

Attached is the scholarship application, which is also available on the CTLEEA website. Those interested in applying should complete the application, then pass it on to you. We ask that you review each application and provide a written recommendation based on your knowledge of the applicant's merit and educational motivation.

The Scholarship Committee will give preference to applications in the order listed below. In addition, as proceeds directed to scholarships can fluctuate year to year, the Committee may make recommendations for full or partial awards. There may be occasions where, due to the number of applicants, not all qualifying applicants can be awarded a scholarship.

1. Graduating seniors making first application
2. Active peace officers and communications officers
3. Returning or continuing students
4. Graduate students

**Completed applications and agency head endorsements must be sent by mail or email to:**

Chief Eddie Wilson  
Copperas Cove Police Department  
302 E Avenue E, Copperas Cove, Texas 76522  
E-mail: [ewilson@copperascovetx.gov](mailto:ewilson@copperascovetx.gov)

**Applications must be postmarked no later than May 2, 2025, in order to be considered by the Scholarship Committee. Incomplete or late application packets will not be considered.**

The CTLEEA looks forward to another year of awarding scholarships to our deserving officers and their children.

Sincerely,

Allen Teston  
Deputy Chief of Police  
Temple Police Department  
CTLEEA President

# CENTRAL TEXAS LAW ENFORCEMENT EXECUTIVES ASSOCIATION



## 2025 Scholarship Application

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Submitted: \_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Check which applies:

- ☐ Graduating seniors making first application
- ☐ Active Peace Officers
- ☐ Returning or continuing students
- ☐ Graduate students

Name of active peace officer parent/guardian, if applicable: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

Program of study applied for: ☐ Associates ☐ Bachelors ☐ Masters ☐ Vocational

College/University: \_\_\_\_\_ Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Note: If scholarship is awarded, student will be notified by email and will be required to provide the school address that receives scholarship monies.

Are you currently taking courses toward your desired major? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Hours completed toward degree plan: \_\_\_\_\_ Hours remaining in degree plan: \_\_\_\_\_

High School GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ Collegiate GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Note: If you have only completed high school dual credit courses to date, list high school GPA only.

Have you previously received this scholarship? ☐ Yes ☐ No

- ➡ Please include a short essay (300 words or less), which must include, but is not limited to your:
- Motivation to achieve educational or training goals and objectives;
  - Scholastic achievements indicating special honors or certificates received;
  - Demonstrated voluntary commitment to others, for example, time devoted toward volunteer work in school, community, or civic projects;
  - Financial need; and
  - Any other considerations
- ➡ Attach a copy of your most recent collegiate transcript or high school transcript if this will be your first semester of attendance in college.
- ➡ In addition, your sponsoring agency Chief, Sheriff, or Agency Head must include a letter of recommendation with your application.
- ➡ Because proceeds directed to scholarships fluctuate year to year, ranking preference will be given to graduating high school seniors. The Scholarship Committee may also recommend full or partial awards based on funding.

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**All applications must be postmarked or emailed no later than May 2, 2025.**

**If emailed, please make sure you receive a confirmation email receipt of delivery.**

**Incomplete or late application packets will not be considered for award.**