

New Haven Citizens' Academy

What is It? An eight week course designed to increase communication, understanding, collaboration and respect between New Haven Citizens and police.

Note: The Citizens Academy is not the New Haven Police Academy and CA Graduates will not be certified police officers.

Who Should Apply? Adult New Haven Residents are encouraged to apply for admission. Be at least 18 years of age by the first day of classes; there is no upper age limit.

-Not have an outstanding arrest warrant; have no felony convictions and no convictions including domestic violence, drugs or the use of a weapon;

-Be willing to have the New Haven Police Department conduct a criminal background check;

-Be willing to actively participate in all eight class sessions. Classes will be interactive, involving student feedback, evaluations and meetings with veteran officers;

Highlights Topics and Issues

Court System, Robbery/ Burglary, Crime Scene Investigations, Police Use of Force, Internal Affairs, Dispatch and 911, Domestic Violence, Gangs, Juvenile Services, Child Development and Community Policing, Civilian Review Board and more...

You can also Ride along with a police officer on his/her shift, see what it is really like....

Sign Up Today!!!!!!

Application Submission

****Applications need to be submitted in person:**

Applications can be submitted

Monday—Friday 9am-5pm.

Also during extended hours below:

Wednesday– Friday

March 18- 20 & March 25- 27, 2009

April 1-3, 2009

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2009

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Wanted...

New Haven Residents

"Take a Look

Behind the Scenes

Of the

New Haven Police Department"

Application Inside

Registration begins

March 2, 2009

Classes Begin

April 15, 2009– June 3, 2009

Wednesday Sessions 6pm-9pm

New Haven Police Academy

710 Sherman Parkway

New Haven, CT 06511

(203) 946-6119

CITIZENS' ACADEMY Application Form

New Haven Police Academy and Division of Training and Education. 203.946.6309.

The New Haven Police Citizens' Academy will run from April 15, 2009 –June 3, 2009. Times for each Wednesday class will normally be 6:00pm – 9:00pm. Completed applications for the eight week session must be returned by the applicant (him or herself) to the New Haven Police Academy, 710 Sherman Parkway, New Haven. Monday—Friday (9am-5pm) and during *extended hours below. Classes will be held at this location as well. Citizens' Academy Staff will be available during the following times to review applications with candidates and answer questions.

- Extended Hours for Application Drop Off—Wednesdays—Friday 4pm-7pm / March 18-20 & 25-27, April 1-3, 2009
- Please print or type clearly. Applications received after 7pm on Friday April 3, 2009, will not be considered

Name : _____ (first) _____ (Middle Initial) _____ (last) _____ Date : _____

Home Address : _____ (Street) _____ (City) _____ (State) _____ (Zip)

Daytime telephone _____ - _____ Evening telephone _____ - _____

Additional contact numbers (cell, pager, e-mail) _____

Employer (if applicable) : _____

Occupation or Position : _____

Employer Address : _____ (Street) _____ (City) _____ (State) _____ (Zip)

Please describe any community service or other volunteer activities with which you are or have been involved. _____

Briefly explain why you would like to attend this academy and what you might do with the training. _____

OPTIONAL DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION: Gender _____ Race/ethnicity _____
Date of birth _____ Your Age as of first day of class _____
Highest level of education completed _____
Neighborhood in which you live _____

How did you learn about the New Haven Police CITIZENS' ACADEMY? Please be as specific as possible: *which* newspaper, T.V.,station,friend, department member, etc. _____

If you have ever been convicted of a crime please describe the charges, circumstances and dates involved. _____

Please provide the names, affiliations, addresses and current daytime phone numbers of two references with whom you have worked, preferably your supervisor(s). Do *not* list relatives. _____

Please note that it is necessary to commit to all Twelve class sessions, as well as to complete outside reading and writing assignments. No application or tuition fees will be charged.

I hereby certify that the information contained in this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. If I am being considered for participation in the New Haven Police CITIZENS' ACADEMY I agree to submit a signed *Release of Information Form* authorizing the New Haven Police Department to complete an investigation of my work, school, personal and other relevant history as described in that form. Please note that both completed forms are necessary for application to be processed.

Applicant signature: _____ **Date:** _____

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Date Application and Release of Information Forms are received by academy staff and staff member's initials: _____ Date: _____