

San Jose Police Activities League

Law Enforcement Unit

Cadet Application

The Law Enforcement Unit (LEU) was created to introduce young people to law enforcement as a career opportunity

THE PURPOSE OF THE LAW ENFORCEMENT UNIT

- To recruit qualified young adults who have an interest in law enforcement.
- To teach the policies and procedures of the San Jose Police Department and related areas of law enforcement.
- To develop leadership qualities.
- To improve relations between the police and young people.
- To Provide service to the community.
- To assist the San Jose Police Department when called upon.

HISTORY

The Boy Scouts of America first organized the LEU in 1964. Volunteers of the San Jose Police Department then administered the Explorer Program. In 1968 the program was transferred to the San Jose Police Activities League (PAL). With the change of sponsors, the name Explores was changed to the Law Enforcement Unit. Also in 1968 young women first joined the ranks of the Unit. The San Jose Police Activities League is committed to maintain an outstanding career-training program for its Cadets. The individual's personal initiative is the most decisive factor in his or her success.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Applicants must complete an application and submit it to the Cadet Advisor. Each application will be scheduled for an oral interview and will be required to submit a current school transcript. Upon completion of the academy and the probationary period, the status of Cadet Recruit will change to Cadet.

ELIGIBILITY FOR CADET RECRUIT

1. Must be at least 14 year of age and in high school and no more than 20 years of age.
2. No serious medical problems.
3. No extensive criminal background.
4. Under 18 years of age requires parental consent.
5. Must have an interest in law enforcement.
6. Must maintain a minimum of a 2.0 / "C" grade point average

CADET RECRUIT APPLICATION / PERSONAL HISTORY QUESTIONNAIRE

The information you provide in this questionnaire will be used in a background investigation to clear you for access to property and / or materials under the control of the San Jose Police Department. Please provide complete and accurate information, which will be subject to verification.

Personal Information

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____ Middle: _____

Address: _____

DOB: _____ Age: _____ Height: _____ Weight: _____ Eyes: _____

Birthplace: _____ Social Security # _____

Cell Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____

Email: _____

School Currently Attending: _____ Grade _____ G.P.A. _____

Health

Cadets are regularly involved in physically demanding activities. Do you have any medical condition that could put you at risk or limit your participation? **Yes No**

If "YES", please explain: _____

References

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

For parents of minors, please provide your Name, Address, and Cell Phone Numbers.

Parent Name: _____

Address: _____

Cell Phone Number: _____

Parent Name: _____

Address: _____

Cell Phone Number: _____

Employment History

Beginning with your most current employment, list your last three jobs, including part-time, temporary, and voluntary positions. List any past law enforcement experience.

Start Date: _____ End Date: _____

Employer Name: _____

Address: _____

Duty of Title: _____

Reason for leaving: _____

Start Date: _____ End Date: _____

Employer Name: _____

Address: _____

Duty of Title: _____

Reason for leaving:

Start Date: _____

End Date: _____

Employer Name: _____

Address: _____

Duty of Title: _____

Reason for leaving:

Have you ever received verbal or written discipline, or been fired by an employer?

Legal

Have you ever been convicted, committed, or been involved in a crime as a juvenile or adult?

YES NO

If "YES", please explain the circumstances

Are you currently on Parole or Probation? **YES NO**

If "YES", explain

Have you ever been involved in a gang? **YES NO**

If "YES", explain
