



**MAINE SHERIFFS' ASSOCIATION
2018 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

Applicant's Name: _____ Gender (please circle): M F

*Applicant must be related to an employee of a Maine Sheriff's Office. Children of deceased employees of a Sheriff's Office are eligible.

Complete Mailing Address: _____

E-mail address: _____

Date of Birth: _____ High School Attended: _____

High School Class Rank: _____ G.P.A.: _____

Parent Working for Sheriff's Office - Name: _____

County: _____ Occupation: _____

Name of College: _____

Field of Study: _____ Occupational Goal: _____

In a separate document, please answer one of the following essay questions and submit with your application.

- What do you consider to be the single most important societal problem? Why?
- How you have demonstrated leadership ability both in and out of school?
- Who in your life has been your biggest influence and why?

Estimated Cost of Tuition Per Year: \$ _____ Have you applied for Financial Aid (circle one)? Y N

Have you been awarded Financial Aid? _____ Amount of Financial Aid awarded: \$ _____

Please list (use back of application, if necessary) 3 scholarships/grants for which you have applied or intend to apply. If received, please include amount.

How many brothers and sisters are living at home? _____

How much have you saved for college? _____

How much do you intend to save this summer? _____

How much will your parents contribute? _____

Have you been working during the school year? _____ Where? _____

Are you willing to work while attending school? _____

Are there any financial circumstances that the scholarship committee should know about? If so, what are they?
(i.e. illness in family, unemployment, other children in college, etc.) Use back of application, if necessary.

Applications must be mailed and postmarked by April 25, 2018 to:

Maine Sheriffs' Association, 406 East Side Trail, Oakland, ME 04963

*I certify that this applicant is eligible for the scholarship.

Sheriff: _____

Date: _____

Dear Applicant,

Please use the checklist below to complete your application materials. Please note, unsolicited materials will be discarded and not factored into the grading process.

Completed Application – **APPLICATIONS WITHOUT SHERIFF SIGNATURE WILL BE DISQUALIFIED**

Completed Essay Question – no less than 300 words, please choose one of topics provided.

Official High School Transcript– **Transcripts that do not reflect original seal will not be accepted.**

At times, the MSA would like to publicize our scholarship winners and include name and basic information, including photographs. Consent to release this information is not a factor in determining scholarship recipients.

By my signature below, I authorize release of my name, school, and quotes from my scholarship application essay for the purpose of public relations only, including publication in the MSA magazine and on their website. I consent that this release remains in effect until revoked by me in writing.

Applicant signature: _____
(Date)

Parent signature (if minor): _____
(Date)