

Northbrook Police Department

Citizens Police Academy Application

Name: _____
Last First Middle

Date of Birth: _____ Social Security Number: _____

Address: _____
Street City State Zip Code

Driver's License Number: _____ State: _____ Telephone #: _____

Have you ever been arrested for anything other than a minor traffic offense? YES ___ NO ___

If YES, explain where, when, and final disposition: _____

Place of Employment: _____

Address: _____
Street City State Zip Code

Current involvement in civic activities, if any: _____

What previous experience have you had with law enforcement: _____

Briefly explain your interest in attending the Northbrook Citizen Police Academy: _____

All applicants must be residents or business owners within the Village of Northbrook and must be 21 years of age or older. A criminal background check will be completed on all applicants and the Northbrook Police Department reserves the right to deny entry to any applicant based on the findings of the background check. Applicants understand that attending the Northbrook Police Department Citizen's Police Academy does not authorize them to carry firearms or exercise any authority other than that of a private citizen.

Applicant Signature _____ Date: _____

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Charles J. Wernick
Chief of Police

Northbrook Police Department

Citizens Police Academy



What is the Citizens Police Academy?

The Citizens Police Academy is a free 10 session program designed to give residents and business owners a first-hand look at the Northbrook Police Department and its employees.

The Academy meets from 7:00 pm until 9:30 pm, one night per week, at the Police Station but may meet at other local sites as required. Using both hands-on and classroom instruction, each session focuses on various aspects of police work. During the Academy, participants will be given an opportunity to ride with a Northbrook Police Officer during a shift, and observe the inner working of the communications center .

What is the Goal of The Academy?

The goal of the Northbrook Citizens Police Academy is to strengthen the partnership between the Police and the Community that we serve. Close interaction allows the citizens and the Police Department to understand each other better. By accomplishing this, a new team approach could be used to handle law enforcement issues that challenge our community.

Participation in the Academy does not authorize attendees to carry weapons, make arrests, or exercise any authority other than that of a private citizen.

Who are the Instructors?

The instructors are Police Officers, Civilian Police Department employees, and/or seasoned professionals in the Criminal Justice System. All of the instructors demonstrate veteran experience and knowledge in their entertaining presentations.



What does the Academy have to Offer?

The curriculum of the Citizens Police Academy is fluid and changes periodically to stay current. Some of the core instruction includes:

- Communications Overview
- Patrol Operations
- Criminal Investigations
- Defensive Tactics
- Crime Scene Processing
- Police Canine Techniques
- Mock Traffic Stops
- Animal Control
- Use of Force decision making

How to Apply?

If you are interested in attending one of the Northbrook Police Department's Citizens Police Academy Classes you may apply by completing the application on the reverse side and returning it to the address shown below. Class size is limited and selection is based on a first come first serve basis.

Apply To:

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Northbrook Police Department
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Northbrook, Illinois 60062

Phone: 847-564-2060 ext. 2155
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