

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THERE ARE NO WILLFUL MISREPRESENTATIONS, OMISSIONS OR FALSIFICATIONS IN THE FOREGOING STATEMENTS AND ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS. I UNDERSTAND THAT ANY OMISSIONS OR FALSE STATEMENTS ON THE APPLICATION SHALL BE SUFFICIENT CAUSE FOR REJECTION FOR ENROLLMENT OR DISMISSAL FROM THE DENTON POLICE DEPARTMENT CITIZEN POLICE ACADEMY.

I FURTHER UNDERSTAND THAT THE DENTON POLICE DEPARTMENT WILL BE CONDUCTING A BACKGROUND REVIEW THAT MAY INCLUDE, BUT WILL NOT BE LIMITED TO, ANY CRIMINAL HISTORY.

Signature

Date

Return this application to:

Officer Shane Kizer
Denton Police Department
Citizen Police Academy
601 E. Hickory Street, Suite E
Denton, TX 76205

Mission Statement

The mission of the Denton Police Department is to positively impact the quality of life throughout the community. To achieve these ends, the department is committed to forming practical partnerships with the citizenry, which includes a mutual goal setting process aimed at resolving problems, reducing fear, preserving the peace, and enforcing the law; thereby providing a safe environment for all citizens.

Our Core Values

Professionalism
Respect
Integrity
Dedication
Excellence



**City of Denton
Police Department**

Citizen Police Academy

**“Understanding
through Education”**



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**Officer Shane Kizer
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940-349-7241**

What is the CPA?

The Citizen Police Academy is a 12 week program designed to open the lines of communication between the Denton Police Department and the community. It is the sincere desire of the Denton Police Department to develop a style of policing that reflects a collaborative effort between the community and police. This process requires an informed citizenry and it is the goal of the CPA to increase "Understanding through Education."

When are classes held?

Classes meet one evening per week for eleven weeks and are conducted at no cost to the participants.

What Topics Are Covered?

The curriculum is intended to provide a comprehensive overview of the operational dynamics of the Denton Police Department and the critical role citizens play in our community crime control efforts. Each class is given by Police Officers who actually work every day in the job area they are presenting. For example, School Resource Officers (SRO) will discuss the SRO program and its effects on our children. Traffic Officers will discuss their role in enforcing the Traffic Laws and reducing the number of accidents in the city. Detectives will discuss the types of offenses that occur in Denton and their role in investigating those crimes. We believe that policing by partnership, the union of efforts, is essential for effective law enforcement.

Who Should Attend the CPA?

Any citizen who lives or works in the City of Denton is eligible to attend the Citizen Police Academy. The only exceptions are those people who are immediate family members of a Law Enforcement Officer. Each class is limited to 24 people and participants are chosen to ensure a broad community representation so everyone might develop an informed understanding of the effects that social, cultural, educational and economic institutions have on our neighborhoods.

How Do I Apply?

Fill out the attached application and mail it or bring it to:

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If you have any questions, contact Officer Kizer at Shane.Kizer@cityofdenton.com or 940-349-7241.

You will be notified by mail of your acceptance into the class. If the class is full, you will be notified and placed on a waiting list for the next available class.

Denton Police Department Citizen Police Academy Application for Enrollment

APPLICANT MUST BE 18 YEARS OF AGE TO APPLY. INCOMPLETE AND/OR UNSIGNED APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT.

Name: _____
Last First Middle

Date of birth: _____

Race: _____ Sex: _____

Driver's License #: _____

Home Address: _____

City State Zip Code

Present Employer: _____

Business Address: _____

City State Zip Code

Work phone: _____

Home phone: _____

Email address: _____

Have you ever been arrested for, convicted of, or cited for an offense other than traffic citations?__

If yes, explain in detail showing date, charge, location and action taken.

Please explain briefly why you wish to be enrolled in the Denton Police Department Citizen Police Academy.

