

200 CLUB of HUDSON COUNTY

SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS

Scholarships of up to \$2,500 each will be awarded for the **Effective Academic School Year**. Applicants will be judged on the basis of class standing, citizenship, leadership potential, and financial need. A professional staff will coordinate the processing of all applications for approval by the Board of Trustees of the Educational Assistance Fund. The Board will review and approve applications impartially. **Awards will be announced in May at the Club's annual luncheon.**

TO QUALIFY

- *A parent must be actively serving Hudson County in a branch of public safety.
- *Diploma Requirements: The applicant must be a bona fide student of a private, parochial or public school, located in or out of Hudson County and must be eligible to receive a high school diploma prior to September 1, of the **Effective Academic School Year**.
- *Aspirations: The student must have a definite plan to pursue a post-high school program of educational or training, **on a full time basis**.
- *Character: The applicant must have exhibited good citizenship traits and be of sound moral character.

The 200 Club of Hudson County is a non-profit organization formed in 1984 to provide financial assistance to the dependents of members of the Hudson County police, firefighters, emergency medical services and NJ State Police of New Jersey, who have lost their lives in the line of duty.

The scholarship program was established in 1988 to aid children of actively serving public safety personnel in their desire to attend college, vocational school or to acquire other post-high school education.

ELIGIBILITY

Applicants will be limited to high school seniors who have a parent actively serving Hudson County in one of the following branches of public safety:

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| Police and Law Enforcement | Fire Department |
| NJ State Police | (Including volunteer firefighters) |
| Sheriff's Department | Prosecutor's Office |
| | Emergency Medical Services |

GENERAL INFORMATION

Applicants for the following academic year, i.e. September-June must be received no later than March 31. The application should be completed and mailed to:

200 Club of Hudson County, PO Box 1444, Bayonne, NJ 07002

The applicant must arrange with the school's guidance counselor to forward the Secondary School Transcript, SAT scores, and the School's Recommendation with a special notation relative character and citizenship.

"Eligibility is limited to the children of public safety employees engaged only in the branches reflected above. It does not include children of personnel working in clerical or other non-related public safety duties. Children of members of the 200 Club are ineligible.

Effective Academic School Year _____
(Enter Applicable School Year)

**APPLICATION MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE SCHOLARSHIP
COMMITTEE BY MARCH 1st**

APPLICATION FORM

The 200 Club of Hudson County Scholarship Program
(Please print/type clearly)

Name _____ S.S.# _____

Home Address _____

Home Telephone _____

Secondary School _____

Date of Graduation _____

Other Secondary Schools Attended _____

Parent's Name _____

Parent's (Eligible) Occupation _____

Municipality _____

**APPLICATIONS THAT ARE INCOMPLETE AND/OR LACK REQUESTED INFORMATION -
WILL DISQUALIFY THE STUDENT FROM CONSIDERATION**

Applicant's Signature _____

This application should be fully completed and returned with the following:

- 1 Secondary School Transcript
- 2 School's Recommendation
- 3 A recent photo of yourself

Please attach a statement, not to exceed 300 words, explaining your reasons for pursuing higher education or training. Include a statement about your career objectives.

Please list your work experience by giving the job, employer, dates and hours per week on the job.

Please list extra curricula and community activities in the order of their importance to you. Include the activity, dates of participation, hours per week and the position you held.

Give a brief statement, with any additional comments, such as hobbies, work and recreational experiences, which you feel might be of interest to the selection committee.

Please explain if you or your family has a financial need for this scholarship. List your family income and list other family members who are attending private schools or colleges.

Please attach a recent photo of yourself. An interview may be required.

All applications must be received by the Committee no later than
MARCH 31ST OF THE EFFECTIVE SCHOOL YEAR.