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JUNIOR POLICE ACADEMY

JUNE 17th – 21st, 2024 8:15 am – 3 pm

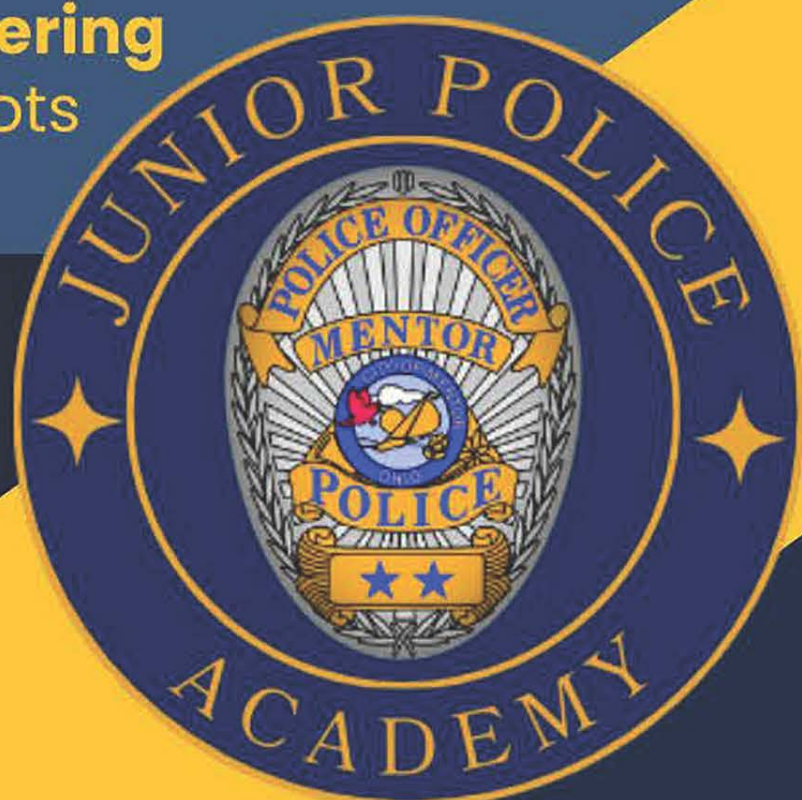
The purpose of the Junior Police Academy is to provide the recruits with a foundation of law enforcement, while enhancing their social skills to become more productive students and members of our community.

CADETS WILL LEARN

- *PT/Physical training
- *Defensive Tactics
- *Squad competitions
- *Mock Crime Scene Investigations
- *K9 Demonstration
- *Drone Unit
- *Bomb Squad
- *Processing Evidence
- *CPR & First Aid
- *Fingerprinting
- *Team Building Challenges
- *SWAT demonstration
- *Traffic Stop Scenarios

Academy open to Mentor residents **entering grades 6 – 8 only**. Space is limited – Spots granted on first come, first serve basis.

REGISTRATION:
MentorJPA.com





Mentor Police Department Junior Police Academy Application

Date _____

Cadet's Name: _____ Age: _____ M / F

Address _____

School _____ Grade for 2023/24 school year _____

T-Shirt Size- YM YL YXL AS AM AL AXL

Short Size- YM YL YXL AS AM AL AXL

Parent/Guardian _____

Address _____

Contact Phone Number _____

Email Address _____

- Please complete this application and send with a check in the amount of \$50.00, made out to **City of Mentor**, to **8500 Civic Center Blvd. Mentor, OH 44060** Attention: Officer Dan Radigan, or drop off at the police department during regular business hours. **Space is limited.**

Mentor Police Department Junior Police Academy

The Mentor Police Department is affording young people of our community the opportunity to experience law enforcement firsthand. The Mentor Junior Police Academy will be held from June 17th to June 21st, 2024. Cadets will be dropped off at the Springbrook Gardens Park, 6776 Heisley Road, Mentor, by 8:15 am and will need to be picked up promptly at 3:00 pm. The academy will be similar in nature to those that actual police cadets attend. Students will learn the basic functions of a working police department, as well as have a chance to explore the idea of a possible career in this ever challenging and demanding field. Students will attend regular classes with topics including, but not limited to, patrol procedures, traffic enforcement, K9 handling, SWAT, CPR, Crime Scene processing, and self-defense. Cadets will take part in physical fitness sessions, which will also include drill instruction (marching). The classes will include lecture and hands-on experience. Cadets will not in any way be handling real firearms during the academy. Additional details regarding schedules and lunch/breaks will be covered once cadets are accepted into the academy.

The academy will consist of Mentor School District residents entering 6th, 7th, and 8th grade for the 2024/2025 school year. Students will be expected to take the program seriously and follow academy rules, which closely resemble school rules. **Due to the seriousness of the content of this program, immature behavior will not be tolerated.** The application should be completed and returned ASAP. Space is limited and applicants will be accepted on a first come, first serve basis.

The Mentor Police Department looks forward to working with your child and having a FUN academy! Please contact Officer Dan Radigan at radigan@cityofmentor.com with any additional questions or concerns.



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Cadet's Name: _____

Please list **current** contact information for your child. These will be the individuals contacted in case of an emergency or any other issue that arises during the time they are attending the Academy. This information must be filled out before your child can participate in the Junior Police Academy program. Thank you for your anticipated cooperation.

1. Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone # _____ Receive Text- Yes / No

Alternate Contact # _____

2. Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone # _____ Receive Text- Yes / No

Alternate Contact # _____

3. Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone # _____ Receive Text- Yes / No

Alternate Contact # _____



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CODE OF CONDUCT

- Cadets will be expected to maintain a mature and respectful attitude towards classmates and instructors.
- Cadets will adhere to a strict “no touch” policy, much like those of school rules, unless engaged in an activity where it is necessary under the direction of the staff.
- Cadets are expected to keep up with their personal belongings and should limit what they bring to class (notebooks, lunches, etc.)
- Cadets will be permitted to bring cellphones. However, they will need to be kept with their personal belongings and ONLY used with the permission of the staff. No computers, iPads, etc. are to be brought to the academy.
- If possible, cadets should not bring valuables to the academy. Cadets will not need money with them for any of the activities.
- Cadets will be expected to participate in all academy activities unless student is unable. (Instructors should be given notice of cadet’s physical limitations prior to the start of the academy).
- The academy is designed to teach the cadets about discipline and responsibility. Therefore, we expect them to maintain a professional appearance. Their uniforms are to be neat and clean each day, with their shirts tucked in.
- The academy will start promptly at 8:15 am each morning and ALL cadets are expected to be ready for instruction at that time.

The academy is designed to closely resemble that of a real police academy. Although we realize children differ from adults in many ways, rules of behavior are strict, to ensure the safety of all participants. We wish for the academy to be a fun and enjoyable experience for all who attend.

Violations of the rules of behavior may result in removal from the class for the day. Subsequent violations may result in expulsion from the academy.

STUDENT SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN _____ DATE _____



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Cadet's Name _____

Parent/Guardian Completing Form _____

MEDICAL INFORMATION

Please list all medical conditions, medications, and allergies that your son / daughter may have:

***All medical information will be kept confidential and will only be used for medical purposes in case of an emergency.**