## Fraternal Order of Police Lodge #45: College Scholarship

### (Sheriff's Deputies & Correctional Officers of Gage County)

About: FOP Lodge #45 are the sheriff's deputies and correctional officers of the Gage County Sheriff's Office. We are seeking to invest in the future of our county's youth who are seeking a degree in Criminal Justice.

Amount: $500

Due by: March 1st 2024

Eligibility: This scholarship is open to a Gage County high school senior, graduating in 2024, and continuing their education in Criminal Justice. The student must be a resident of Gage County. The student must be seeking a degree in Criminal Justice at a two- or four-year accredited college or university. Two students will be selected for the scholarship.

Distribution: The scholarship will be distributed to the student's college or university. The student must provide proof of acceptance and enrollment prior to August 2024 for the funds to be sent to the college.

How to Apply: Students wishing to apply will complete a scholarship application and write a 1-2 page essay. The essay should address the following questions: Why are you seeking a Criminal Justice degree? What role does criminal justice play in our society? What criminal justice career field are you interested in working, and why?

Applications can be requested from your school's student services office, or by sending an e-mail to the point of contacts below.

Please submit applications and essays to: gagefop45@gmail.com

If you have any questions, please contact:

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Student Name:

**First Name** Ml **Last Name**

# Date:-----------

Home Address:

**Street Address City State Zip**

# Date of Birth:-------------

**Month** Day **Year**

Male: Female:

Name of Parent/Guardian:

My choice of school(s):

1-

2**-**

My intended degree choices:

1-

2**-**

Please attach a typed essay to your application. The essay should be 1-2 pages in length and address the following questions:

Why are you seeking a Criminal Justice degree? What role does criminal justice play in our society?

What criminal justice career field are you interested in working? Why are you interested in this career field?

Applications must be submitted no later than **March 1st 2024.**

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