

## **JOHN M. BAILEY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP AWARD**

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**THE CONNECTICUT CRIMINAL JUSTICE EDUCATIONAL & CHARITABLE ASSOCIATION,  
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### **REQUIREMENTS & INFORMATION**

The John M. Bailey Memorial Scholarships are awarded annually by the Connecticut Criminal Justice Educational & Charitable Association, Inc. The scholarships are awarded to high school seniors or enrolling or undergraduates enrolled in college who are: 1) planning to major in any criminal justice or related field; or 2) the sons, daughters, grandsons and/or granddaughters of someone who has served in the field of criminal justice. (Criminal justice includes, but is not limited to, law, legal studies, public safety, court services, law enforcement, fire science, forensic science, juvenile/family justice, protective service, corrections, parole, homeland security, environmental protection)

#### **Who is Eligible?**

Applicants must be a graduating senior from an accredited high school in the school year of application OR be currently enrolled in an undergraduate program in an accredited college or university. The award is contingent upon acceptance by and/or attendance at a duly accredited institution of higher education in the upcoming academic year.

#### **Criteria:**

Scholarship(s) will be awarded on the basis of the applicant's character, leadership qualities, scholastic aptitude, and connection to or interest in law enforcement.

#### **Requirements for application:**

Applications can be obtained at [www.ccjeca.org](http://www.ccjeca.org) or by mailing a request to CCJECA, P.O Box 407, Rocky Hill, CT 06067-0407.

If the applicant is a graduating high school senior, the application **MUST** be accompanied by SAT or ACT scores, a high school transcript, including the applicant's class rank if it is kept by the school. If the applicant is already enrolled in college, the application **MUST** include an official college or university transcript, including the applicant's class rank if kept by the school.

All applications **MUST** include a short two hundred and fifty (250) word essay on the applicant's career goals.

#### **Letters of recommendation:**

For applicants currently in high school, letters of recommendation are required from the applicant's high school guidance counselor and two additional people not related to the applicant. Applicants who are already enrolled in a college/university should submit two letters of recommendation from people not related to the applicant.

#### **Deadline:**

The application and accompanying essay must be postmarked no later than May 1 of the current year.