



San Francisco Police Activities League

(NEW in 2010)

Summer Cadet Academy

- ★ **4-week intensive Summer Cadet Academy June 21 to July 16 at the SF Police Academy**
- ★ **Up to 40 new cadets can participate**
- ★ **Graduates will be immediately eligible for SFPD station internships**
- ★ **Download application at www.sfpal.org/cadets/ (Due April 23 2010)**



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Law Enforcement Cadet Program





What is the PAL Cadet Program?

The PAL Cadet program started in San Francisco in 1959. Since then, thousands of San Francisco youth have experienced and embraced new leadership opportunities, including many who have chosen to pursue law enforcement or public service careers.

PAL Law Enforcement Cadets engage in activities centered on the five emphasis areas of the Learning for Life program:

- ★ Career and job skills development
- ★ Leadership experience
- ★ Life skills
- ★ Character education
- ★ Community service

Why join?

- ★ Gain hands-on experience in law enforcement practices and public service.
- ★ Experience positive leadership from adult and youth mentors and have the opportunity to grow your own leadership skills.
- ★ Learn and grow in a supportive, caring and fun environment.
- ★ Provide service to your community.

Activities

- ★ Internships at SFPD district stations and department bureaus
- ★ Police ride-alongs
- ★ 4-week Summer Cadet Academy internship certification
- ★ Leadership training
- ★ Education in proper police procedures
- ★ Meet and participate in competition events with other Bay Area and Explorer posts
- ★ Assist in charitable and civic events including crowd control and parking control, serving as color guard, proving directions and much more.

Minimum Qualifications

- ★ Between the ages of 14 & 20
- ★ Must pass a background investigation:
 - 1) Criminal History
 - 2) Driving Record (If applicable)
- ★ Maintain a GPA of at least 2.0
- ★ Regular attendance and participation in training and community service events as required.

Training Sessions

Day: Thursdays
Time: 6:00 PM to 9:00 PM
Where: San Francisco Police Academy
350 Amber Dr. S.F., CA 94131