

Scholarship Program for Linnel Driving School & Coalition for Public Safety Training in Schools, Inc. (CPSTS)

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"Providing pathways for Youth to Employment"

The logo for Linnel Driving School is a yellow rectangular box. Inside the box, the word 'LINNEL' is written in a bold, italicized, black sans-serif font. Below 'LINNEL', the words 'Driving School' are written in a smaller, black, italicized sans-serif font.

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Scholarship Application Requirements

FOR AN APPLICATION TO BE CONSIDERED, YOU MUST:

1. Be a **resident**, living in Prince George's County Maryland.
2. Be a member of a PGCCPS High School Junior or Senior ages 16 to 18 years.
3. Have a commitment from parents to ensure the student attends and participate in all sessions.
4. Must meet the eligibility requirements of
 - A) Enrolled in a CTE Program with a 2.0+ GPA, **or**
 - B) qualify for the Free and Reduced Lunch program with a 2.0+ GPA **or**
 - C) have a 3.0+ GPA as of last marking period.
5. Free and Reduced Lunch program approval letter must be submitted.
6. Complete and sign the application.
7. Write a one page 250-word essay on this subject: How will a driver's license help you to gain sustainable employment in your chosen course of study.
8. Submit the completed application and required documents, including Report Card from SchoolMax to: info@cpsts.org by December 17, 2021.

DEADLINE: Applications must be received by December 17, 2021.



For questions, or further information, please contact:
Mr. William Taylor at 240-508-4203 or info@cpsts.org
Mr. Linwood Nelson at (C) 301-996-2459 (Office) 301-341-1700

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CHECK ONE: **CTE with a 2.0+** **GPA CTE Program Name** _____
 FARM with a 2.0+ GPA **3.0+ GPA**

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION (Please PRINT and answer all questions)

School Name _____ Grade _____

Full Name _____ D.O.B _____ Age _____

Home Address _____

Town _____ Zip _____

Gender _____ Race _____

*Applicant Email _____

Applicant Cell Phone _____

Home Telephone Number _____

Parent Name _____

Parent Phone # and Email
(home) _____

Parent Phone # and Email
(work) _____

Parent Signature _____

PLEASE NOTE:

1. This application applies to **High School Juniors and Seniors.**
2. Return completed application by **December 17, 2021.**
3. * **DO NOT** use school email address.

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MANDATORY ESSAY QUESTION: (one-page essay: 250 word minimum and **MUST BE TYPED – ATTACH AS A SEPARATE PAGE IF ADDITIONAL SPACE NEEDED – SEPARATE PAGE MUST** include your full name and birth month and year.)

How will a driver's license help you to gain sustainable employment in your chosen course of study?

Extra-Curricular Activity: MUST BE TYPED – ATTACH AS A SEPARATE PAGE IF ADDITIONAL SPACE NEEDED – SEPARATE PAGE MUST include your full name and birth month and year. Enter N/A if no Extra-Curricular Activity.

Community Service: MUST BE TYPED – ATTACH AS A SEPARATE PAGE IF ADDITIONAL SPACE NEEDED – SEPARATE PAGE MUST include your full name and birth month and year. Enter N/A if no Community Service

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Standard Operating Procedures and Policies

- All students are expected to arrive on time, prepared to take notes and participate in all classrooms (in person or virtual) and Behind the Wheel activities.
- There will be respect between all students, parents, and all Linnel Driving School instructors and staff, everyone will be treated with kindness, respect, and professionalism.
- All classroom and cars are to be treated with appreciation and not to be damaged or vandalized. **If so, it will be the responsibility of the parent to reimburse the driving school for the damage or repairs.**
- No profanity, horse playing, disrespect toward the instructor or disruptive classroom activities including, but not limited to spitting, cussing, yelling, inappropriate conversation, classroom cell phone use, abusive entering and exiting of the classroom will NOT be tolerated and can be grounds for immediate expulsion from the scholarship program.
- Students who fail to attend three (3) classes may be expelled from the scholarship program. The decision to expel can be made by either Linnel Driving School or the Coalition for Public Safety Training in Schools, Inc.
- Students are required to notify the Coalition for Public Safety Training in Schools, Inc., or Linnel Driving School of a change of address prior to the completion of the 10-week course.

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Any negative issues will be addressed by the following process:

Step One: Parent/instructor/student telephone conference.

Step Two: If no improvement, **mandatory** parent classroom attendance to encourage positive student behavior and minimize disruptive behavior.

Step Three: If no improvement is observed, the student may be expelled from the scholarship program.

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Parent/Guardian Name

Signature

Date

- Maryland Motor Vehicle Administration (MVA) requires each student who drives the car to have a valid learner's permit. Also, all students must hold a valid learner's permit for nine months before taking the MVA Road Test to get his or her license. Students are required to obtain **60** hours of driving practice with a parent or mentor during the holding period.
- Maryland Motor Vehicle Administration requires the parent's participation and involvement in training students in the car with practice.
- Students are required to have at least **20** hours of Behind-the-Wheel practice with the parent or mentor before the 1st Behind-the-Wheel evaluation.

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- Students are required to have at least 40 hours of Behind-the-Wheel practice with the parent or mentor before the 2nd Behind-the-Wheel evaluation.
- Students are required to have at least 60 hours of Behind-the-Wheel practice with the parent or guardian before the 3rd Behind-the-Wheel evaluation.
- Students participating in the virtual training are required to remain active on camera for the entire training period in order to receive lesson credit.

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Student SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

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Parent SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____