Dear Prospective Applicant:

Enclosed is the application for admission to the Temple University Police Academy. Before completing the application, you should read the information packet that describes Temple University Police Academy’s policies on Admission, Costs, Refunds and Physical Training Requirements. If you have not already received a copy of this information you may request that it be sent to you by calling (267) 468-8600 or you can e-mail your request to policeacademy@temple.edu. Additionally, you may visit our website at www.temple.edu/cjtp.

I encourage you to thoroughly familiarize yourself with our program. Make your decision to apply for admission to this program with careful deliberation and an honest and realistic assessment of your desire and ability to make law enforcement your career. This is a rigorous program. If you are a civilian applicant, this program is a significant investment of your time, energy, and money.

Enrollment in the full-time academy is limited to thirty students. This year, as in years past, we are seeking the best candidates. If you are committed to pursuing a career in law enforcement and if you feel that your motivation, judgment, integrity, physical and intellectual abilities will place you among our best applicants this year, we look forward to receiving your application.

Sincerely,

Robert Deegan

Robert Deegan, Director
Temple University Police Academy
Temple University
Municipal Police Academy

ACT 120 Application

FORMAL APPLICATION AND PERSONAL HISTORY

Temple University Police Academy
Criminal Justice Training Programs
  Bright Hall, Room 204
  580 Meetinghouse Road
  Ambler, Pennsylvania  19002
  policeacademy@temple.edu

It is the determination of Temple University that these questions are necessary in order to fully and adequately evaluate applicants for law enforcement training certification. These questions are designed to ascertain whether the applicant meets the minimum standards for training certification and serve no other purpose.

READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS/QUESTIONS.
FAILURE TO ANSWER QUESTIONS MAY RESULT IN DENIAL OF ATTENDANCE TO THE ACADEMY.
TEMPLE UNIVERSITY POLICE ACADEMY POLICE ACADEMY RECRUIT APPLICATION

Applying for Full-Time Academy (check one): Spring _______ Summer _______ Fall _______

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS: This application consists of several parts. Each section must be completed and each page initialed. PRINT or TYPE an answer to every question. Answer N/A if a particular question does not apply to you. If space is insufficient, use reverse side and proceed with the number of the referenced block. DO NOT MISSTATE OR OMIT FACTS. STATEMENTS MADE ARE SUBJECT TO VERIFICATION TO DETERMINE YOUR QUALIFICATIONS FOR ACCEPTANCE. MISSTATEMENT OR OMISSION WILL BE CAUSE FOR REJECTION OR DISMISSAL FROM THE ACADEMY.

PART I. QUESTIONNAIRE: (all applicants)

_____________________________________________________________________________________
Last Name    First Name    Middle Name
_____________________________________________________________________________________  Street and Number  City   State/Zip Code
Present Residence Address    Street and Number  City   State/Zip Code
_____________________________________________________________________________________  Street and Number  City   State/Zip Code
Home Telephone Number    Work Telephone Number  Cell/Mobile Number
_____________________________________________________________________________________  Age
Date of Birth    Age
U.S. Citizen (Y/N)
_____________________________________________________________________________________  E-mail address

PART II. MUNICIPAL POLICE OFFICER QUESTIONNAIRE: (sworn police officers only)

a. Your date of appointment: _____/_____/_______

b. ____________________________________________________________________________
Name of Police Department

c. ____________________________________________________________________________
Dept. Address    Street and Number  City/State/Zip

d. ____________________________________________________________________________
Dept. Telephone Number    Police Chief’s Name

Applicant’s Initials_____
PART III. BACKGROUND INFORMATION: (all applicants)

A. RESIDENCE: List ALL for the past years, in reverse chronological order, beginning with the current residence.

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B. HEALTH INSURANCE: (all applicants) List your health care insurance provider information.

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C. CRIMINAL RECORD CHECK: (all applicants)
All applicants are required to submit an original Criminal History Record from the PA State Police (via web): [https://epatch.state.pa.us/](https://epatch.state.pa.us/) Note: If out-of-state, provide both resident state and PA criminal records checks.

Have you ever, as an adult or juvenile, been arrested, charged, convicted, plead guilty or nolo contendere to any criminal offense other than a minor traffic violation?

Yes______ No______

If Yes, state violation, court of jurisdiction, and date(s) of conviction below. Provide all details including final disposition. FAILURE TO PROVIDE COMPLETE AND ACCURATE INFORMATION WILL RESULT IN REJECTION OF YOUR APPLICATION.

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Applicant’s Initials______
D. EDUCATION (all applicants)

Did you graduate from high school or do you have a G.E.D.?  Yes_____  No______

List all high school attended. Have a transcript mailed from last high school attended. **

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List all colleges attended. Have a transcript mailed from last institution. **

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** Note: Do not delay submission of your application and your fee by waiting for your transcripts. Send your application and fee in now and request that the transcripts be sent separately.

E. OTHER SCHOOLS / EDUCATION (all applicants)

Have you applied to and/or attended other schools or training (trade, vocational, police academy, EMT/paramedic, etc.)? Give for each, the name and location of school(s), date(s), subject(s) studied, certificate(s) earned, and any other pertinent data.

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F. MILITARY SERVICE (all applicants)

Are you a military veteran? Yes_____  No _______

If Yes, attach Military Personnel Form DD214 and complete the following:

Branch of Service_______________________________ Rank at Discharge _______________________

Type of Discharge _______________________________ If less than honorable, explain: ____________

Military Occupation ____________________________ Medal/Decorations __________________________

_____________________________________________________________________________________

Applicant’s Initials______
G. CRIMINAL JUSTICE EXPERIENCE (all applicants)

Have you ever been employed by a criminal justice agency? Yes _____ No _____
If yes, which agency? ___________________________________________________________

Have you ever been denied employment by a criminal justice agency? Yes _____ No _____
If yes, explain ________________________________________________________________

H. CREDIT (all applicants)

Have you ever filed for bankruptcy? Yes _____ No _____
Have you ever been sued with a civil judgment rendered against you? Yes _____ No _____
Lists any pending civil actions. ______________________________________________________

PART IV. CHARACTER REFERENCES: (all applicants)

List only character references who have a definite knowledge of your qualifications for the position of
Police Academy Recruit. List two (2) character references. Have each reference write an accurate and
concise summary of his/her knowledge of you and your qualifications, and ask him/her to mail it directly
to the Academy. **Note:** Do not delay submission of your application and your fee by waiting for your
letters of recommendation. Send the application and fee in now and request that the recommendations be
sent separately.

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PART V. OTHER INCIDENTS (all applicants)

Are there any other incidents in your life not mentioned herein which may reflect upon your suitability to
attend the police academy or perform the duties of a police officer, or which might require further
explanation?

Yes_____ No_____ If Yes, explain below.

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Applicant’s Initials____
PART VI. HOW YOU WERE REFERRED TO TUPA (all applicants)

Briefly describe how you learned about or were referred to the Temple University Police Academy.

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PART VII. VEHICLE OPERATOR’S LICENSE (all applicants)

In consideration of my participation in a drive training course, I hereby give Temple University permission to investigate the status of my license to operate a motor vehicle.

_______________________________________  ______/______/______
Name as it appears on Driver’s License   Date of Birth

_______________________________________  _____/______/______
Signature      Today’s Date

_______________________________________  ____________________
Driver’s License Number    State Issuing License

___________________________   ______________________
Date of Issue   Expiration Date   Class of License

_____________________________________________________________________________________

Address as it appears on Driver’s License

Are you currently under suspension in ANY state?       Yes______   No______
If yes, explain below.

Have you ever had your license suspended or revoked?   Yes______   No______
If yes, explain below.

Would you have any issue producing a state driver’s record, if required? Yes______   No______
If yes, explain below.

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Applicant’s Initials______
PART VIII: FIREARMS BACKGROUND QUESTIONNAIRE (all applicants)

RESPONSES TO THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS WILL DETERMINE AN INDIVIDUAL’S ELIGIBILITY TO CARRY A FIREARM AND OBTAIN CERTIFICATION. COMPLETE THIS PAGE ONLY WHEN USING THIS FORM FOR CERTIFICATION. THIS PORTION OF THE CHANGE OF STATUS MUST BE COMPLETED AND SIGNED BY THE APPLICANT.

1. Have you ever been arrested or charged with a violation of the law? If YES, explain below and indicate all arrests and citations including traffic violations and dispositions. (Citations for illegal parking may be omitted.)

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☐ YES  ☐ NO

2. Have you ever been convicted of a crime enumerated in the Pennsylvania Uniform Firearms Act, Section 6105(b)? (Crimes listed under Section 6105 on the next page.)

☐ YES  ☐ NO

3. Have you ever been convicted of an offensive under Act of April 14, 1972 (P.L. 233, No. 64) know as the Controlled Substance Drug Device and Cosmetic Act that may be punishable by a term of imprisonment exceeding two years?

☐ YES  ☐ NO

4. Are you an individual who has been adjudicated delinquent by a court for conduct which, if committed by an adult, would constitute one of the crimes code sections preceded by an asterisk (*) on the following page in Section 6105(b)?

a. Are you an individual who has been adjudicated delinquent by a court, as a result of conduct which would constitute an offense enumerated under Section 6105(b) of the Pennsylvania Uniform Firearms Act?

☐ YES  ☐ NO

b. Has it been 15 years since the delinquent adjudication?

☐ YES  ☐ NO

c. Are you 30 years of age or older?

☐ YES  ☐ NO

5. Are you a United States citizen? If NO, enter Immigration Identification number; ______________________

☐ YES  ☐ NO

6. Are you subject to an active Protection from Abuse Order, which provides the confiscation of firearms during the period of time the order is in effect?

☐ YES  ☐ NO

Applicant’s Initials________

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PART VIII: FIREARMS BACKGROUND QUESTIONNAIRE, CONTINUED

7. Have you ever been convicted of a misdemeanor crime of domestic violence? (The conviction must be for misdemeanor-graded offense and have, an element, weapon, committed by a current or former spouse, parents, or guardian of the victim, by a person with whom the victim shares a child in common, by a person who is cohabiting with or has cohabited with the victim as a spouse, parent, or guardian of the victim) □ YES □ NO

8. Are you a fugitive from justice? □ YES □ NO

9. Have you ever been adjudicated as an incompetent or been involuntarily committed to a mental institution for inpatient care and treatment under Section 302, Section 303, or Section 304 of the Pennsylvania Mental Health Procedures Act (The Act of July 9, 1976, P.L. 817, No. 143). □ YES □ NO

Applicant’s Initials______
PART VIII: FIREARMS BACKGROUND QUESTIONNAIRE, CONTINUED

18 PA C.S. § 6105 (A):
PROHIBITS PERSONS CONVICTED OF ANY OF THE FOLLOWING OFFENSE UNDER 18 PA C.S. FROM POSSESSING, USING, CONTROLLING, TRANSFERRING, MANUFACTURING, OR OBTAINING A LICENSE TO POSSESS, USE CONTROL, TRANSFER, OR MANUFACTURING A FIREARM IN THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA. A CONVICTION INCLUDES A FINDING OF GUILTY OR THE ENTERING OF A PLEA OF GUILTY OR NOLO CONTENDERE. WHETHER OR NOT JUDGMENT HAS BEEN IMPOSED, AS DETERMINED BY THE LAW OF THE JURISDICTION IN WHICH THE PROSECUTION WAS HELD. THE TERM DOES NOT INCLUDE A CONVICTION WHICH HAS BEEN EXPUNGED OR OVERTURNED OR FOR WHICH AN INDIVIDUAL HAS BEEN PARDONED UNLESS THE PARDON EXPRESSLY PROVIDES THAT THE INDIVIDUAL MAY NOT POSSESS OR TRANSPORT FIREARMS.

18 PA C.S. § 6105 (B):

§ 908 Prohibited Offensive Weapons.
§ 911 Corrupt Organizations.
§ 912 Possession of a Weapon on School Property.
§ 2502 Murder.
§ 2503 Voluntary Manslaughter.
§ 2504 Involuntary Manslaughter, If Offense is Based on the Reckless Use of a Firearm.
§ 2702 Aggravated Assault.
§ 2703 Assault by a Prisoner.
§ 2704 Assault by a Life Prisoner
§ 2709 Harassment and Stalking, If the Offense Relates to Stalking.
§ 2901 Kidnapping.
§ 2902 Unlawful Restraint.
§ 2910 Luring a Child into a Motor Vehicle.
§ 3121 Rape.
§ 3123 Involuntary Deviate Sexual Intercourse.
§ 3125 Aggravated Indecent Assault.
§ 3301 Arson and Related Offenses.
§ 3302 Causing or Risking Catastrophe.
§ 3502 Burglary.
§ 3503 Criminal Trespass, If the Offense is Graded a Felony of the Second Degree or Higher.

*§3701 Robbery.
§3702 Robbery of Motor Vehicle.
§3921 Theft by Unlawful Taking or Disposition, Upon Conviction of the Second Felony Offense.
*§3923 Theft by Extortion, When the Offense is Accompanied by Threats of Violence.
§3925 Receiving Stolen Property, Upon Conviction of the Second Felony Offense.
§4912 Impersonating a Public Servant, if the Person is Impersonating a Law Enforcement Officer.
§4952 Intimidation of Witnesses or Victims.
§4953 Retaliation Against Witness or Victim.
§5121 Escape.
§5122 Weapons or Implements for Escape.
§5501 Riot, If the Offense Relates to a Firearm or Other Deadly Weapon.
§5515 Prohibiting of Paramilitary Training.
§610.1 Possession of a Firearm by Minor.
§6301 Corruption of Minors.
§6302 Sale of Lease of Weapons and Explosives.

ANY OFFENSES EQUIVALENT TO ANY OF THE ABOVE-ENUMERATED OFFENSES UNDER THE PRIOR LAWS OF THIS COMMONWEALTH, OR ANY OFFENSE EQUIVALENT TO ANY OF THE ABOVE-ENUMERATED OFFENSES UNDER THE STATUES OF ANY OTHER STATE OR OF THE UNITED STATES.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THIS FORM CONTAINS NO MISREPRESENTATION OR FALSIFICATIONS, OMISSIONS OR CONCEALMENT OF MATERIAL FACT AND THAT THE INFORMATION GIVEN IS TRUE AND COMPLETE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF AND THAT I AM SIGNING THIS DOCUMENT WITH THE FULL UNDERSTANDING THAT ANY FALSE INFORMATION OR STATEMENT WILL SUBJECT ME TO THE CRIMINAL PENALTIES OF 18 PA.C.S.A. §4904, RELATING TO UNSWORN FALSIFICATION TO AUTHORITIES, AND COULD RESULT IN PERMANENT DISQUALIFICATION AS A MUNICIPAL POLICE OFFICER.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT ________________________________ DATE ________________________________

Applicant’s Initials______
PART IX.  SWORN OFFICER EMPLOYER (sworn police officers only)

This section is to be completed by the employer of an applicant who is a sworn police officer employed by a municipal police department in Pennsylvania.

Request your Chief of Police read and sign the following:

a. The individual applying for admission to this police academy program is employed as a sworn police officer by this department. We have notified the Municipal Police Officers’ Education and Training Commission (MPOETC) of his/her employment with us. We wish to make arrangements as required by Pennsylvania Act 120 to enroll this officer in basic recruit training at Temple University.

   We promise to notify Temple University if this person leaves our employment for any reason during the training period.

   Yes____ No____

b. This individual is required to pass a physical examination prior to employment with us:

   Yes____ No____

   Please provide the Temple Police Academy copies of Physical Examinations prior to first day of class.

c. This individual is required to pass a psychological examination prior to employment with us:

   Yes____ No____

   Please provide the Temple Police Academy copies of Psychological Examination prior to first day of class.

d. This individual is required to pass a physical agility and reading test with us:

   Yes____ No____

   Please provide the Temple Police Academy copies of the tests results prior to first day of class.

__________________________________________________  ______/______/______
Police Chief’s Signature      Today’s Date
__________________________________________________  __________________
Chief’s Name (Print)      Telephone

Applicant’s Initials____
PART X. PERSONAL STATEMENT (civilian applicants only)

If you are not presently employed as a police officer, please indicate your reason(s) for applying to the academy, why you wish to become a police officer, and how you have come to this decision.

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Applicant’s Initials _______
PART XI. AFFIRMATION & SIGNATURE (all applicants)

All applicants must read and sign the following statement. DO NOT sign this statement or submit this application unless you have received and read a copy of the information described in paragraph (2).

(1) I AFFIRM that the information I have provided on this application is, to the best of my knowledge, true and complete. I AUTHORIZE Temple University to make such inquiries as is necessary to verify the information I have provided relative to my fitness for training and employment. I UNDERSTAND that if I have withheld or given false information that I may be denied admission or dismissed from the Temple University Police Academy.

(2) I have READ and UNDERSTAND the Temple University Police Academy policy on basic eligibility for admission, expenses and costs, refunds, and physical training requirements.

(3) I UNDERSTAND application to the Temple University Police Academy does not guarantee admission.

__________________________________________________________ ______/______/______
Name (Print)        Today’s Date

__________________________________________________________ ______/______/______
Signature        Today’s Date

Submit the entire stapled application package with your application fee. Recruits applicants are advised to make photocopies of the entire application packet and copies of all pertinent information for the applicant’s own records.

Please send an original copy of this complete application with your $75.00 application fee and have all requested material sent to:

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