**Who is eligible to apply?**

• Young adults aged **18–26**  
• **U.S. citizens** or legal residents  
• Accepted into or enrolled in an **accredited fire academy**  
• Demonstrated **financial need**

**What does the sponsorship cover?**

• **Tuition paid directly** to the fire academy   
*(Note: living expenses, gear, or travel are not included at this time.)*

**How do I apply?**

• Complete the application form at [**www.devonslegacyfoundation.org**](http://www.devonslegacyfoundation.org)  
• Submit:  
  – Proof of acceptance into a fire academy  
  – Personal statement  
  – Letter of recommendation  
  – Financial need documentation

**When is the deadline?**

**Two scholarships are awarded annually:**

* **First scholarship:**  
    • Submission opens **January 1**  
    • Submission closes **March 31**  
    • Scholarship awarded **June 1**
* **Second scholarship:**  
    • Submission opens **June 1**  
    • Submission closes **October 31**  
    • Scholarship awarded **December 31**

**How will recipients be selected?**

• A **selection committee** will review all applications  
• Evaluations are based on **merit, need**, and **alignment with our mission**

**Can I be nominated by someone else?**

• **Yes!** We welcome nominations  
• Nominees will be contacted to complete the application process

**Can I apply if I’m related to someone on the board?**

• To ensure fairness, **board members’ family members are not eligible**

**Do I need to pay this money back?**

• **No.** This is a scholarship, not a loan

**Can I reapply in the future?**

• **Yes,** applicants who were **not awarded a scholarship** are welcome to reapply during a future cycle.

**Who can I contact with questions?**

📧 Email us at [**DevonsLegacy@yahoo.com**](mailto:DevonsLegacy@yahoo.com) — we’re happy to help!